

September/October Upper Room and the Living Bread daily devotional booklets are available at the information table and at the rear of the sanctuary. Please take one for yourself and one for a friend.

Sub and pretzel sandwich orders for September may be made at the information table. Orders need be in by Wednesday September 21 and pick up is Thursday September 29 from 11-12. Proceeds benefit Bethany Church.

Bethany yoga is on a summer break. We will start up again on Thursday September 15. Be well and breathe! ~ Wendy Smith

Interested in becoming a member of Bethany? New members will be welcomed on Sunday September 25. Please speak with Pastor Lynch.

Lieutenant Luke and Jessica Scipioni are now stationed in Hawaii, serving in the United States Army. His address is 3471 Taylor Street, Honolulu, HI 96818.

The church office will be open this week on Tuesday and Thursday from 8-10.

Next Sunday marks the 15th anniversary of 9/11. Special music will be offered by Allison Deimler, Samantha and Michelle Patrick. Pastor Lynch will preach.



PRAYER MEETING FOR AMERICA.
EVERY TUESDAY IN THE CHAPEL
6:30-7:00.

“IF MY PEOPLE WILL PRAY AND SEEK MY
FACE, I WILL HEAL THEIR LAND.”

SERVING CHRIST AND OUR CONGREGATION

ORGANIST: *Audrey Scipioni*

NURSERY CARE: *Vicki Smith*

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY: *Selma Patrick*

TRUSTEES: *Don Brubaker, Ed Kaylor*

TREASURER: *Diane Miller*

DISTRICT SUPERINTENDANT: *Joe Tyson*

LAY LEADER: *Steve Scipioni*

SUNBEAM CHOIR: *Samantha Patrick*

ADMIN. COUNCIL: *Cindy Anspach*

CHURCH SECRETARY: *Karen Neidigh*

CUSTODIAN: *Beverly Bell*

PASTOR: *John Lynch (298-1308)*



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10:00 AM

WORSHIP

September 4, 2016

September Memory Verse

“Do unto others as you would
have others do unto you.”
~ Luke 6:31

WELCOME

Pastor Lynch

*PRAISE HYMN

“More About Jesus”

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*INVOCATION

“Almighty God, open our lips and purify our hearts,
that we might lift up your holy and wonderful name.
Help us to be reverent in our thoughts, words and
actions, so that our worship will be pleasing in your
sight, through Christ our Lord. Amen.”

Unison

*CHORUS

“His Name Is Wonderful”
“There’s Something About That Name”

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MORNING PRAYER

Pastoral Prayer
The Lord’s Prayer

Pastor Lynch
Congregation

THE OFFERTORY

Presentation of God’s Tithe
*The Doxology
*Dedication Prayer

Audrey Scipioni

*PREPARATION HYMN

“The Bond of Love”

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SCRIPTURE

Luke 6:31-38

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MESSAGE

“Go for the Gold”

Pastor Lynch

*COMMITMENT HYMN

“Victory in Jesus”

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*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.

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: Ushers: Karen and David Finney, Lois and Lloyd Grumbein, Sound System: Barry Smith, Acolyte: Allison Deimler

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 Selma Patrick at 838-3155.

Prayer joys/concerns: 1) Healing mercies for Vicki Smith, Lew Brough (rehab at Masonic Home, Elizabethtown), Don Brubaker, Ashley Commisong. 2) Our sailors, soldiers, airmen and marines and their families. 3) Spiritual and moral renewal in America. 4) Students and faculties beginning a new school year. 5) Families dealing with addictions.

Our homebound person of the week is Betty Schaffner at Twin Oakes, Campbelltown. Please pray for Betty and sign the card in the rear of the sanctuary.

Next Sunday is a Caring Cupboard Sunday. Please bring in food and personal care items for the Palmyra Caring Cupboard.