

Welcome to Plymouth Church!

Sunday, April 27, 2025

Welcome & Announcements
Opening Prayer

Nothing But The Blood
Indescribable

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Special Music

Choir

Scripture Memory Challenge Colossians 2:13-14 (ESV)

“And you, who were dead in your trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made alive together with him, having forgiven us all our trespasses, by canceling the record of debt that stood against us with its legal demands. This he set aside, nailing it to the cross.”

Scripture Reading

Matthew 27:45-54; 28:1-7,11-20

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Children’s Church Dismissal

Parents - Please do not let your children head to Children’s Church until they are dismissed. Please take them directly to the appropriate room. Thank you.

For 3rd-5th grade, we encourage you to fill out worship notes, available on the table in the foyer.

Pastoral Prayer

Message

Matthew 27:45-54; 28:1-7,11-20

Pastor Rick Hopkins

“Examining Other Significant Easter Weekend Happenings”

Closing Prayer and Benediction

We are glad you are here to worship the Lord with us today!

Visitors, we invite you to stop at the Welcome Center for more information about Plymouth Church. Please fill out a Visitor Card, turn it in to the Welcome Center, and receive a special gift!

Schedule for This Week (4/27/2025—5/3/2025)

Today	
9:00 a.m.	Worship Service
10:30 a.m.	Sunday School/Discipleship Classes
5:00 p.m.	Visions (High School Youth Ministry)
6:00 p.m.	Evening Service
Monday	
Tuesday	
9:00 a.m.	Ladies’ Bible Study w/ Suzy
9:00 a.m.	Moms’ Bible Study
Wednesday	
6:00 p.m.	AWANA Awards Night
6:00 p.m.	Church Library is Open
6:00 p.m.	Wings (Middle School Youth)
Thursday	
12:00 p.m.	National Day of Prayer @ Oshkosh City Hall
Friday	
6:00 p.m.	College & Career Bible Study
Saturday	
10:00 a.m.	Women’s Book Club

Looking Ahead

April 30 — AWANA Awards Night / VBS Registration Opens
May 1 — 12:00 p.m. — National Day of Prayer @ Oshkosh City Hall
May 4 — 6:00 p.m. — Valley Christian Ringers Concert
May 6 — 6:00 p.m. — Child Protection Training & Recertification
May 9 — 6:30 p.m. — Youth Group Game Night
May 10 — 10:00 a.m.— Adorned Ladies Spring Brunch
May 11 — Mother’s Day “Muffins with Mom”
May 16 & 17 — Belize Mission Trip Fundraiser @ Festival Foods Brat Barn
May 17—Evangelism Seminar w/ Ray Delaurier
May 18 — 5:00 p.m. — Congregational Business Meeting & Potluck
May 31 — 8:00 a.m. — All-Church Spring Cleanup Day
June 16 - 20 — 6:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. — VBS 2025: “Wonder Junction”
June 20 - 28 — Belize Mission Trip

74th Annual National Day of Prayer

This Thursday, May 1, 12:00 p.m.—12:45 p.m. at the Oshkosh City Hall

Valley Christian Ringers Concert

Sunday, May 4 @ 6:00 p.m. at Plymouth Church

Child Protection Training & Certification

Tuesday, May 6 @ 6:00 p.m.

Please be sure to attend this session if you plan to serve in VBS or any other ministry involving minors this summer, or if you need to re-certify! A sign-up sheet is posted in the hallway.

Get Connected

Discipleship Classes

There are classes during our 10:30am hour for all ages. Please see list below.

Family Check-In - All children must be checked in at our **Family Check-In desk** prior to attending any children’s ministries. Please see one of our volunteers at the desk in the foyer.

Nursery - Our nursery is available for 0-3 year olds during the morning service and Sunday school. (Room 237)

Children’s Church - Midway through the worship service.

Age 3 - 2nd Grade may be taken by their parents to Room 232

3rd - 5th Grade can fill out worship notes - found on the literature table.

Family Room (Room 113)

If your nursery age child is unable to be in the sanctuary or nursery, please feel free to stay with them in the Family Room, which has a live feed of the worship service.

