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10:30 AM

WORSHIP

March 29, 2015

WELCOME

Pastor Lynch

CALL TO WORSHIP

“Psalm 24:7-10”

Congregation

Pastor: Lift up your heads, O gates! And be lifted up, O ancient doors!

People: *That the King of glory may come in.*

Pastor: Who is the King of glory?

People: *The Lord, strong and mighty, the Lord, mighty in battle!*

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Pastor: Who is the King of glory?

People: *The Lord of Hosts, He is the King of glory!*

\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN

“All Glory, Laud and Honor”

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\*INVOCATION

“Eternal God, today we keep the special  
memory of our Redeemer’s entry into Jerusalem.  
Grant, we pray, that Christ will always rule  
as Lord and Savior of our lives. May the King of glory  
enter into our worship and our hearts, as we welcome  
Him with glory, laud and honor. Amen.”

Unison

DUET

“Indescribable”

Bethany and  
Christopher Oleyniczak

MORNING PRAYER

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer

Pastor Lynch

Congregation

THE OFFERTORY

“Open the Gates of the Temple”

Presentation of God’s Tithe

\*The Doxology

\*Dedication Prayer

Audrey Scipioni

Helen Lutz

*PREPARATION HYMN	“Tell Me the Stories of Jesus”	Insert
SCRIPTURE	Luke 19:29-40	Ed Kaylor
MESSAGE	“The Colt That Carried a King”	Pastor Lynch
*COMMITMENT HYMN	“Hosanna, Loud Hosanna”	Insert
*BENEDICTION		Pastor Lynch
*POSTLUDE		Audrey Scipioni

*\*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. You can also listen to the service through the church’s web site [bethanyumcpalmyra.org](http://bethanyumcpalmyra.org).

The altar flowers are given to the glory of God by Cindy and Rick Anspach in celebration of birthdays of her mother Selma, her husband Rick, daughter Nannette, granddaughter Madison, her father Dale and son-in-law Joe.

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:** Michelle Patrick, **Ushers:** Lewis and Roberta Brough, Richard and Sue Lasher, **Organist:** Audrey Scipioni, **Piano:** Helen Lutz, **Refreshments:** Cindy Anspach.

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) Praise the Lord for musical gifts of our congregation. 2) Healing mercies for Evelyn Powell, Lew Brough, Sue Lasher, Wendy Kling, Kyle Chapin, Matt and Kat Hayes. 3) Our soldiers, sailors, airmen and marines. 4) For a thoughtful and inspirational Holy Week.

Our special person of the week is Eric Miller, living in Denver, Colorado. Please pray for Eric and sign the card in the rear of the sanctuary.

Holy Thursday Communion will be celebrated at 7:00 on April 2. A fellowship meal will be provided at 6:00. You are invited to bring a dessert to share.

A Good Friday tenebrae service will be held this Friday at the Mountville United Methodist Church at 7:00. Take Route 72 north of Lebanon, about a mile beyond Heisey’s Diner turn left at church sign, then right, and church is a quarter mile ahead on Mountville Drive.

Breakfast with the Easter Bunny! Come and enjoy a free breakfast at Bethany and have a picture of your children taken with the Easter Bunny on Saturday April 4, from 9-11. Donations benefit the Children’s Lunch Program at the Caring Cupboard. If you would like to help serve or donate food, please see the sign up sheet in the Gathering Room.

Next Sunday is Easter Day! We look forward to an Easter Choir, Bob Lemon on trumpet, and our Garden of Easter flowers. Pastor Lynch will bring the message, “Crucified Jesus Reported to be Alive!” from Matthew 28:1-10.

April Newsletters may be read online at [bethanyumcpalmyra.org](http://bethanyumcpalmyra.org) and printed copies are available at the information table.

A Community Blood Drive will be held on Saturday April 11 from 8-11 at the Evangelical Congregational Church on Main Street.

SERVING CHRIST AND OUR CONGREGATION

ORGANIST: <i>Helen Lutz</i>	LAY LEADER: <i>Steve Scipioni</i>
ASST. ORGANIST: <i>Audrey Scipioni</i>	SUNBEAM CHOIR: <i>Bethany Oleyniczak</i>
NURSERY CARE: <i>Vicki Smith</i>	ADMIN. COUNCIL: <i>Cindy Anspach</i>
CHILDREN’S MINISTRY: <i>Selma Patrick</i>	CHURCH SECRETARY: <i>Karen Neidigh</i>
TRUSTEE CHAIR: <i>Don Brubaker</i>	CUSTODIAN: <i>Beverly Bell</i>
SUPERINTENDANT: <i>Gary Nicholson</i>	PASTOR: <i>John Lynch (298-1308)</i>
MISSIONARIES: <i>Carrie Callahan, China and Rachel Nicholson, Germany</i>	