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10:30 AM

WORSHIP

January 25, 2015

WELCOME

Pastor Lynch

CALL TO WORSHIP

Helen Lutz

*PRAISE HYMN

“O Worship the King”

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*INVOCATION

Unison

“O Lord, we come this morning like empty cups to a full fountain.
Here are our cups, fill them up, and make us whole. Amen”

*HYMN

“Fill My Cup, Lord”

180

SPECIAL MUSIC

“Nearer My God to Thee”

Casey Funck
Samantha Patrick

MORNING PRAYER

Pastor Lynch

THE OFFERTORY

Helen Lutz

Presentation of God’s Tithe

*The Doxology

*Dedication Prayer

*PREPARATION HYMN

“He Touched Me”

Insert

SCRIPTURE

Acts 16:6-10

Don Brubaker

MESSAGE

Students in the School of Prayer
“What About Unanswered Prayer?”

Pastor Lynch

*COMMITMENT HYMN

“Have Thine Own Way, Lord”

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*BENEDICTION

Unison

“Heavenly Father, grant us pure hearts, that we may see thee. Humble hearts that we may hear thee. And hearts full of love, that we may serve thee. Amen.”

*POSTLUDE

Helen Lutz

**We stand to honor Jesus Christ.*

Good morning and welcome to Bethany where God's word is honored, taught and proclaimed. Our mission is to glorify God by making-maturing-mobilizing enthusiastic disciples for Jesus Christ. Please sign the blue attendance pad and pass it along.

Infant care and a toddler class are held downstairs during worship and Sunday School.

Units for the hearing-impaired are available. Please speak with an usher for assistance.

CD's of today's service are available for \$2.00. Please contact Karen in the church office.

Our extended Sunday School for children is called Kid Zone. Those up to sixth grade are welcome to go downstairs to Kid Zone or remain in the sanctuary for worship.

Serving today: **Sound System:** Barry Smith, **Acolyte:** Braden Dibeler, **Ushers:** Tim and Barb Laraia, Richard and Sue Lasher, **Organist:** Helen Lutz.

Prayer request cards are in the pew rack. Please place them in the offering plate knowing that Pastor Lynch and the Bethany prayer chain will pray over your joys and concerns. If you would like to activate the Bethany prayer chain please call Vicki Smith at 838-5665.

Prayer joys/concerns: 1) Healing mercies for Janet Lilly, Paul Finney, Evelyn Powell, Annette Floyd, Wendy Kling, Greg Barkhouer, Joyce Wherley, Karen Leicht. 2) Our servicemen, and prisoners of war. 3) For Sunday School teachers and church musicians. 4) Those who labor outside in this winter weather. 5) Birthday blessings to Alyce Laraia tomorrow.

Our homebound person of the week is Ethel Funck at Spangcrest, Lebanon. Please pray for Ethel and sign the card in the rear of the sanctuary.

Sub and pretzel sandwich orders may be picked up this Thursday from 11-12 in the social hall.

**Souper Sunday
February 1**

**10:30 Worship will feature a radio broadcast of
“The Game of Life” by Pastor Lynch.**

Please bring containers of soup for the Caring Cupboard.

Wear your favorite team jersey or colors.

Enjoy a souper lunch downstairs following worship.

Make your super bowl score prediction.

**A special prize to the winner will be presented
the following Sunday.**

