



MAKING JESUS KNOWN – TOGETHER.

10:00am – June 11<sup>th</sup>, 2023

Children's Ministry (*birth – 6<sup>th</sup> grade*) available

<b>Welcome/Prayer</b>	Pastor John
<b>Worship in Singing</b>	Worship Team
* 5 <sup>th</sup> -6 <sup>th</sup> graders leave for class (last room on left in Education Wing)	
<b>Bible Teaching</b>	Pastor John
<b>Worship in Singing</b>	Worship Team

### Special Upcoming Opportunities

**LUNCH ON THE LAWN COMMUNITY OUTREACH:** Invite friends to our outdoor Worship Services on **7/9, 8/13, 9/10** on the lawn. Sub sandwiches, with GF/DF option. **Bring lawn chair!** Ponies on July 9<sup>th</sup>

#### **UPCOMING LADIES' EVENTS:**

- **Brunch** @ Donna Shappy's home, **Sat 7/15** 10:30-12:00noon
- **RETREAT @ Camp of the Woods: Sep 15-17.** Main speaker: Jennie Allen, 'Building Community.' \$270 covers lodging, meals, activities. See flyer in foyer for more details & to sign up w/ 2 other ladies!

**MEN'S RETREAT @ CAMP OF THE WOODS Sept/29 – Oct/1** (3 Days 2 Nights) **SEE FLYER & ENROLL IN FOYER.** \$200 covers lodging/meals, all activities + \$60 discount. Sign up in foyer w/2 other men (min 3 to a room). **Main speaker: Frank Turek** (apologist & author). Need roommates or a partial scholarship, see Pastor John. **All welcomed!**

**KID'S PLAYDATE:** Tues mornings 10-12pm (*outdoors – bring trikes*)

### Everyday Life at OAC

**NEW GUESTS:** Please visit the **Welcome Booth** in café after service to receive a gift! We also invite you to fill out the **Connection Card** (*seat pocket in front of you*) & drop in the box at the **Booth in cafe.**

**SPIRITUAL GROWTH:** "Where am I now with Jesus? What would help me to move forward with Him?" Whatever your answer, we'd love to partner with you! (resources, connections, etc.) *website: /reaching*

**BAPTISM:** Baptism is a special time to celebrate your journey of faith & obedience to Christ. Contact a pastor to tell of your interest.

**EVERYBODY SERVES:** Let us help you serve the Lord as you serve others; 30+ ways to make a difference! *website: /ministries*

**PRAYER:** Join with others on **Sundays 9-9:40am** and/or the **2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays 6:30pm** in the last room on the left in the Education wing.


**GIVING OPTIONS:** 1) Drop in offering boxes by worship center doors  
2) Check by mail. 3) Use link on website / app. *website: /egiving*


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## Experiencing Freedom from Guilt

*Psalm 51 (ESV)*

- <sup>1</sup> Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love; according to your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions.
- <sup>2</sup> Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin!
- <sup>3</sup> For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me.
- <sup>4</sup> Against you, you only, have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight, so that you may be justified in your words and blameless in your judgment.
- <sup>5</sup> Behold, I was brought forth in iniquity, and in sin did my mother conceive me.
- <sup>6</sup> Behold, you delight in truth in the inward being, and you teach me wisdom in the secret heart.
- <sup>7</sup> Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean; wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow.
- <sup>8</sup> Let me hear joy and gladness; let the bones that you have broken rejoice.
- <sup>9</sup> Hide your face from my sins, and blot out all my iniquities.
- <sup>10</sup> Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.
- <sup>11</sup> Cast me not away from your presence, and take not your Holy Spirit from me.
- <sup>12</sup> Restore to me the joy of your salvation, and uphold me with a willing spirit.
- <sup>13</sup> Then I will teach transgressors your ways, and sinners will return to you.
- <sup>14</sup> Deliver me from bloodguiltiness, O God, O God of my salvation, and my tongue will sing aloud of your righteousness.
- <sup>15</sup> O Lord, open my lips, and my mouth will declare your praise.
- <sup>16</sup> For you will not delight in sacrifice, or I would give it; you will not be pleased with a burnt offering.
- <sup>17</sup> The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit; a broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise.
- <sup>18</sup> Do good to Zion in your good pleasure; build up the walls of Jerusalem; <sup>19</sup>then will you delight in right sacrifices, in burnt offerings and whole burnt offerings; then bulls will be offered on your altar. (*see Psalm 32:1-7*)

