

“Whoever  
eats my flesh  
and drinks my  
blood has  
eternal life...”

John 6:54

October 1, 2017

Welcome to  
Oaklyn Baptist Church  
Morning Worship with Communion  
October 1, 2017 ~10:45am  
Pastor: Rev. Kelly Grimsley  
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**Order of Service**

**Announcements**

**Prelude**

**Call to Worship:** (Responsive)

Leader: This week has been filled with joys and sorrows.

**People: We have come here this day with burdens on our hearts.**

Leader: God, who hears your cries, will offer you healing love.

**People: Thanks be to God for such generous compassion.**

Leader: Open your hearts to God's infinite mercy.

**People: We open our spirits to receive God's love for us.**

**People & Leader: Amen!**

**\*Congregational Singing:**

"What A Friend We Have In Jesus" #473

**\*Unison Invocation:**

Gracious God, how shall we do your will today? Will it be in acts of praise, in gifts shared, in prayers lifted? Whom will you lead us to serve? Help us listen. Help us to trust you. Bless this community as we come together in worship. We come to worship with so many things on our hearts and minds. We are drawn away by problems and cares. Heal our spirits. Open our hearts. Encourage us, comfort us, unite us, make our joy complete. Help us be your disciples. Amen.

**Video-**Discipleship (World Mission Offering)

**This week at OBC (Oct. 1-Oct. 8 2017)**  
***Pastor Kelly will be out of the office this week.***  
***If you have an urgent matter, contact Cara***

**Sun. 1-** Adult Sunday School, 9:30am (Library)

- Morning Worship 10:45am
- Youth Group 6-7:30pm

**Mon. 2-** Cara in the office 9-2

- Kitchen rented out in the morning
- Stewardship Meeting, 7pm
- Outreach Meeting, 7pm

**Tue. 3-**

**Wed. 4-** Cara in the office 9-2

**Thur. 5-** Cara in the office 9-2

- Thursday night bible study, 6:30pm, Library
- AA in Social Hall, 8pm mtg.

**Fri. 6-** Church office closed

**Sat. 7-**

**Sun. 8-** Adult Sunday School, 9:30am (Library)

- Choir Practice, 10:00-10:15am in Sanctuary
- Praise & Worship time in Sanctuary 10:15-10:30am
- Morning Worship 10:45am
- American Baptist Women Meeting, after service



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The choir will be singing next **Sunday, Oct. 8th**. We welcome new people as well as former members. You don't need to read music-we make a joyful noise unto the Lord! We meet at 10am to practice.



### Thrift Sale at Riverview Estates

Riverview Estates (303 Bank Ave, Riverton) is having a thrift sale next **Saturday, Oct. 7th from 10am-noon**. Many items are for sale!



A time of Praise and Worship Music  
Join us on Sunday, Oct. 8th for a time of praise and worship music from 10:15-10:30 in the sanctuary. If you have a favorite song, email it or text it to Matt Gaehring:  
Mgaehring@gmail.com or 856.981.9006.



Join us on Sunday, Oct. 15th in the sanctuary from 10:15-10:30 for a hymn sing!



### **Offertory Prayer (Offering Received)**

*(If you are a visitor today please know that, while we welcome your participation in our offering, you are our guest, and as such, should not feel obligated to give. The Communion Offering may also be placed in the basket. Please use the monthly envelope or clearly mark the gift for this offering. **This month's offering will go towards our Deacon's fund which helps assist with immediate needs within our church family and surrounding neighborhood.***

### **\*Doxology (sung)**

*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.*

### **Prayers of Celebration and Concern**

### **Children's Message**

*(Children dismissed ages 6 through 6<sup>th</sup> grade for Kids Club)*

### **\*Congregational Singing:**

"Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus" #442

**Scripture Reading:** Matthew 21:23-32

**Message:** "Your Choice"

**Congregational Singing:** "If We Are the Body" (Video)

**The Lord's Table** *(All who trust Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior are invited to share from the table.)*

### **Words of Institution**

**Sharing of the Bread** (Music)

**Sharing of the Cup** (Music)

### **Prayer**

*(Note: we use grape juice for our Communion)*

**\*Closing Chorus:** "Blest Be The Tie That Binds"

*\*(Please stand if you are able)*

## Announcements for the week of October 1, 2017

### WORLD MISSION OFFERING

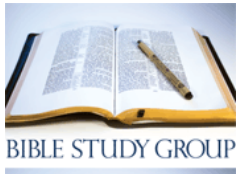
During the month of October we will be collecting the World Mission offering. You can use the special envelopes in the pew rack for this offering. More

information on this important offering will be in the bulletin or on the poster in the back of the sanctuary. You can see where all the missionaries are located through International Ministries-check it out!



#### Kitchen is rented out every week

The church kitchen is rented out each week to a chef. If you use the kitchen, please be sure that you clean it up and take the trash out after each use. Also, please do not leave things on the counters that don't belong there, as the chef is using each counter when she cooks.



#### Opportunity for a Bible Study

Pastor Kelly would like to start up a new bible study during the week. If you would be interested, please let him know what day/night/time would work best for you. OBCPastorKelly@gmail.com

#### Constitution Committee

Advisory Council would like to put together a committee to review and revise the Oaklyn Baptist Church constitution. If you are a member of the church and interested in being on this committee, contact Diane Colgate 856.449.3311 or Bill Gaehring 856.281.4370.



Fellowship is organizing a Progressive Dinner on **Sunday, Oct. 22**. There are sign up sheets in the back of the church. There are multiple ways to participate! Please take a look at the sign up sheets and indicate how you would like to participate! Contact Kathy Mallison or Rachael Bonewicz with questions.



#### Bible Study starting up

Bible Study at Dave and Doris Carey's home (131 E Park Ave Haddon Twp) will begin on **Oct 4th at 7PM**. Our study of 1 Peter will last for 8 weeks. Any questions call Sandy Schafer (856-858-1601).



#### The Worship Team wants your participation

The Worship Team is looking for people to participate in our Sunday morning service. We are specifically looking for **Scripture Readers, Announcement Readers, and Greeters** (to meet people in the elevator lobby and in the back of the sanctuary). We also welcome anyone looking to participate in the service in any other way, such as **passing the mic during prayers/praise sharing, leading a hymn, providing special music, singing or playing with the worship band, helping with slideshows/web streaming/sound board, or in any other area that you may like to participate**. Please let Matt Gaehring know if you are interested in helping on a regular or irregular basis and we will do what we can to include you. Thank you! MGAehring@gmail.com or 856.981.9006

