

Ogden Dunes Community Church Presbyterian

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God keeps his promises

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
March 1, 2026 10:00 a.m.**

Pastor: Rev. Austin Blaszczynski

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

Near the Cross — William Doane, Arr. Fred Bock

- **Sharon Shepard, piano**
- **Libby Larson, organ**

OPENING PRAYER

Pastor

◆ Please stand if you are able

◆ **CALL TO WORSHIP (Based on Psalm 29)**

Liturgist

Leader: The voice of the Lord is over the waters; the God of glory thunders,
The Lord thunders over the mighty waters.

People: **The voice of the Lord is powerful; the voice of the Lord is majestic.**

Leader: The Lord sits enthroned over the flood; the Lord is enthroned as King forever.

People: **The Lord gives strength to his people; the Lord blesses his people with peace. Amen.**

◆ **HYMN OF PRAISE #482**

Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty

CALL TO CONFESSION

Liturgist

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Liturgist

God of love and power, we listen to the stories of miracles and doubt that these things can happen today. We look at the waves of misfortune, distress, misery, distrust, and anger and wonder how we can still those waves. We feel the pressures of power and fear flooding into our lives, threatening to drown us and wonder where you are. Forgive us for the littleness of our faith. Forgive us for our doubts. Help us to place out trust in you, Lord Jesus. Help us to fix our eyes on you and on the ministries to which you have called us. We take time to silently confess before the throne of your grace.

We pray and ask for forgiveness in Jesus' Name. **Amen.**

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Pastor

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

There Is a Fountain — Arr. Mark Hayes

MOMENT WITH THE CHILDREN

CHILDREN MAY BE DISMISSED TO SUNDAY SCHOOL

Hearing and Responding to God's Word

SCRIPTURE READING:

Liturgist

Old Testament: Genesis 9:1-17

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

Faithful in all He Promises pt. 2: The Rainbow Connection

Rev. Austin Blaszczyński

PRAYER

OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS

Liturgist

Offertory *Bread of Life* — Arr. Broughton

◆ **Response:** Doxology

◆ Prayer of Dedication

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE PRAYER OF GREAT THANKSGIVING

THE INVITATION AND SHARING OF THE MEAL

◆ RESPONSE TO COMMUNION *The Lord's Prayer* (Sung)

Our Father, which art in heaven, Hallowed be thy Name.

Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done in earth,

As it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread,

And forgive us our debts, As we forgive our debtors,

And lead us not into temptation; But deliver us from evil:

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Leaving to Live out the Word

◆ 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

Fantasy in C Major — J. S. Bach

Assisting Us In Worship Today

Pastor: Rev. Austin Blaszczyński

Liturgist: Jayne Mann

Ushers: Margo Hartmann and Jill Sheppard

Communion Servers: Kathy Shank and Jill Wirth

Accompanist: Sharon Shepard

Sound Booth: Amiel Newport

Join Us For Lent!

Lent is a special time in the life of the church where we anticipate the saving death and resurrection of Jesus Christ. We invite you to mark your calendars for the following events and special opportunities happening here at Ogden Dunes Community Church over the next several weeks:

Kids at the Cross

Mondays starting February 23, 2026 – 4:30pm-5:30pm: Children's program for kids ages 3-6 & 7-9+. Join us for a weekly time of activities, music, and stories as we prepare for a special performance on Easter Sunday!

Book Study: "Liturgy of the Ordinary"

Sundays starting February 22, 2026 – 11:30am-12:15pm: Join us for a book study after worship each Sunday in Lent as we read through "Liturgy of the Ordinary" by Tish Harrison Warren. Study is led by Pastor Austin.

Chosen People Ministries Passover Seder

Sunday, March 22, 2026 – 6:00pm: Participate in a traditional Jewish Seder led by guest speaker, Kirill Swiderski from Chosen People Ministries. This is a great opportunity to learn more about the Messiah in the Passover.

Palm Sunday

Sunday, March 29, 2026 – 10:00am: The events of Holy Week kick off with a special Palm Sunday service in the Sanctuary. Enjoy special music from our Chancel Ringers and participate in a special service of prayer, meditation, and worship.

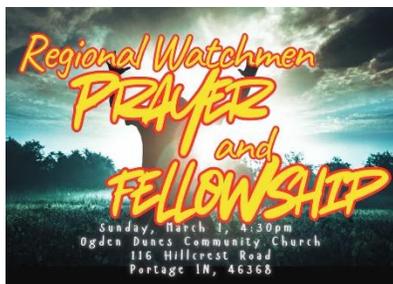
Maundy Thursday Dinner and Service

Thursday, April 2, 2026 – Dinner: 5:00pm; Service: 6:00pm: Join us as we journey through Jesus' final days and the events leading to the cross. We will gather for a meal at 5:00pm and have a "Service of Shadows" at 6:00pm.

Easter Sunday

Sunday, April 5, 2026 – 10:00am: He is Risen! Our resurrection celebration will feature special performances from Kids at the Cross and our Easter Choir.

REGIONAL WATCHMEN PRAYER GATHERING



Ogden Dunes Community Church will host the Regional Watchmen Prayer Gathering on Sunday, March 1, at 4:30 p.m. Please join us as we unite with the body of Christ in prayer. Light refreshments and fellowship will follow the service.

If you would like to donate food or assist with serving, please contact Kathy or Phil Shank.

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. Your generosity is changing lives as we commit to joyfully leading people to the transforming love of Christ.

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.

Prayer Corner

Ellie Babbitt and her family, Michael Bain, Lisa Baughman, Susan Clouser, 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, MARCH 1

10:00 a.m. Worship led by Rev. Austin Blaszczyński

Nursery Provided

11:30 a.m.–12:15 p.m. Book Study: *“Liturgy of the Ordinary”*

4:30 p.m. Regional Prayer Hosted at Ogden Dunes Community Church

MONDAY, MARCH 2

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

4:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. Kids at the Cross

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4

6:30 p.m. Praise and Prayer

7:00 p.m. Bible Study

THURSDAY, MARCH 5

5:15 p.m. Chancel Ringers

6:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir and Easter Choir Rehearsal

7:00 p.m. Sanctuary Choir

SUNDAY, MARCH 8

10:00 a.m. Worship led by Rev. Austin Blaszczyński

Nursery Provided

11:30 a.m.–12:15 p.m. Book Study: *“Liturgy of the Ordinary”*

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