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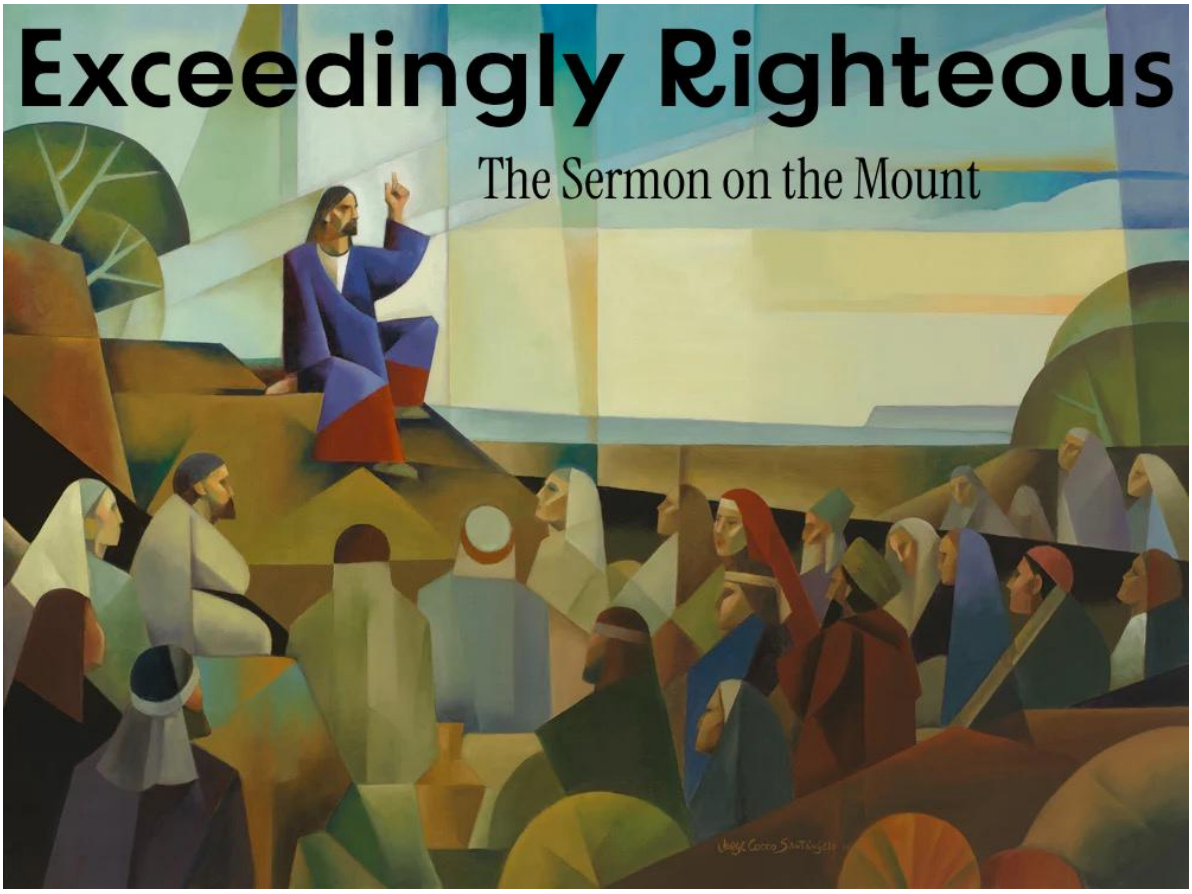

The Ogden Dunes Community Church Mission Statement

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
May 24, 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.

READING: The Holy Spirit Comes at Pentecost (Acts 2:1-4) **Liturgist**

When the day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place.[2] Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind came from heaven and filled the whole house where they were sitting. [3] They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire that separated and came to rest on each of them. [4] All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them.

♦ Please stand if you are able

CHORAL INTROIT #129 *Come, O Spirit, Dwell Among Us*

● Sanctuary Choir

Come, O Spirit, dwell among us, Come with Pentecostal power;
Give the church a stronger vision, Help us face each crucial hour.
Built upon a firm foundation, Jesus Christ, the Cornerstone,
Still the church is called to mission That God's love shall be made known.

♦ CALL TO WORSHIP **Liturgist**

Leader: On the day of Pentecost, the people gathered in Jerusalem to bring an offering of thanksgiving to the Lord.
People: Give thanks to God, for all his gifts!
Leader: The Spirit descended upon Jesus' followers, and they began to speak in tongues.
People: We will lift up our voices and praise God's name!
Leader: The Spirit, source of the first fruits, gives life and is the promise of the life to come.
People: Give thanks to the triune God, for the promise of new life!

