

# Ogden Dunes Community Church

## Presbyterian

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### *The Ogden Dunes Community Church Mission Statement*

*Ogden Dunes Community Church is building a vibrant, God-honoring community of faith in Jesus Christ where God's global heart is demonstrated, God's power is evidenced, joy abounds, hope sustains, and reconciling love is the glue that binds us together.*

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

**THE SERVICE OF WORSHIP**  
**January 18, 2026 10:00 a.m.**

Pastor: Rev. Austin Blaszcynski

Minister of Music: Elizabeth Larson

***Gathering to Worship***

*In the Name and Spirit of Christ, we offer a special welcome to each and every guest here today. All are welcomed and loved in this place! Join us for a time of fellowship and refreshments immediately following the service.*

*We look forward to welcoming you and getting to know you.*

*Please leave your contact information with us, so that we can share with you opportunities to grow, connect, and serve.*

**CARILLON**

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Liturgist**

**◆ SHARING OF THE PEACE**

The peace of Christ be with you.

**And also with you.**

**PRELUDE**

*His Eye Is on the Sparrow* — Gabriel, Arr. Schrader

- **Miki Hathaway, flute**
- **Sharon Shepard, piano**

**OPENING PRAYER**

**Pastor**

**CHORAL INTROIT:**

*Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee* — Beethoven, Arr. Hodges  
• **Sanctuary Choir**

◆ Please stand if you are able

◆ CALL TO WORSHIP (Based on Psalm 96)

Liturgist

Leader: Sing to the Lord a new song!

**People: Sing to the Lord, all the earth.**

Leader: Sing to the Lord, praise his name; proclaim his salvation day after day.

**People: Let the heavens rejoice, let the earth be glad; let the sea resound, and all that is in it.**

Leader: Let all creation rejoice before the Lord, for he comes to judge the earth. He will judge the world in righteousness and his peoples in his faithfulness. Amen.

◆ HYMN OF PRAISE #229

*From All That Dwell Below the Skies*

CALL TO CONFESION

Liturgist

PRAYER OF CONFESION

Leader: Lord God, we, like sheep who have wandered from the flock, have strayed from you and your goodness.

**People: Forgive us we pray.**

Leader: We have hurt others through our words and actions.

**People: Forgive us we pray.**

Leader: We have not walked in righteousness and have turned a blind eye to the injustice in this world.

**People: Forgive us we pray.**

Leader: Forgive us when we fail to love you, fail to trust you, and fail to follow your will for our lives.

**People: Have mercy, O God, and forgive us we pray. Amen.**

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Pastor

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

*I Was There to Hear Your Borning Cry* — Arr. John Helgen

• Sanctuary Choir

• Miki Hathaway, Flute

**BAPTISM OF EDITH PARKER BLASZCZYNSKI:****The Blaszczyński Family****Apostles' Creed:**

I believe in God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth;  
And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy  
Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified,  
dead, and buried. He descended into hell. The third day he rose again  
from the dead. He ascended into heaven, and sits at the right hand of God  
the Father almighty. From thence he shall come to judge the living and the  
dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion  
of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen.

**RESPONSE TO BAPTISM: #304***Jesus Loves Me!*

(Please sing verse 1 twice)

**CHILDREN MAY BE DISMISSED TO SUNDAY SCHOOL****PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE****Pastor****Sharing of our Joys and Concerns /The Lord's Prayer**

*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;  
and forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us; and lead us not  
into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power  
and the glory, forever. Amen.*

***Hearing and Responding to God's Word*****SCRIPTURE READING:****Liturgist**

New Testament:                   Colossians 1:3-14

**Leader:** This is the Word of the Lord.**People:** **Thanks be to God.****SERMON***Believe, Belong, Become pt. 2: Belong***Rev. Austin Blaszczyński****PRAYER**

## OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS

Liturgist

### Stewardship Campaign: *Abundantly More*

**Offertory**      *Meditation* — Arr. Edward Broughton

♦ **Response:** Doxology

♦ Prayer of Dedication

## *Leaving to Live out the Word*

♦ HYMN OF SENDING OUT #339      *Be Thou My Vision*

♦ THE CHARGE AND BLESSING

Pastor

♦ THE CONGREGATIONAL BENEDICTION

*Go Now in Peace* — Besig and Price

*Go now in peace. Never be afraid. God will go with you each hour of every day.*

*Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true. Know He will guide you in all you do.*

*Go now in love, and show you believe. Reach out to others so all the world can see.*

*God will be there watching from above. Go now in peace, in faith and in love.*

Amen. Amen. Amen.

♦ POSTLUDE      *Now Thank We All Our God* — Karg - Elert

## Assisting Us In Worship Today

**Pastor:** Rev. Austin Blaszcynski

**Liturgist:** John McCrum

**Ushers:** Dave and Patty Harbaugh

**Special Music:** Miki Hathaway

**Accompanist:** Sharon Shepard

**Sound Booth:** Amiel Newport

## **2026 Stewardship Campaign, *Abundantly More***

*Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us... -Ephesians 3:20*

As we enter a new year, we invite you and your family to prayerfully consider how God is calling you to give of your time, talents, and treasure to help advance the mission of Ogden Dunes Community Church. Your financial giving makes a difference! We ask that you fill out a pledge card to help us appropriately assess operational needs for the next fiscal year. We will dedicate pledge cards this morning and continue to collect estimates of yearly giving through the end of January. Thank you for your generosity as we pray God will do abundantly more than we could ask or imagine in and through our church.

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### **MORE WAYS TO GIVE**

We are excited to introduce an additional way to give financially to Ogden Dunes Community Church through online giving. To give online, simply visit [www.ogdenduneschurch.org/give](http://www.ogdenduneschurch.org/give). Your generosity is changing lives as we commit to joyfully leading people to the transforming love of Christ.

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### **COAT DRIVE**

Portage Resale Shop is in need of all size of winter coats for women, children and especially for large men. Bring them to church or take them to the Portage Resale Shop, 6450 Evergreen Ave., Portage through January 2026. Thank you.



They are also looking for Volunteers. A background check is needed. See Debby Bailey if interested.

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### **PRAISE AND PRAYER**

Please join us for Prayer led by Phil Shank on Wednesdays from 6:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. and Bible study at 7:00 p.m.

## 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.

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## Prayer Corner

Ellie Babbitt and her family, Michael Bain, Lisa Baughman, Derrick, Eugene, Patty Harbaugh, Rebecca Hunt, Sue Klimek and her family, Sarah Hunt Maldonado, Marlene McNally, Marcy Mongoven, Jayden Nelson, Cami O'Conner, Nelson and Clara Reiber, Ann and Walter Sampson, Chuck Smothermon, Judy Spornick, Cordie Swanson, Family of Roger Winsor, our elderly shut-ins and caregivers, our troops overseas, our President and our country. The Missionaries we support (local, national and international). The Christians and all people in the Middle East and Europe. Those whose lives have been affected by the wildfires and hurricanes.

# The Week at a Glance

## **SUNDAY, JANUARY 18**

10:00 a.m. Worship led by Rev. Austin Blaszczynski  
**Nursery Provided**

## **MONDAY, JANUARY 19**

9:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. Weekly Prayer in the Sanctuary

## **WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21**

6:30 p.m. Praise and Prayer  
7:00 p.m. Bible Study

## **THURSDAY, JANUARY 22**

5:15 p.m. Chancel Ringers  
7:00 p.m. Sanctuary Choir

## **SUNDAY, JANUARY 25**

10:00 a.m. Worship led by Rev. Austin Blaszczynski  
**Nursery Provided**

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## **Notes:**