

The Oaks Community Church
Worship Guide



June 2, 2024

I. Worship, Praise, & Thanksgiving

Come, let us sing to the LORD! Let us shout joyfully to the Rock of our salvation. Let us come to him with thanksgiving. Let us sing psalms of praise to him. For the LORD is a great God, a great King above all gods. Psalms 95:1-3 (NLT)

II. Family Confession & Greeting

Seven Promises About The Gift Of Salvation
Promise #1

The Gift of Salvation is
free and available for all who accept it.

“For God so loved the world, that He gave His only Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life. John 3:16

“For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast.” Ephesians 2:8, 9

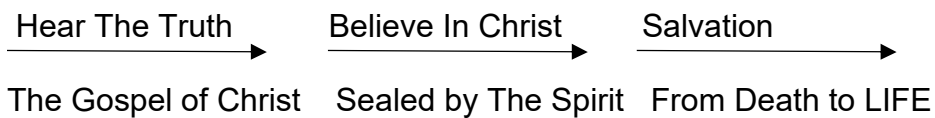


I. “The Seal & Deposit of The Spirit”
Ephesians 1:13, 14
Pastor Gary Barber

Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in the heavenly realms with every spiritual blessing in Christ. Ephesians 1:3 (NIV)

And you also were included in Christ when you heard the message of truth, the gospel of your salvation. When you believed, you were marked in Him with a seal, the promised Holy Spirit. Ephesians 1:13 (NIV)

❖ The Process of Salvation



And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, with whom you were sealed for the day of redemption.
Ephesians 4:30 (NIV)

➤ Sealed and Safe – John 10:28-30

Who is a deposit guaranteeing our inheritance until the redemption of those who are God's possession—
to the praise of His glory. Ephesians 1:14 (NIV)

➤ The “ARRABON” of the Spirit



Seal: The Truth-filled nature of the Spirit who authenticates our legitimacy as God's children and confirms His ownership of us.



Earnest (Deposit): The revelatory nature of the Spirit who gives us a foretaste of heaven and discloses to us the glories of Christ.

“In Christ” = union & communion with Christ forever.

- Family Communion

“For I [Paul] received from the Lord what I also handed on to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took a loaf of bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, ‘This is my body that is for you. Do this in remembrance of me.’ In the same way he also took the cup after supper, saying, ‘This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.’ For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.”

I Corinthians 11:23-26

IV. Worshipping God through Our Offerings

Stewardship Principle #4

In addition to God's tithe,
we give offerings to spread Christ's Gospel.

As you know, you Philippians were the only ones who gave me financial help when I first brought you the Good News and then traveled on from Macedonia. No other church did this.... And this same God who takes care of me will supply all your needs from His glorious riches, which have been given to us in Christ Jesus. Philippians 4:15, 19 (NLT)

4Ways to Give:

1. Online at www.theoaksweb.com or download our app (The Oaks Bakersfield)
2. Mail Check/Drop Off Cash to: 10200 Campus Park Drive, Bakersfield, CA 93311
3. In person through the worship service offering or using the offering boxes
4. At the mobile giving station in the back of the Sanctuary

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Text us to let us know that you are here today or with any prayer request that you have: 661-241-3408