

Dear Bethany family, Thank you so much for the meaningful booklet and the financial gift! I am grateful for your support! ~ Clarissa Smith, Class of 2017

Rev. Bill McNeil, pastor of the Campbelltown UMC is on pastoral call this Thursday June 22 through Friday June 30 at 274-8819. Our new pastor, Jared Stoltzfus begins his ministry with us on July 1, with Sunday July 2 being his first day in the pulpit.

Tonight at the Mt. Gretna tabernacle the Andy Roberts Jazz Quartet play spiritual jazz at 7:00.

Next Sunday Rev. Rick Conrad serves as our preacher. Lay Leader Ed Kaylor will guide our worship.

Bible School items needed: Please take a paper from the basket at the information table and bring the needed items in the bless our children. Thank you. ~ Vicki Smith

HERE YE! HERE YE!

Calling all children from ages 3 years to 5th grade to join us for Vacation Bible School. The theme is "Mighty Fortress, In Jesus The Victory Is Won." The date is July 10th to 14th from 6-8 pm. The closing program is to be held on Sunday July 16th at our regular 10 am service. You can pre-register by contacting Vicki Smith at 838-5665.

We look forward to seeing you and your friends for fun, bible stories, crafts, music, games and more. Thanks, Vicki Smith.

A summer yoga session will begin here at Bethany on Thursday July 13 and conclude on Thursday August 31. We meet from 7-8:15 in the social hall. The class will be a slow flow style and all ages and abilities are welcome. ~ Wendy Smith

SERVING CHRIST AND OUR CONGREGATION

ORGANIST: *Audrey Scipioni*

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY: *Vicki Smith*

TRUSTEES: *Don Brubaker*

TREASURER: *Diane Miller*

LAY LEADER: *Ed Kaylor*

MISSIONARY: *Rachel Nicholson, Germany*

SUNBEAM CHOIR: *Samantha Patrick*

ADMIN. COUNCIL: *Cindy Anspach*

CHURCH SECRETARY: *Karen Neidigh*

CUSTODIAN: *Beverly Bell*

STAFF PARISH: *Paul Leicht*

PASTOR: *John Lynch (298-1308)*



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10:00 AM FATHER'S DAY June 18, 2017

WELCOME		Pastor Lynch
CALL TO WORSHIP	"Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus"	Trio
*PRAISE HYMN	"Faith of Our Fathers"	(vs. 1 & 4) # 189
*INVOCATION		Pastor Lynch
*CHORUS	"For the Beauty of the Earth"	(vs. 1&4) # 259
ANTHEM	"Stand Up, Stand Up For Jesus"	Men's Chorus
MORNING PRAYER		
Pastoral Prayer		Pastor Lynch
The Lord's Prayer		Congregation
THE OFFERTORY	"Yes, He Did"	Trio
Presentation of God's Tithe		
*The Doxology		
*Dedication Prayer		
SOLO	"Canticle of Praise"	Yvonne Good
SCRIPTURE	I Corinthians 1:2-3, 10-18	page 165
MESSAGE	"There Is No Comparison"	Pastor Lynch
*COMMITMENT HYMN	"God Be with You"	# 584
*BENEDICTION		Pastor Lynch

\*CHORAL RESPONSE "Go Ye Now In Peace" Chorus

*\*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.*

Thank you to Althea Hemperly, Juanita Boger, Barb Haak and Yvonne Good for the uplifting ministries of music offered today. God bless you all.

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.

The altar flowers are given to the glory of God in honor of Joan Strait's birthday today by Larry Strait.

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:** Dick Lasher, **Acolyte:** Michelle Patrick, **Ushers:** Bethany Youth, **Greeters:** Dennis Keith and Sue Bowman Keith, Tom Gussler, Dave Brandt.

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 Dale Patrick, Cindy Anspach, Karen Leicht, Ashley Commisong, Barb Haak, Ronnie Kane. 2) Our servicemen and their families. 3) For families gathering to celebrate Father's Day. 4) For Pastor Jared and Elizabeth Stoltzfus, and Pastor John and Sharon Lynch in this time of transition. 5) Birthday blessings this week to Joan Strait, Barb Minnich and Denise Berkheiser. 6) Karen Neidigh, as she concludes her secretarial ministry here at Bethany this Tuesday.