

ORDER OF WORSHIP

June 6, 2021
Second Sunday after Pentecost

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

Welcome to Worship

Greeting

*Opening Hymn

UM Hymnal No. 410

I Want a Principle Within

*The Responsive Reading ~ Psalm 124

UM Hymnal Pg. 846

1 If it had not been the Lord who was on our side
—let Israel now say—

2 if it had not been the Lord who was on our side,
when our enemies attacked us,

3 then they would have swallowed us up alive,
when their anger was kindled against us;

4 then the flood would have swept us away,
the torrent would have gone over us;

5 then over us would have gone
the raging waters.

6 Blessed be the Lord,
who has not given us
as prey to their teeth.

7 We have escaped like a bird
from the snare of the fowlers;
the snare is broken,
and we have escaped.

8 Our help is in the name of the Lord,
who made heaven and earth.

*Gloria Patri

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.*

Presentation of Tithes, Gifts and 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

Mark 3:19b-35

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

People: *Thanks be to God.*

Sermon

"Home"

Rev. Narcie Jeter

Sacrament of Holy Communion

*Hymn of Dedication

UM Hymnal No. 620

One Bread, One Body

*Benediction

*Postlude

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome Desk

Greeting people and being available to offer information are key to creating a welcoming environment. To help with this, we are looking for people to help out on Sunday mornings at the Welcome Desk downstairs. Volunteers will be there from 9:45–11:15 on Sundays and serve as a liaison to visitors to Bethany. This is on a rotating basis through the summer, and we will make sure that you have all of the information you need to answer any questions. If you would like to help with this, please contact Emily Vick at evick@bethany-umc.com or 843.873.1230. Please consider being part of this ministry to those who are new to Bethany.

Vacation Bible School

VBS registration is now open to the Summerville Community. Spaces are limited. Registration can be found at www.bethany-umc.com.

Thank you so much for all of the donations for VBS. We have received all of the paper towel tubes and streamers needed. We are still in need of rolls of silver duct tape, rectangle plastic tablecloths in dark purple, royal blue & metallic gold, bottle caps and plastic food containers with lids. Donations can be dropped off at the VBS display at the foot of the staircase or in the Children's Ministries office. We will also need snacks for volunteers the week of VBS so be on the lookout for more information on this.

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.

New Wi-fi Password

If you would like to connect to Wi-Fi while on church property, please use the guest connection and password **bethanywelcome**.

Text to Give Option

It's easier than ever to give now! Simply text: [bethanyumc](tel:843.245.8417) to 833.245.8417. This is a safe and convenient way to give!

George Keifer Memorial Scholarship

The Keifer family would like to congratulate Sarah Dominianni and Ellie Rodgers on being the second recipients of the George Keifer Memorial Scholarship.



***Bethany United Methodist Church
Spell Chapel ~ 8 o'clock a.m.***

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