

NORTH OAK CHRISTIAN CHURCH-DISCIPLES OF CHRIST

April 11, 2021

Elder-Ramie Beck, Interim Minister-Reverend Brett Winters, Music Director-Jeff Nunn,

CELEBRATION OF GOD'S PRESENCE

Prelude--- Jeff Nunn

Call to Worship--- Ramie Beck

Opening hymn: Alleluia sing to Jesus

**1 Alleluia! sing to Jesus, risen now to reign in love. Alleluia! Praise the Savior;
with the multitudes above. There, the songs of saints and martyrs
thunder like a mighty flood, "Jesus out of every nation
has redeemed us by his blood."**

**2 Alleluia! not as orphans are we left in sorrow now. Alleluia! Christ is near us;
faith believes, nor questions how. Though the cloud from sight received him
when the forty days were o'er, shall our hearts forget the promise,
"I am with you evermore"?**

**3 Alleluia! Bread of Heaven, be on earth our food and stay. Alleluia! here the sinful
flee to you from day to day. Intercessor, friend of sinners, earth's redeemer, plead
for me, where the songs of all the sinless sweep across the crystal sea.**

The Morning Prayer---Ramie Beck

Gospel Reading: [Luke 24:13-35](#)

¹³ Now that same day two of them were going to a village called Emmaus, about seven miles^[a] from Jerusalem. ¹⁴ They were talking with each other about everything that had happened. ¹⁵ As they talked and discussed these things with each other, Jesus himself came up and walked along with them; ¹⁶ but they were kept from recognizing him.

¹⁷ He asked them, "What are you discussing together as you walk along?"

They stood still, their faces downcast. ¹⁸ One of them, named Cleopas, asked him, "Are you the only one visiting Jerusalem who does not know the things that have happened there in these days?"

¹⁹ "What things?" he asked.

“About Jesus of Nazareth,” they replied. “He was a prophet, powerful in word and deed before God and all the people. ²⁰ The chief priests and our rulers handed him over to be sentenced to death, and they crucified him; ²¹ but we had hoped that he was the one who was going to redeem Israel. And what is more, it is the third day since all this took place. ²² In addition, some of our women amazed us. They went to the tomb early this morning ²³ but didn’t find his body. They came and told us that they had seen a vision of angels, who said he was alive. ²⁴ Then some of our companions went to the tomb and found it just as the women had said, but they did not see Jesus.”

²⁵ He said to them, “How foolish you are, and how slow to believe all that the prophets have spoken! ²⁶ Did not the Messiah have to suffer these things and then enter his glory?” ²⁷ And beginning with Moses and all the Prophets, he explained to them what was said in all the Scriptures concerning himself.

²⁸ As they approached the village to which they were going, Jesus continued on as if he were going farther. ²⁹ But they urged him strongly, “Stay with us, for it is nearly evening; the day is almost over.” So he went in to stay with them.

³⁰ When he was at the table with them, he took bread, gave thanks, broke it and began to give it to them. ³¹ Then their eyes were opened and they recognized him, and he disappeared from their sight. ³² They asked each other, “Were not our hearts burning within us while he talked with us on the road and opened the Scriptures to us?”

³³ They got up and returned at once to Jerusalem. There they found the Eleven and those with them, assembled together ³⁴ and saying, “It is true! The Lord has risen and has appeared to Simon.” ³⁵ Then the two told what had happened on the way, and how Jesus was recognized by them when he broke the bread.

Morning Message

“There is Hope”---Rev. Brett Winters

Prayers of the People

Silent personal prayers of thanksgiving, confession, intercession and shared online.

Special Music--- Jeff Nunn

CELEBRATION OF HOLY COMMUNION

(We are Disciples of Christ, a movement for wholeness in a fragmented world. As part of the one body of Christ, we welcome all to the Lord’s Table as God has welcomed us.)

Welcome to the Table---Rev. Brett Winters
The Words of Institution---Rev. Brett Winters
The Communion Prayer- Ramie Beck

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

Invitation to Partake together---Rev. Brett Winters

Partaking of Communion

CELEBRATION OF THE PEOPLE'S RESPONSE

Invitation to discipleship---Rev. Brett Winters

Closing hymn: Closing hymn: Blest be the tie that binds

**1 Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love:
the fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above.**

**2 When we are called to part, it gives us inward pain;
but we shall still be joined in heart, and hope to meet again**

Benediction---Rev. Brett Winters

Postlude---Jeff Nunn

TO OUR GUESTS----WELCOME!

SHAPED BY GOD'S WORD AND GRACED AT CHRIST'S TABLE

WE WALK HUMBLY, LOVE DEEPLY, LIVE SIMPLY, AND SERVE JOYFULLY

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www.nocckc.org www.kcdisciples.org www.disciples.org

OUR LIFE TOGETHER

Summer Camp Dates at Tall Oaks

- Day Camp. Sat, June 22, 9am - 4pm. Pavilion & Vespers. Lunch. (Limited #25 people), \$50*
- CYF Camp: Sun. June 20 - Fri. June 25, \$393*
- Chi Rho Creative: Mon. June 21-Fri. June 25, \$362*
- JR 1: Tue. June 22-Fri. June 25, \$299*
- Grandparents Camp: Fri, July 2 @3PM - Sun, July 4, \$215*
- Eighter's Camp: Mon, July 5 - Sun, July 11, \$477*
- JR 2 Tues, July 6 - Fri, July 9, \$299*
- Day Camp: Sat, July 17, \$50*
- Chi Rho Classic Sun, July 25 - Thu, July 29, \$362*
- Primary Camp: Sun, July 25 - Tue, July 27, \$252*
- Grandparent Camp: Sun, July 25 - Tue, July 27, \$215

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*Fees listed are early bird fees. Add \$50 to registration after May 1st with the exception of day camp, add \$5.