



# BETHANY UNITED METHODIST

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10:00 AM

WORSHIP

July 30, 2017

WELCOME

Ed Kaylor

### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: O give thanks unto the Lord, call on his name, make known his deeds among the peoples.

People: Sing to him, sing praises to him; tell of all his wonderful works.

Leader: Glory to his holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the Lord rejoice.

People: Seek the Lord and his strength; seek his presence continually.

All: Remember the wonderful works he has done; Praise the Lord.

### \*PRAISE HYMN

“O Worship the King”

# 1

### \*INVOCATION

Ed Kaylor

### \*HYMN

“Come, Thou Almighty King”

# 84

### MORNING PRAYER

The Lord’s Prayer

Ed Kaylor  
Congregation

### THE OFFERTORY

Presentation of God’s Tithe

\*The Doxology

\*Prayer of Dedication

Audrey Scipioni

### \*HYMN OF PREPARATION

“Spirit of the Living God”

# 361

### SCRIPTURE

Philippians 2:1-11

Rachel Nicholson

### SERMON

“Unity in Christ”

Rachel Nicholson

\*HYMN OF RESPONSE

“Blest Be The Tie That Binds”

# 225

\*BENEDICTION

Ed Kaylor

\*POSTLUDE

Audrey Scipioni

*\*We stand to honor Jesus Christ.*



*Good morning and where God’s word is*

*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.*

*welcome to Bethany honored, taught and*

*A special welcome to Rachel Nicholson, our missionary from Germany, who will be sharing her testimony and God’s word with us this morning!*

Serving today: **Sound System:** Dick Lasher

**Acolyte:** Michelle Patrick

**Greeters/Ushers:** Paul & Karen Leicht; Richard & Susan Lasher

**Organist:** Audrey Scipioni

The beautiful alter flowers are sponsored by Dale & Selma Patrick, to the glory of God and in honor of their 64th wedding anniversary. Also, in honor of Rachel Nicholson for her faithfulness to the missionary field.



Infant care and a toddler class are held downstairs during Worship and Sunday School. Those up to sixth grade are welcome to go downstairs to Kid Zone or remain in the Sanctuary for worship.

Units for the hearing impaired are available. Please see an usher for assistance.

“Love is Patient...Love is Kind”...please sign the card in the rear of the sanctuary for Dale and Selma Patrick, as they celebrate 64 years of marriage!. Please remember them in your thoughts and prayers this week.

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

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.

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 25 - K. Bryon Light, III  
July 29 - Helen Lutz



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

It's almost here.....our Annual Church Picnic is next week! It promises to be a great day of worship, games, and good bar-b-que chicken! Don't forget to sign the sheet on the information table in the Gathering Room. Please plan to bring a side dish or dessert. See you at the Annville Church of the Brethren pavilion on Sunday, August 6th at 10:00 am!

August Newsletters are available on the information table. Pick up one today!

*Please note that Pastor Stoltzfus will be on vacation, until August 5th. Rev. Bill McNeil from Campbelltown UMC will be on pastoral call; he can be reached at 274-8819.*

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SERVING CHRIST AND OUR CONGREGATION

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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*