



# BETHANY UNITED METHODIST

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10:00 AM WORSHIP March 18, 2018

WELCOME

### \*CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 51)

One: Have mercy on us, O God, according to your steadfast love.

**All: God have mercy, Christ have mercy.**

One: Wash us thoroughly from our iniquity, cleanse us.

**All: God have mercy, Christ have mercy.**

One: You desire truth in the inward being, therefore, teach us wisdom in our hearts.

**All: Create in us a clean heart, O God, put a new and right spirit within us. Restore us to the joy of your salvation, sustain in us a willing spirit.**

\*HYMN OF PRAISE "Just as I Am" #478

\*INVOCATION

Special Music Sunbeam Choir

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Pastor Stoltzfus

MORNING PRAYER  
Pastoral Prayer Pastor Stoltzfus  
The Lord's Prayer Congregation

THE OFFERTORY Audrey Scipioni  
Presentation of God's Tithe  
\*The Doxology  
\*Prayer of Dedication

\*HYMN OF PREPARATION "Jesus Paid It All" #114

SCRIPTURE Jeremiah 31: 31-34 Pastor Stoltzfus

SERMON "Promise" Pastor Stoltzfus

\*RESPONSE "O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go" #135

\*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:** Barry Smith

**Acolyte:**

**Greeters/Ushers:** Dave & Karen Finney/Paul & Karen Leicht

**Organist:** Audrey Scipioni

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



The children are welcome to stay in worship today. Infant care and a toddler class are held downstairs during Worship and Sunday School.

Home bound person of the week Ed and Bev Bosha. Please remember them in your prayers this week and sign the card in the back.

Prayer joys/concerns: 1) Dale Patrick, 2) Our servicemen and their families, 3) For Bethany and the UMC as a whole, 4) The Palmyra area, 5) Our nation and leaders, 6) Those affected by the flu this winter, 7) Wanda Shifflett (Jared and Liz's aunt), 8) John Harman(respiratory issues).

CD's of today's service are available for \$2.00. Please contact Pastor Jared if you are interested. You can also listen to the service through the church's website, [bethanyumcpalmyra.org](http://bethanyumcpalmyra.org).

**Birthday Blessings this week to: March 21 – Selma Patrick**

**This week at Bethany...**

Sunday @ 5pm - Addictions Support Group (Social Hall)

Wednesday @ 6:00 pm Supper & Bible Study @ 7:00

Wednesday 4:30-5 - Sunbeam Choir

Friday @ 6:00 – 7:30 PM- Easter Egg Hunt in the Dark

Saturday @ 9:00-11:00 AM Breakfast with the Easter Bunny

**Pastor Jared Stoltzfus:** [pastorjstoltzfus@gmail.com](mailto:pastorjstoltzfus@gmail.com) 484-798-5054

SERVING CHRIST AND OUR CONGREGATION

ORGANIST: *Audrey Scipioni*

SUNBEAM CHOIR: *Samantha*

*Patrick* CHILDREN'S MINISTRY: *Vicki Smith*

ADMIN. COUNCIL: *Cindy*

*Anspach* TRUSTEES: *Don Brubaker*

CHURCH SECRETARY:

*Linda Dumbauld*

TREASURER: *Diane Miller*

CUSTODIAN: *Beverly Bell*

LAY LEADER: *Ed Kaylor*

STAFF PARISH: *Paul Leicht*

MISSIONARY: *Rachel Nicholson, Germany*

PASTOR: *Jared Stoltzfus*