



# BETHANY UNITED METHODIST

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10:00 AM

WORSHIP

July 16, 2017

WELCOME

Vicki Smith

OPENING PRAYER

Pastor Stoltzfus

### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: We take refuge in you, O Lord

People: You are our rock, you protect us, a strong fortress that saves us.

Leader: Lead us and guide us, for your glory, O Lord

People: You know us, see us, and hear our cries; have mercy on us Lord

Leader: We bless you Lord, for you have revealed your wonderful love to us

All: Let your face shine on us, your servants. Save us through your steadfast love.

### \*PRAISE HYMN

“Jesus Loves the Little Children”

### \*INVOCATION

MORNING PRAYER

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer

Pastor Stoltzfus

Congregation

THE OFFERTORY

Audrey Scipioni

Presentation of God’s Tithe

\*The Doxology

\*Prayer of Dedication

### Bible School Program

*Please hold your applause until the boys and girls are finished with their program. Thank you!*

### ***Mighty Fortress, In Jesus the Victory is Won!***

SONG

“Victory’s Won”

Reader 1

Olivia Bosham

Reader 2

Emily Tillett

SONG

“Winners”

Reader 3

Nicholas Brown

Reader 4

Adien Schell

SONG

“I Will Sing of the Mercies”

Insert

*(Congregation to join in)*

Reader 5

Ryan Craig

Reader 6

Julia Tillett

Reader 7

Michael Brown

SONG

“We’re Going to Praise the Name of Jesus”

Reader 8

Colton Barnhouse

Reader 9

Cade Barnhouse

SONG

“Thank Be to God”

Reader 10

Allison Deilmer

SONG

“Enter In these Gates of Old”

\*BENEDICTION

Pastor Stoltzfus

*\*We stand to honor Jesus Christ.*

The altar flowers are placed in honor of all children and helpers who assisted with Vacation Bible School, and most importantly to our Lord and Savior for a wonderful week of learning, praise, and worship!

**THANK YOU**

Thank you to everyone who gave contributions and pennies for our Vacation Bible School program!

Special thanks to all our helpers: Pastor Stoltzfus (all stations); Elizabeth Stoltzfus (all stations and Sign In/Out); Cindy Patrick (Music); Allision Deilmer (Music); Cindy Anspach (Crafts); Barb Laraia (Crafts); Lisa Harmon (Games); Audrey Scipioni (Games); Barb Minnich (Snacks); Sue Lasher (Snacks); Diane Schell (Story Time); Janine Wimmer (Story Time); Scott Harmon (Videotaping); and Vicki Smith (VBS Coordinator).

Thank you to all the children who participated and their parents who brought them faithfully everyday: Gavin Allegretoo, Cade Barnhouse, Coltin Barnhouse, Olivia Bosham, Kaylee Bloch, Michael Brown, Nicholas Brown, Victoria Brown, Zachary Brown, Rachael Craig, Ryan Craig, Tyler Craig, Wesley Craig, Aiden Schell, Kali Scipioni, Kinsley Stover, Lyndon Stover, Abigail Tillett, Emily Tillett, Julia Tillett, and Paige Tillett.

SERVING CHRIST AND OUR CONGREGATION

ORGANIST: *Audrey Scipioni*  
CHILDREN'S MINISTRY: *Vicki Smith*  
TRUSTEES: *Don Brubaker*  
TREASURER: *Diane Miller*  
LAY LEADER: *Ed Kaylor*

SUNBEAM CHOIR: *Samantha Patrick*  
ADMIN. COUNCIL: *Cindy Anspach*  
CHURCH SECRETARY: *Judy Hall*  
CUSTODIAN: *Beverly Bell*  
STAFF PARISH: *Paul Leicht*



## Mark Your Calendar

» UPCOMING EVENTS

The Addiction Support Group meets **tonight** at 5:00 in the social hall.

The Administrative Council will be meeting on **Monday, July 17th** at 7:00 pm. Anyone is welcome to attend!



Information for August newsletter due to Judy by **July 20th** please. Thank you!

### Sunday, July 30th



Rachel Nicholson, our missionary from Germany, will be here sharing her testimony and God's word with us during our morning worship service.

## Annual Church Picnic

When: **Sunday, August 6, 2017**  
**10:00 A.M.**

Where: **Anville Church of the Brethren pavilion**



It promises to be a great day of worship, games, and bar-b-que chicken! The sign-up sheet is on the information table in the Gathering Room. Please plan to bring a side dish or dessert. See you there!

Serving today: Sound System: Barry Smith  
Acolyte: Michelle Patrick  
Greeters/Ushers: Paul & Karen Leicht; Richard & Susan Lasher  
Organist: Audrey Scipioni

Prayer joys/concerns: 1) Dale Patrick, Ashley Commisong, Barb Haak, and Ken Schaefferr. 2) Our servicemen and their families. 3) Our nation and leaders.

Our homebound person of the week is Ken Schaeffer. Please pray for Ken and sign the card in the rear of the sanctuary.

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

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 Judy, Church Secretary, You can also listen to the service through the church's website, [bethanyumcpalmyra.org](http://bethanyumcpalmyra.org)..

Birthday Blessings this week to:  
July 20: Lory Walborn



## **CHURCH CONTACT INFORMATION**

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*Office Hours by Appointment*

## **I Will Sing of the Mercies**

I will sing of the mercies of the Lord forever,

I will sing I will sing,

I will sing of the mercies of the Lord forever,

I will sing of the mercies of the Lord.

With my mouth, will I make known,

Thy faithfulness, Thy faithfulness.

With my mouth, will I make known

Thy faithfulness to all generations.

*Repeat*

I will sing of the mercies of the Lord forever,

I will sing. I will sing.

I will sing of the mercies of the Lord forever

I will sing of the mercies of the Lord.

I will sing of the mercies of the Lord.