College & Career Bible Study—meets every other Friday at 6pm

Adult Bible Studies/Small Groups

Wednesday evening at 6:00 pm — Led by Pastor Rick
Meeting at Glen Park Apartments (contact Pastor Rick for more information)

Tuesday morning at 9:00 am — Led by Suzy Wasmuth
“Heaven Rules” — Meeting in Room 126

Every other Tuesday morning at 9:00 am — Moms’ Group
“Taste and See” — Meeting in the Conference Room

2nd & 4th Tuesday evening at 7:00 pm — Led by Kristen Anklam
“Benefitting from Life’s Trials” — Meeting in Room 124

Please contact a Pastor or call the church office
at (920) 231-8231 for more information on any of these opportunities!

Adult Discipleship Classes

Study of the Book of Daniel

Led by Gary Jepson - meet in Room 126

Biblical Doctrine - Study of Systematic Theology

Led by Pastor Brian - meet in Room 127

Adult Class

Led by Pastor Rick - meet in Room 228

Growing in Grace and Truth Ministries (Children’s Sunday School)

3 years - 4K - Room 232

Kindergarten and 1st Grade - Room 114

2nd and 3rd Grade - Room 105

4th and 5th Grade - Room 107

Middle & High School - Room 124

Adorned Ladies Spring Brunch

Sunday, May 10 @ 10:00 a.m.

Ladies of all ages are invited to a morning of music, testimonies, teaching from God's Word, fun activities, and encouragement! Please invite your friends, sign up to attend in the office hallway, and bring a Bible verse that has encouraged you recently! A \$2/person donation is suggested.



Scholarship Applications for Summer Camps

Now available in the office and "LLBC Scholarship" mailbox. Please return to Linda Carder by Sunday, May 11.

Congregational Meeting & Potluck

Sunday, May 18: Potluck @ 5:00 p.m. ~ Meeting @ 6:00 p.m.

All Plymouth Church members are encouraged to attend. A sign-up sheet for the potluck in the office hallway. We ask that food to share is delivered by 4:45 pm.

The proposed budget is posted in the office hallway. Please review the budget and bring any concerns or questions to the Trustees.

Opportunities

Elected/Appointed Positions ~ Plymouth Church has openings in the positions of Clerk and Financial Secretary. If you are a member and interested in either of these positions, please contact Dan Patterson.

CPR/AED Training ~ If you are interested in joining us for a CPR and AED training and certification course in the near future, please let the office know! We will need an estimate of participants before a date can be arranged.

Baptisms ~ If you are interested in getting baptized, please contact the church office or one of our pastors!
We are planning to conduct baptisms on **Sunday, June 8.**

To share a prayer request or praise on the Prayer Chain, please call or email the church office during our office hours.
For any **urgent requests** outside of office hours, please contact a pastor.

Weekly Tithes & Offerings

Fund	4/20/25 Offering
General -- Needed Weekly: \$7,895.78	\$5,563.50
Parking Lot Fund	\$0.00
Flooring (ongoing)	\$0.00
Needed Year to Date: \$94,749.36	\$80,696.15

Elder Flocks

A through Bo	- call Dustin Arthur	920-698-6048
Bp through E	- call Joel Cook -	920-589-4014
F through H	- call Don Bradley -	920-312-0638
I through L	- call Jim Woller -	920-517-6960
M through Q	- call Kurt Shafer -	920-420-9070
R through So	- call Dan Patterson -	920-410-3245
Sp through Z	- call Steve Anklaam -	920-470-5114

Nursery Workers Today: Monitor: Candace Leach
9:00: Candace Leach, Pat Engler

Nursery Workers Next Week: Monitor: Kendra Arthur
9:00: Kendra Arthur, Michelle Vincent
10:30: Kendra Arthur, Eileen Poeschl

Greeter Today: Deb Cook
Greeter Next Week: Robin Thayer

Child Check-In Lead Today: Carly Matias
Child Check-In Lead Next Week: Leah Patterson

Children's Church Teacher Today: Jessica Bradley
Children's Church Helpers Today: Leah P., Anna R.
Children's Church Teacher Next Week: Amanda Woller
Children's Church Helpers Next Week: Julie S., Nolan V.

Sound/Projection Today: Christopher Jepson, Erich Graves
Sound/Projection Next Week: Nathan Schroeder, Erich Graves



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And behold
I am with you
always
to the end
of the age

MATTHEW 28:20

All-Church Spring Clean-Up Day

Saturday, May 31 @ 8:00 a.m.

