

The Oaks Community Church
Worship Guide



June 14, 2026

I. A Call to Worship

Let everything that has breath praise the LORD. Praise the LORD.

Psalm 150:6 (NIV)

II. Family Confession & Greeting

Soul Care Principle #3

Repentance restores intimacy with God and opens the door to spiritual renewal

If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness. I John 1:9

III. Worshipping God through Our Offerings

All these things have come from you. Everything belongs to you. My God, I know that you test people, and that you are happy when people do what is right. I gladly give you all these things with a pure, honest heart. I see your people gathered here, and I see that they are happy about giving these things to you. I Chronicles 29:16,17 (ERV)



IV.

Repentance: Getting & Keeping a Clean Soul

I John 1:5-10

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1 John 1:5-10

⁵ This is the message we have heard from him and declare to you: God is light; in him there is no darkness at all. ⁶ If we claim to have fellowship with him and yet walk in the darkness, we lie and do not live out the truth. ⁷ But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus, his Son, purifies us from all sin. ⁸ If we claim to be without sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. ⁹ If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness. ¹⁰ If we claim we have not sinned, we make him out to be a liar and his word is not in us.

Background & Main Points

1. God Is Light

1 John 1:5

"This is the message we have heard from him and declare to you: God is light; in him there is no darkness at all."

2. Walk in the Light

1 John 1:7

"But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus, his Son, purifies us from all sin."

3. Confess What the Light Reveals

1 John 1:9

"If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness."

What Is Repentance?

Repentance means:

- To turn or to change direction
 - To return to God
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Three Types of Repentance

1. Conversion Repentance

- a. Turning from self-rule to Jesus.

2. Lifestyle Repentance

- a. Allowing God to transform us over time.

3. Daily Repentance

- a. Keeping short accounts with God.
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Repentance is Spiritual Exercise & helps us be victorious in Spiritual Warfare

James 5:16

"Therefore confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed."

Matthew 6:12

"And forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors."

Prayer of Examen

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