

THOSE SERVING TODAY

CHURCH OPENER: Al Myers
CLOSER: Jim Wade

USHERS:
8:30 AM-Tim Metz, Ron Pfister, Edgar Keene, Jim Goebel
11:00 AM-Denise McAuley, Dave & Jean Hoerr, Craig Reif

TRUSTEES:
Craig Reif, Norma Hawk, Jim Wade

ELDERS READING:
8:30 AM-Larry Godley
11:00 AM-Doug Lieberman

JUNIOR CHURCH:
Adele Larkin, Nicole Baldini

NURSERY:
8:30 AM – Norm & Lena Bitterman, Emily Seydel
11:00 AM-Carol Esterhai, Lynette Onitiri

GREETERS:
8:30 AM-Paper Mill Road:
David & Joyce Tyson
8:30 AM-Church Road:
Betty Dailey

11:00 AM-Paper Mill Road:
Al & Marla Griffith
11:00 AM-Church Road:
Judy Thudium
7:00 PM-Paper Mill Road
Kevin & Mellissa Bunkin
7:00 PM Church Road
Pat Davis

AMBASSADOR:
Joyce & Rick Stover
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8:30 AM-Joyce & Rick Stover
11:00 AM-Alice & Tom Frearson

PASTOR BACKUP:
Anne Godley

FLOWER DELIVERY:
Anne Godley & Carol Pfister

BUS DRIVERS: Kathy Farrell & Jessica Raggi

ADULT CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Adult Christian Education-
February 7 - March 21, 9:45 a. m.

Revelation - Part 5 & 6-Led by John Craymer

We will cover chapters 12 - 14 in this segment. Looking at the signs and wonders that appear on the canvas as John relates them, we encounter the dragon and two beasts as well as other very significant characters. Come join us as we look at the forces of evil as they pit themselves against the power of God. This segment could easily be characterized as the war between good and evil. Do you wonder who will win?

Bible Fellowship Group-

Led by Nick and Marilyn Furcola

This is an open forum type discussion group covering a wide variety of topics from the Bible as a whole. Come with questions or items for discussion or simply interact with the topics and scripture presented. It will be possible to make up the class as we go along. The only material which will be used will be God's Word, the Bible, under the inspiration of the Holy Spirit.

Ten Basic Steps Toward Christian Maturity-

Led by Lynette Onitiri

Based on a study guide by Bill Bright, the founder of Campus Crusade for Christ, we will discuss these basic steps starting with the uniqueness of Jesus and then proceeding from there. This study will be ongoing and slow paced with plenty of time for questions and answers. It is ideal for the new Christian as well as the seasoned Christian. The class is open to anyone with a desire to start at the beginning or to review the basics.

THE FLOWERS IN THE SANCTUARY have been given to the Glory of God by the Board of Deacons.

Oreland Evangelical Presbyterian Church

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March 21, 2010 - 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM Worship

8:45 AM Christian Education for All Ages

- ◆ Assisted Listening System available ; please ask an usher.
- ◆ PLEASE turn off phones and pagers; they may disrupt the sound system
- ◆ WEDNESDAY EVENING “Soup for the Soul” 6:30 PM - Supper; 7:00 - Discussion

PREPARE TO WORSHIP

“An Offering” (Hebrews 9:28)

Nancy Moore, Guest Organist

by Cesar Franck; (arr. by Robinson)

(* indicates to stand as you are able; be seated when you need to be)

CALL TO WORSHIP: Isaiah 40:1-8 (Pew Bible p. 1110) Let us worship God!

(8:30) - Elder Larry Godley

(11:00) - Elder Doug Lieberman

***“Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne” - #170 in the hymnbook**

SCRIPTURE READING: 1 Corinthians 1:10-31 (Pew Bible Page 1771)

PRAYER of PRAISE and CONFESSION (Together)

Holy God, we are blessed beyond measure that you sent Jesus to be “God with us.” We rejoice and give you thanks that He who came to Bethlehem is the Savior Jesus who bore our sins upon the cross at Calvary. We rejoice and give you thanks that the cross of Christ which is foolish in the world is the power of our salvation. Forgive us the sin of boasting in ourselves and trusting in our solutions. Have mercy on us. Turn us again to the forgiving, saving, renewing, and keeping power of the cross of Christ. Let us who boast, boast in the Lord. In the strong and precious name of Jesus we pray. Amen.

DECLARATION of GOD’S FORGIVENESS

“I will Boast in the Cross”

1-God did not call us because we were wise, or gifted with riches and might.
His chosen ones are the weak in this world, who hope in his all-saving name,
That he might receive all the praise.

CHORUS: So I will boast in the cross of Christ and I will glory in Jesus and his sacrifice.
I will boast in the cross of Christ. It is the power, it is the wisdom of God
And my great ransom, the cross of Christ.

2-Great is the myst'ry of God's sov'reign ways that flow from the depths of his grace.
That he would give up his one precious Son to bear all the cost of my sin,
Is a wonder I can't comprehend. **CHORUS**

“Beneath the Cross”

1-Beneath the cross of Jesus I find a place to stand,
And wonder at such mercy that calls me as I am.
For hands that should discard me hold wounds which tell me come.
Beneath the cross of Jesus my unworthy soul is won.

2-Beneath the cross of Jesus, His family is my own.
Once strangers chasing selfish dreams; Now, one through grace alone.
How could I now dishonor the ones that You have loved?
Beneath the cross of Jesus, see the children called by God.

3-Beneath the cross of Jesus, the path before the crown,
We follow in his footsteps where promised hope is found.
How great the joy before us to be His perfect bride.
Beneath the cross of Jesus, we will gladly live our lives.

“Lord, For Thy Tender Mercies' Sake”

by Richard Farrant

The Worship Choir

Greet one another in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ!

Children are always welcome to remain in worship. Activity kits are available in the back of the sanctuary in the plastic containers. Junior church is available for children ages 4 through grade 2 during the 8:30 worship service. It is held in classroom S4 beneath the sanctuary.

SCRIPTURE READING: 1 Peter 1: 22-25 (Pew Bible p. 1887)

SERMON: “Love One Another, Earnestly”

Pastor Jim Farrell

PRAYER and THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING OUR GIFTS-Prayer of Thanksgiving

CHURCH NEWS - Please sign the friendship pad!

***“We Are God's People” - #546 in the hymnbook**

***BENEDICTION**

***ORGAN POSTLUDE:** Postlude on “Diademata” (“Crown Him With Many Crowns”)

By Gordon Young

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Our Thanks to Nancy Moore who is serving as our substitute organist this morning. We also appreciate and give thanks for Linda Craymer's directing the choir.

T O N I G H T “Vespers @ Oreland”- 6:30 PM

- ◆ Singing led by George Major and the worship band Ebenezer
- ◆ Preaching basic truths of the Christian faith by Pastor Jim and Tim Ricci
- ◆ Tonight's message: “The B-I-B-L-E” from 2 Timothy 3:12-17

Holy Week

- ◆ **NEXT SUNDAY!** - Palm Sunday, March 28 with Jubilant Brass at both services.
 - ◆ Holy Thursday, April 1 - 7:30 PM Communion Worship
 - ◆ Good Friday, April 2 - 1:00 PM Worship; 7:30 PM Tenebrae
- ◆ **Easter Sunday, April 4 - 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM Worship; 9:45 AM CE; 6:30 PM Vespers**