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The Ogden Dunes Community Church Mission Statement

*“Ogden Dunes Community Church seeks to joyfully
lead people to the transforming love of Christ.”*

May 21, 2023, 10:00 a.m.
Pentecost Sunday
Theme: The Spark of Witness

Pastor: Dr. Mary Lou Codman-Wilson

Minister of Music: Elizabeth Larson

Gathering to Worship

"Let us enter God's House with reverence."

CARILLON

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Liturgist

Visitors: Welcome! Please fill out the Visitor Card.

CALL TO REFLECTION

The Meaning of the Lighting of the Candle

Phil Shank

GATHERING SONG #322

Spirit of the Living God

Liturgist

*Spirit of the living God, Fall afresh on me;
Spirit of the living God, Fall afresh on me.
Melt me, mold me, Fill me, use me.
Spirit of the living God, Fall afresh on me.*

OPENING PRAYER

Pastor

CONGREGATIONAL INTROIT #2125

Come, Holy Spirit

Congregation, Please sing Part I

HYMN #2119

Where the Spirit of the Lord Is

Pastor

◆ CALL TO WORSHIP

Liturgist

Leader: The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases.

People: **His mercies never come to an end.**

Leader: They are new every morning.

People: **New every morning.**

All: **Great is thy faithfulness, Lord. Great is Thy faithfulness.**
(Lamentation 3:22-23)

◆ Please stand if you are able

◆ HYMN OF ADORATION

Majesty

Pastor

*Majesty, worship his majesty; unto Jesus be all glory, honor, and praise.
Majesty, kingdom authority flow from his throne unto his own, his anthem raise.
So exalt, lift up on high the name of Jesus;
magnify, come glorify Christ Jesus, the King.
Majesty, worship his majesty; Jesus, who died, now glorified, King of all kings.*

◆ SHARING OF THE PEACE

Liturgist

The peace of Christ be with you.
And also with you (greet one another)

MUSIC OFFERING

I Am His Lamb — Lloyd Larson

CHILDREN MAY BE DISMISSED TO SUNDAY SCHOOL

Liturgist

SCRIPTURE READING:

Liturgist

New Testament: Acts 2: 2-18, 22-24, 36-38

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

Breaking a Traditional Cherished Paradigm

Dr. Mary Lou Codman-Wilson

RESPONSE TO SERMON Psalm 23 (In Unison)

The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; He leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul: He leadeth me in paths of righteousness for His Name's sake. Yea, though, I walk through the valley of the shadow of death. I will fear no evil, for Thou are with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies; Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever. Amen.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION [In unison]

Liturgist

Lord, we confess to You the times we have failed to acknowledge our need for Your mercy. Forgive us for our arrogance and lead us in repentance to a renewed appreciation for Your character, Your Word and Your endless kindness and mercy. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS [In unison]

Pastor

We praise You for Your matchless grace, Lord. There is none who can compare with You. Help us live now in the sufficiency of Your gracious mercy. We accept Your forgiveness with grateful hearts.

JOYS AND CONCERNS

Liturgist

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE / THE LORD'S PRAYER

Liturgist

("...forgive us our sins...")

OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS

Liturgist

Offertory: Congregational Song *Goodness of God* — Fielding, Johnson, Cash, Ingram and Johnson

Leader: Given Tanri

(Congregation, please see words on the power point screen)

◆ **Response: Doxology**

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow, Praise Him all creatures here below, Praise Him above ye Heavenly Hosts, Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

◆ **Prayer of Dedication**

◆ **SONG OF GOING FORTH** *I Love to Tell the Story* (see insert)

Pastor

◆ **THE CHARGE AND BLESSING**

◆ **THE CONGREGATIONAL BENEDICTION**

Because He Lives

Because He lives I can face tomorrow.

Because He lives all fear is gone.

Because I know He holds the future.

And life is worth the living just because He lives.

◆ **POSTLUDE**

Goodness of God — Fielding, Johnson, Cash, Ingram and Johnson
• **Given Tanri, Solo**

Assisting Us In Worship Today

Pastor: Dr. Mary Lou Codman-Wilson

Liturgist: Phil Shank

Worship Leader: Given Tanri

Usher: Deana Lecy

Acolyte: Matthew Norris

WELCOME EVERYONE!

Whether you are new or have been with us for a while, please join us for a time of refreshments following the worship service in the Fellowship Hall. See you there!

SANCTUARY WORSHIP

We ask that for the sake of the sacredness of our worship service; if you must leave the service early, please exit at the southeast doors (those closest to the church office). Ushers will be available to help direct you. Thank you.

MENDING

A new group will meet on the four Saturday mornings in May. The group will provide support and healing resources for those coping with broken families, broken dreams, sickness, death and the struggles of faith in the midst of suffering. The group will meet at the Pastor's home on 6 Indian Camp Trail in Ogden Dunes from 9:30-11:30 a.m. each Saturday. A simple soup will conclude each meeting. If you have any questions, please contact Pastor Mary Lou at 630-379-4518.

PRAYER TIME

The prayer time titled "Colossians 4:2" meets every Tuesday at the pastor's home from 9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

IN THE WORD BIBLE STUDY

The Wednesday midday fellowship time called "In the Word" meets in the Pastor's office from 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 p.m.

PRAISE AND PRAYER

Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary led by Phil Shank.

WE BELIEVE...

The following are among the main tenets of our faith. The five Solas were the biblical theology recovered and proclaimed during the Reformation Period. They are now part of our Reformed Theology.

- **Sola Scriptura** – The Bible is the sole divine written revelation.
- **Sola Fide** – Justification is by faith alone.
- **Solus Christus** – Jesus Christ is sole mediator through whose work we are redeemed.
- **Sola Gratia** – Our salvation is based on God's Grace alone.
- **Sola Deo Gloria** – All glory belongs to God alone.

Prayer Corner

Ellie Babbitt and her family, Michael Bain, Pastor Mary Lou Codman-Wilson and her family, Dale, Derrick, Jane Dickey, Bob Hartmann, Mary Jane Kleyweg, Holly Lehmann, Marcy Mongoven, Rich Nagy, family of Sue Squire, our elderly, shut-ins and caregivers, our troops overseas, our President and country. The Missionaries we support (local, national and international). The Christians in the Middle East and Europe.

The Week at a Glance

SUNDAY, MAY 21

10:00 a.m. Worship led by Dr. Mary Lou Codman-Wilson
Sermon – *“Breaking a Traditional Cherished Paradigm”*
Nursery Provided

MONDAY, MAY 22

9:30 a.m. Footprints Reunion Group

TUESDAY, MAY 23

9:30 a.m. Prayer Time at the Pastor’s House
6:30 p.m. Session Meeting

WEDNESDAY, MAY 24

10:00 a.m. “In the Word” Bible Study with Pastor Mary Lou at Church
6:30 p.m. Prayer and Praise

THURSDAY, MAY 25

5:15 p.m. Chancel Ringers
6:30 p.m. Men’s Ensemble
7:15 p.m. Sanctuary Choir

SATURDAY, MAY 27

9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Mending Class at the Pastor’s House

SUNDAY, MAY 28

10:00 a.m. Worship led by Dr. Mary Lou Codman-Wilson
Sermon – *“Lest We Forget”*
Nursery Provided

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