**God wants to create in us clean hearts - it requires:**

- 1) Admitting** & exposing our sin & need of God's mercy. **v1-7**
- 2) Acknowledging** & owning the cost/consequences. **v8-12**
- 3) Adjusting** our hearts for His pleasure/honor not ours. **13-**

*"If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness. If we claim we have not sinned, we make Him out to be a liar and His word is not in us. My dear children, I write this to you so that you will not sin. But if anybody does sin, we have an advocate with the Father— Jesus Christ, the Righteous One. He is the atoning sacrifice for our sins, and not only for ours but also for the sins of the whole world."*

**1 John 1:9-2:2**

## 1. Always

1. I believe You gave sight to the blind  
I believe that the dead came to life  
I believe there were wonders and signs  
And You're still the same
2. I believe every word that You said  
I believe there are scars in Your hands  
That Your goodness is good without end  
And You'll never change
3. I believe You will come in the clouds  
I believe You are here even now  
In Your presence I know there is power, power to save

**I will tell of Your wonders, sing of Your grace  
The God of creation knows me by name  
The Lord is faithful  
Yesterday, now and always – always  
Your mercy is mighty age after age  
All generations will bow down and praise  
The Lord is faithful  
Yesterday, now and always – always**

*You were, You are, You always will be God  
You were, You are, You always will be God  
Yes, You always will be God*

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## 2. His Mercy is More

1. What love could remember no wrongs we have done  
Omniscient, all-knowing, He counts not their sum  
Thrown into a sea without bottom or shore  
Our sins they are many, His mercy is more
2. What patience would wait as we constantly roam  
What father so tender is calling us home  
He welcomes the weakest, the vilest, the poor  
Our sins they are many, His mercy is more
3. What riches of kindness He lavished on us  
His blood was the payment, His life was the cost  
We stood 'neath a debt we could never afford  
Our sins they are many, His mercy is more

## 3. God So Loved

1. Come all you weary, come all you thirsty  
Come to the well that never runs dry  
Drink of the water, come and thirst no more
2. Come all you sinners, come find His mercy  
Come to the table He will satisfy  
Taste of His goodness, find what you're looking for

**For God so loved the world that He gave us  
His one and only Son to save us  
Whoever believes in Him will live forever**

3. Bring all your failures, bring your addictions  
Come lay them down at the foot of the cross  
Jesus is waiting there with open arms

**For God so loved the world that He gave us  
His one and only Son to save us  
Whoever believes in Him will live forever  
The power of hell forever defeated  
Now it is well, I'm walking in freedom  
For God so loved, God so loved the world**

*Praise God, praise God  
From whom all blessings flow  
Praise Him, praise Him  
For the wonders of His love (repeat)  
For God so loved the world that He gave us  
His one and only Son to save. . . (to chorus)*

4. Bring all your failures, bring your addictions  
Come lay them down at the foot of the cross  
Jesus is waiting, God so loved the world

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## 4. Run to the Father

1. I've carried a burden for too long on my own  
I wasn't created to bear it alone  
I hear Your invitation to let it all go  
I see it now I'm laying it down  
And I know that I need You
2. You saw my condition, had a plan from the start  
Your Son for redemption, the price for my heart  
I don't have a context for that kind of love  
I don't understand, I can't comprehend  
All I know is I need You

*I run to the Father, I fall into grace  
I'm done with the hiding, no reason to wait  
My heart needs (found) a surgeon  
My soul needs (found) a friend  
So I'll run to the Father, again and again  
And again and again (oh, oh, oh)*

*My heart has been in Your sight  
Long before my first breath  
Running into Your arms  
Is running to life from death  
I feel this rush deep in my chest  
Your mercy is calling out  
Just as I am You pull me in  
And I know I need You now*

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