



Glorifying God by Making, Maturing, and Mobilizing Disciples

For Jesus Christ

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10:00 AM WORSHIP November 18, 2018

WELCOME

*CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 113)

One: Praise the LORD!

All: Praise, O servants of the LORD, praise the name of the LORD!

One: Blessed be the name of the LORD from this time forth and for evermore!

All: From the rising of the sun to its setting the name of the LORD is to be praised!

One: The LORD is high above all nations, God's glory above the heavens.

All: Who is like the Lord our God, who is seated on high, who looks far down upon the heavens and the earth?

One: God raises the poor from the dust, and lifts the needy from the ash heap, to make them sit with princes, with the princes of God's people.

All: God gives the barren woman a home, making her the joyous mother of children. Praise the LORD!

*HYMN OF PRAISE "All People That on Earth Do Dwell" v. 1-4 #277

*INVOCATION

SPECIAL MUSIC Sunbeam Choir

CHILDRENS' MESSAGE Pastor Stoltzfus

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

THE OFFERTORY Audrey Scipioni

Presentation of God's Tithes

*The Doxology

*Prayer of Dedication

*HYMN OF PREPARATION "Rock of Ages" #137

SCRIPTURE 1 Samuel 1: 4-20 Pastor Stoltzfus

SERMON "Gifts and Assignments" Pastor Stoltzfus

*RESPONSE "Now Thank We All Our God" #567

*BENEDICTION Pastor Stoltzfus

*POSTLUDE Audrey Scipioni

**We stand to honor Jesus Christ.
Please sign the blue attendance pad and pass it along.*

Serving today: **Sound System:** Seth Schell

Greeters/Ushers: Diane & Richard Miller and Lisa & John Harman

Organist: Audrey Scipioni

Acolyte: Colton Barnhouse

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 ages thru 6 years are held downstairs in the Kids Zone.

Home bound person of the week are Eric Miller. Please remember him in your prayers this week and sign the card in the back.

Prayer joys/concerns: 1) Our church as we continue to look for ways to live out our mission, 2) The UM Church as a whole and the Way Forward Process, 3) Our Communities, Our Nation, and Our Leaders, 4) Those dealing with the devastating wildfires in CA, 5) Friends and Family in need of healing – Dale Patrick.

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.

**Birthday Blessings this week to: November 19 – Diane Miller
20 – Angela Bloch
22 – Heidi Reigle
24 – James Floyd**

This Week at Bethany...

Monday 6:30 PM - Loyal Workers
Wednesday 5-5:30 PM- Sunbeam Choir

Announcements...

The Loyal Workers will be meeting Monday November 19 @ 6:30 PM.

Remember to order your subs and pretzel sandwiches which are due this Wednesday.
Pick up is November 29th between 10:30-11:30 AM.

The Mitten Tree is, again, in the foyer waiting for your donations of hats, mittens, gloves, and scarves. The donations will be going to the Ronald McDonald House. The deadline for donations is December 16. All donations are much appreciated.

All items for the newsletter are due today Sunday, November 18.

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