

SUNDAY June 7, 2026

9:30 AM

Welcome members, friends, and visitors! In this hour, may you find fellowship and experience the presence of the Spirit of God in our midst. If you are visiting with us for the first time, we invite you to sign the Guest Book and complete a welcome card. Please join us for coffee and fellowship following worship.

2nd SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST & COMMUNION SUNDAY WORSHIP

*Those who are able are invited to stand ***indicate times for ushers to seat worshippers

As a courtesy to other worshipers, please silence your cell phones. Thank you.

Welcome to Oak Lawn Community Baptist Church for a time of worship. Greet each other in Christian love being mindful of those who need some time for quiet meditation.

The Chimes Call Us to Worship

Prelude "Communion" Gordon Young
~ During the prelude take time to "Be still and know that God is Lord." ~

Greetings Pastor Linda

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Announcements Chuck Jones and Mike Moore, Worship Leaders

Symbols of Remembrance

Call to Worship

LEADER: God calls us out of places known and secure for new horizons.

PEOPLE: God invites us into a living, trusting relationship.

LEADER: God continues to bring new worlds into being.

PEOPLE: God is constantly offering new opportunities to us.

LEADER: Let us worship God with our whole being.

PEOPLE: We seek to use our talents to serve the Creator of all.

***Gathering Hymn #51** "How Great Thou Art"

***Invocation and Lord's Prayer:** As we come before the Lord in worship, let us come in faith, confident that God will hear, and the Holy Spirit will bless. Let us pray: **Sustaining God, it can be hard to hear you calling us amid all the competing voices that call for our attention. Yet, through the stories of our Ancestors in faith, we see your promises, and we**

know that you keep them for all time. We know that your ways are far more fulfilling than anything we can imagine. We are eager to live by faith in the way Jesus showed us. **Open our hearts to your presence among us as we pray the prayer Jesus taught us, saying...**

**Our Father, who art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy name.
Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
Forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors.
Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

Sanctuary Choir "Footprints in the Sand" David Angerman

Our Offerings, Gifts and Tithes
Offertory "Melody in F" Anton Rubinstein

***Doxology #34** "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"
**"Praise God from whom all blessings flow.
Praise Him all creatures here below.
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host.
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen."**

*Offering Prayer

Prayer Hymn #486 "Have Thine Own Way, Lord!" Verses 1 & 2

A Time of Silent Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

Response #490 "Hear Our Prayer, O Lord"

Scripture Lesson Genesis 12:1-9
Matthew 9:9-13, 18-26

Communion Meditation "Bold Faith"

The Fellowship of the Lord's Supper

***Communion Hymn #665** "Break Now the Bread of Life" Verses 1 & 2

***Reading of the Church Covenant** (front of hymnal)

Deacons' Fellowship Offering

The Invitation and Words of Institution

Prayer of Consecration

Sharing of the Bread and Cup (*Gluten Free bread is also offered.*)

* Closing Hymn #393

“Blest Be the Tie That Binds”

Verse 1

* Mizpah Benediction “May the Lord watch between me and thee, while we are absent one from another. Amen.”

Postlude

“God Be with You till We Meet Again”

William G. Torner

Enter to Worship

Depart to Serve

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The flowers are given to the Glory of God!

...and you shall be called ministers...”

Ministers: all members of Oak Lawn Community Baptist Church

Pastor: Rev. Dr. Linda Hartley

Worship Leaders: Chuck Jones and Mike Moore

Organist: Margery Jones

Choir Director: Margery Jones

Choir Accompanist: Marilyn Drummond

Oak Lawn Choral Bells Directors: Marilyn Drummond & Bob Kolb

Secretary: Beth Lamarre



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Pastor: Rev. Dr. Linda Hartley

For assistance, please contact Chair of Deacons, Mike Moore at 401-944-0864

For other questions or concerns, please contact Moderator, Jim Ellison at 401-743-3480

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