

ORDER OF WORSHIP
Ninth Sunday after Pentecost
July 22, 2018

Gathering

As the congregation gathers, please take a moment to speak to people sitting around you whom you may not know. Hebrews 13:2 (KJV) says, "Be not forgetful to entertain strangers; for thereby some have entertained angels unaware."

Prelude

Holly Slice, pianist

As the prelude begins let us turn our thoughts and hearts to God in prayer and preparation for worship.

*He is Lord, he is Lord!
He is risen from the dead and he is Lord!
Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess
that Jesus Christ is Lord.*

Greeting

*** Opening Hymn**

UM Hymnal, No. 158

Come, Christian's, Join to Sing

*** Psalter ~ Psalm 2:7-12**

"I will declare the decree: The LORD has said to Me,
'You are My Son, Today I have begotten You.

Ask of Me, and I will give You

The nations for Your inheritance,

And the ends of the earth for Your possession.

You shall break them with a rod of iron;

You shall dash them to pieces like a potter's vessel.' "

Now therefore, be wise, O kings;

Be instructed, you judges of the earth.

Serve the LORD with fear, And rejoice with trembling.

Kiss the Son, lest He be angry, And you perish in the way,

When His wrath is kindled but a little.

Blessed are all those who put their trust in Him.

*** Gloria Patri, UM Hymnal, No. 70**

Meineke

Pastoral Prayer

Minister: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Minister: Let us pray.

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 trespasses,

as we forgive those who trespass 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.*

The Offertory

Presentation of Tithes, Gifts & Offerings

*** Doxology**

UM Hymnal, No. 95

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

praise him, all creatures here below;

praise him above, ye heavenly host;

praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

The Scripture Lesson

Psalm 2:7-12

Minister: The word of God for the people of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

"God Wins BIG!" (Part 2)

Rev. Scott Adams

Hymn of Dedication

UM Hymnal, No. 715

Rejoice, the Lord Is King

*** Benediction**

*** Postlude**

* Please stand

The Altar flowers today are given to the Glory of God.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Technical Ministries Work-Day

There will be a Technical Ministries Work-Day on Saturday, July 28 beginning at 8:30 AM. You don't need technical experience to help just a willingness to assist. There is plenty to do and the more that help the more we can get completed. If you have any questions please email techsupport@bethany-umc.com.

Donations for Hands of Christ School-Supply Ministry

The Hands of Christ school supply ministry needs your donations! This ministry provides schools supplies to children in several Dorchester District 2 and a couple of Dorchester District 4 schools, including Williams Memorial Elementary and Harleyville-Ridgeville Elementary. Please have supplies to the church no later than **Sunday, July 29**. If you are unable to purchase supplies a monetary donation is always appreciated. For a full list of items to be donated, please see the Bethany Beacon or the shopping cart where items are being collected down by the wooden stair case.

Family Choir

Join us for Family Choir August 5, 12 and 19 at the 11:15 service. Come as you are. All ages invited!

Save the Date- Bethany Autumn Tea Room

Mark your calendars and save the date for The Bethany Autumn Tea Room. Monday-Friday Oct. 1-5 and Oct. 8-12. This year we will have new additions and enhanced flavors to our menu & event.

We Want YOUR Favorite Recipe!

We are in search of savory, mealtime recipes for the Tea Room Recipe Book that is being created. Please submit your favorite recipe by Aug. 1 to czukowski@bethany-umc.com.

Loving Hands

Loving Hands is one of Bethany's many Care Teams that reaches out to members of our congregation in a time of need. Lots of helping hands are required for this ministry to prepare and serve a meal for the family and friends who have lost a loved one. We need additional people to volunteer to prepare a food dish that would serve twelve persons. The time commitment would be three to four times a year. We are looking for men and women who have a special compassion for people. The capacity to care is the gift needed in those who step forward for this ministry. So if God is calling you to be part of Loving Hands, my prayer is you respond. In doing so, you will grow in your walk with God. Please call 843.821.4750 to learn more.



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