

June 16, 2019
ORDER OF WORSHIP
Trinity Sunday/Father's Day

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, Pg. 144

This Is My Father's World

*** Responsive Reading ~ Psalm 8:1-2**

O Lord, our Lord,
how majestic is your name in all the earth!
Your glory is chanted above the heavens
by the mouth of babes and infants:
**your have set up a defense against your foes,
to still the enemy and the avenger.**

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

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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.*

Offertory

God Is All You Need
Spell Chapel Ensemble

Mary MacDonald

Presentation of Tithes, Gifts & Offerings

*** Doxology**

UM Hymnal, Pg. 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

Ephesians 4:32

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

People: *Thanks be to God.*

Sermon "Hostage Taker or Freedom Giver"

Rev. Mark Barnes

*** Hymn of Dedication**

UM Hymnal, Pg. 99

To God Be the Glory

*** Benediction**

*** Postlude**

*** Please stand**

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



ANNOUNCEMENTS

VBS 2019- Journey to Mars!

VBS is June 17-21. Registration is closed. Colors of the day are:

Monday - Red

Tuesday - Orange

Wednesday - Green

Thursday - Blue

Friday - Purple

Please consider bringing an appetizer, snack or 2 liter soda to our volunteer table. Volunteers get a short break in the day to get refreshments. This a great way to support all our volunteers.

Salkehatchie Summer Service

This summer, (June 22-29) Bethany will be buzzing with the sounds of 100 youth and adults! Marty Gunter and a team of adults will be heading up the Salkehatchie Summer Service at Bethany. This mission will be helping 9 homes and families in the area become warmer, safer and dryer within a weeks time. Marty and all that are attending ask for prayers for work safety, as well as wonderful weather for all the campers.

If you would like to make a contribution, the camp would love gift cards to home improvement or hardware stores. Monetary donations can also be brought to the church business office. If you would like further information on Salkehatchie you can find it at www.Salkehatchie.org.

Calling All Men...

We need **YOU** to join the Men's Choir for our Annual Patriotic Sunday during worship services on June 30! Join us for rehearsal **TODAY** in the Sanctuary immediately following the 8:45 service. Contact vbulloock@bethany-umc.com with questions.

Stephen Ministry

If you are hurting, in need of a hand to hold on to or talk thru an issue or problem we are a Stephen Ministry Church and have Stephen Ministers ready to be with you. Contact Denis Tsukalas 843.871.0381 or Mary Kay Wrenn 843.323.2130 or 843.821.3123.

Sunday School Teachers Needed

We are in the process of securing teachers for our children's Sunday school classes for 2019-20. As a teacher, you are able to fill our young people with the joy and love that Jesus has for them. It is as much a blessing for you, as for the children. Please prayerfully consider helping out in this most important ministry. There are two teams of teachers per grade level, and they teach on a rotating schedule. All lessons and materials are provided, so preparation time is minimal. Please contact Emily Vick (evick@bethany-umc.com) or Stephanie Mitchum (smitchum@bethany-umc.com) if you are interested in helping out.



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