♦ HYMN OF PRAISE #562 *Eternal Father, Strong to Save*

CALL TO CONFESSION **Liturgist**

♦ PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison) **Liturgist**

(*Fold your arms together)*
I confess
My natural human posture
Is to spectate, critique, and stand at a distance,
To say, "It's not my problem."
But I choose, as a follower of Jesus
To open up my hands and my life in a posture of mission.
(*Spread arms wide*)
I choose to see others the way you, God, see them
I open my life to the despair of the world
So that I might bring the hope that is mine in Jesus. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON **Pastor**

MINISTRY OF MUSIC *Majesty* — Hayford, Arr. Jack Schrader

● Sanctuary Choir

MOMENT WITH THE CHILDREN

CHILDREN MAY BE DISMISSED TO SUNDAY SCHOOL

Hearing and Responding to God's Word

SCRIPTURE READING **Liturgist**

New Testament**:** Matthew 5:17-20

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.
People: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON *Sermon on the Mount: Exceedingly Righteous*
Rev. Austin Blaszczynski

OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS **Liturgist**

♦ **Offertory** *God Bless America* — Arr. Sue Ambler ● **Men's Ensemble**
♦ **Response:** Doxology
♦ Prayer of Dedication

Leaving to Live out the Word

♦ **HYMN OF SENDING OUT #2117** *Spirit of God* (verses 1-4)

♦ **THE CHARGE AND BLESSING** **Pastor**

♦ **THE CONGREGATIONAL BENEDICTION #128** *On Pentecost They Gathered*

O Spirit, sent from heaven On that day long ago, Rekindle faith among us
In all life's ebb and flow, O give us ears to listen and tongues aflame with praise,
So folk of every nation Glad songs of joy shall raise.

♦ **POSTLUDE** *Hymns of Faith* — Traditional

Assisting Us In Worship Today

Pastor: Rev. Austin Blaszczynski
Liturgist: Mark Lecy
Usher: Deana Lecy
Accompanist: Sharon Shepard
Sound Booth: Amiel Newport

Shoe Drive April 1- May 25th

Thank you to all who have participated in the Shoe Drive to support Every Child's Ministry. We will be sending out our collected items this week, so **Tuesday** is your last day to drop off new or gently used shoes.

Memorial Day

In observation of Memorial Day, the church office will be closed Monday, May 25. We hope you will join us for a Memorial Day service sponsored by the Ogden Dunes Lions Club at Kratz Field at 10:30am. We join in remembering all those who have given their lives in service and protection of our country.

Church Work Day

Spring cleaning is well under way here at Ogden Dunes Community Church and we need your help next Sunday, May 31 from 12-3. Come prepared to help us clean through closets, organize our spaces and get our building ready for an exciting new season of ministry.

Giving Opportunities:

At Ogden Dunes Community Church, generosity is our joy. We give our time, talent, and financial resources to see the gospel move and work in our community and beyond. Your giving changes lives. Thank you. There are multiple ways you can give to support the mission and work of Ogden Dunes Community Church:

1. Cash/Checks: Please place cash or checks in a giving envelope provided and place in the offering plate during the offertory.

2. Online Giving: You can give online by visiting www.ogdenduneschurch.org/give.

3. Qualified Charitable Distributions (QCD) and Stock Gifts: We accept donations from QCDs and Stock gifts. Please contact our church office if you would like assistance setting up these special giving options.

4. Volunteer: Help us continue to help Ogden Dunes and beyond discover the joy of following Jesus. Fill out a connection card and let us know if you would like to serve.

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, Susan Clouser, Derrick, Eugene, Patty Harbaugh, Rebecca Hunt, Sue Klimek and her family, Sarah Hunt Maldonado, Nancy McCarthy, Marcy Mongoven, Jayden Nelson, Cami O'Conner, Nelson and Clara Reiber, Ann and Walter Sampson, Chuck Smothermon, Judy Spornick, Cordie Swanson, 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.

The Week at a Glance

SUNDAY, MAY 24
10:00 a.m. Worship led by Rev. Austin Blaszczynski
Nursery Provided

MONDAY, MAY 25
Memorial Day- Church Office Closed

WEDNESDAY, MAY 27
6:30 p.m. Praise and Prayer
7:00 p.m. Bible Study

THURSDAY, MAY 28
5:15 p.m. Chancel Ringers
7:00 p.m. Sanctuary Choir

SATURDAY, MAY 30
11:00 a.m. Sue Hines Memorial Service and Reception

SUNDAY, MAY 31
10:00 a.m. Worship led by Rev. Austin Blaszczynski
Nursery Provided
12:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Church Cleanup Day

Notes: