



# BETHANY UNITED METHODIST

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10:00 AM

WORSHIP

August 13 , 2017

WELCOME

## \*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: If the Lord had not been on our side...

**People: Our enemies would have swallowed us; the torrent would have swept over us**

Leader: Blessed be the Lord, who has not given us over as prey

**People: The snare is broken and we have escaped**

**All: Our help is in the name of the Lord**

## \*HYMN OF PRAISE

“Amazing Grace”  
V. 1,2,3,6

# 391

## \*INVOCATION

## \*HYMN

“Just a Closer Walk with Thee”

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## MORNING PRAYER

Pastoral Prayer  
The Lord’s Prayer

Pastor Stoltzfus  
Congregation

## THE OFFERTORY

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

Audrey Scipioni

## \*HYMN OF PREPARATION

“All for Jesus”

# 182

## SCRIPTURE

Romans 12:1-8

Larry Strait

## SERMON

“Church is...not just about me”

Pastor Jared Stoltzfus

## \*HYMN OF RESPONSE

“Take my Life and Let It Be”

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## \*BENEDICTION

Pastor Stoltzfus

## \*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.*

Serving today: **Sound System:** Don Brubaker

**Acolyte:** Michelle Patrick

**Greeters/Ushers:** Barry Smith  
Dick Lasher

Chris Gleyniczak  
Seth Schell

**Organist:** Audrey Scipioni



The beautiful alter flowers are given by Roberta Brough to the glory of God in remembrance of husband Lewis and son Scott.

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.

Our homebound person of the week is Arlene Gable. Please remember her in your thoughts and prayers this week and sign the card in the rear of the sanctuary.

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: August 14 - James Walker  
August 17 - Danielle White



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

The Administrative Counsel meets on Monday, August 14th, at 6:30 pm in the social hall. Anyone is invited to attend!

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



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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*