Many hands make light work! There will be jobs for everyone!
A sign up sheet and task list will be posted in the hallway soon.

Belize Mission Trip 2025 Fundraisers

Donation Boards — Located in the education wing hallway

Festival Foods Brat Barns — May 16-17 @ 11:00am — 6:00pm

OshPop Popcorn Sale — Through April 30

Culver's on Westowne Ave — May 13 @ 4:00 — 7:00pm

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Online Auction — Donations needed! More info to come.

*Please check the bulletin board for details and order forms for
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Online registration opens this Wednesday, April 30

We need more volunteers to make this special week possible!

If you are interested in serving at VBS, please contact Linda Carder.



Graduate Information Needed

If you have a student graduating from High School,
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When: At 12 noon to 12:45 on Thursday, May 1, 2025

Where: At the Oshkosh City Hall, 215 Church Avenue, around the flagpole by the front entrance.

Why: The first Thursday of May every year has been designated by an act of Congress to be a National Day of Prayer. Prayer brings people together. Prayer builds bridges between opposing persons and even political parties. Prayer reminds us that we are created in God's image and He desires for us to represent Him everywhere we go. Prayer brings UNITY.

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“Now may the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that you will abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.”

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Verse 1

What can wash away my sin
Nothing but the blood of Jesus
What can make me whole again
Nothing but the blood of Jesus

Chorus

O precious is the flow
That makes me white as snow
No other fount I know
Nothing but the blood of Jesus

Verse 2

For my pardon this I see
Nothing but the blood of Jesus
For my cleansing this my plea
Nothing but the blood of Jesus

Chorus

Verse 3

Nothing can for sin atone
Nothing but the blood of Jesus
Naught of good that I have done
Nothing but the blood of Jesus

Chorus

Verse 4

This is all my hope and peace
Nothing but the blood of Jesus
This is all my righteousness
Nothing but the blood of Jesus

Chorus (x2)

Indescribable

Verse 1

From the highest of heights to the depths of the sea
Creation's revealing Your majesty
From the colors of Fall to the fragrance of Spring
Ev'ry creature unique in the song that it sings
All exclaiming

Chorus 1

Indescribable uncontainable
You placed the stars in the sky
And You know them by name
You are amazing God
All powerful untamable
Awestruck we fall to our knees
As we humbly proclaim
You are amazing God

Verse 2

Who has told every lightning bolt where it should go
Or seen heavenly storehouses laden with snow
Who imagined the sun and gives source to its light
Yet conceals it to bring us the coolness of night
None can fathom

Chorus 1

Chorus 2

Indescribable uncontainable
You placed the stars in the sky
And You know them by name
You are amazing God
Incomparable unchangeable
You see the depths of my heart
And You love me the same
You are amazing God

Ending

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He Will Hold Me Fast

Verse 1

When I fear my faith will fail
Christ will hold me fast
When the tempter would prevail
He will hold me fast
I could never keep my hold
Through life's fearful path
For my love is often cold
He must hold me fast

Chorus

He will hold me fast
He will hold me fast
For my Savior loves me so
He will hold me fast

Verse 2

Those He saves are His delight
Christ will hold me fast
Precious in His holy sight
He will hold me fast
He'll not let my soul be lost
His Promises shall last
Bought by Him at such a cost
He will hold me fast

Chorus

Verse 3

For my life He bled and died
Christ will hold me fast
Justice has been satisfied
He will hold me fast
Raised with Him to endless life
He will hold me fast
Till our faith is turned to sight
When He comes at last

Chorus (x2)

Amazing Grace

Verse 1

Amazing grace how sweet the sound
That saved a wretch like me
I once was lost but now am found
Was blind but now I see

Verse 2

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear
And grace my fears relieved
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believed

Verse 3

The Lord has promised good to me
His Word my hope secures
He will my shield and portion be
As long as life endures

Verse 4

Through many dangers toils and snares
I have already come
'Tis grace hath brought me safe thus far
And grace will lead me home

Verse 5

When we've been there ten thousand years
Bright shining as the sun
We've no less days to sing God's praise
Than when we first begun