



Glorifying God by Making, Maturing, and Mobilizing Disciples  
For Jesus Christ

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10:00 AM WORSHIP March 17, 2019

WELCOME

\*CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 27)

One: Wait for the Lord, be strong; take heart.

**All: We will see the goodness of God in the land of the living.**

One: The Lord is our light and our salvation.

**All: Whom shall we fear?**

One: Though adversaries plot against us

**All: God protects us from harm.**

One: Sing to the Lord with songs of joy.

**All: Make a melody to the Lord, our God.**

One: Come, let us worship.

\*HYMN OF PRAISE "Great is Thy Faithfulness" #196

\*INVOCATION

SPECIAL MUSIC Sunbeam Choir

CHILDREN'S SERMON 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 "I Surrender All" #252  
SCRIPTURE Luke 18: 18-30 Pastor Stoltzfus  
SERMON "Giving up...Greed" Pastor Stoltzfus  
\*RESPONSE "Breath On Me, Breath of God" #85  
\*BENEDICTION Pastor Stoltzfus  
\*POSTLUDE Audrey Scipioni

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

*The Altar Flowers are presented by Paul & Karen Leicht in honor of their 55<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary.*

Serving today: **Sound System:** Dick Lasher  
**Greeters/Ushers:** Paul & Karen Leicht and Larry & Joan Strait  
**Organist:** Audrey Scipioni  
**Acolyte:** Cade 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 is Lucille Peiffer. Please remember her 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) Friends and Family in need of healing – Dale Patrick, Judy McKinney, Greta Barnhouse and Jim Lucas-complications from Parkinson's Disease.

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...**

Wednesday 5-5:30 PM – Sunbeam Choir

Thursday 6:00 PM – Dinner, 7:00 – Bible Study

**Announcements...**

Wednesday is the last day to order your subs and pretzel sandwiches. Pick-up is Thursday, March 28 between 10:30-11:30 AM.

All items for the April Newsletter are due today.

Our Lenten Bible Study continues this Thursday March 21. Join us at 6 PM for a meal and at 7 PM for the Bible Study. If you are coming to the dinner, please sign up on the sign- up sheet on the Welcome Table in the Gathering Room. The study this week will cover Chapters 6 and 7 in Irresistible.

Come have breakfast and have your child's picture taken with the Easter Bunny on Saturday, April 13, from 8-11 AM in the Social Hall. Donations benefit the Children's Lunch Program at the Caring Cupboard. If you would like to help or donate food, please see the sign-up sheet in the Gathering Room. Looking for servers, cooks, setup/clean up and many other opportunities to volunteer. Any questions, please contact Cindy Anspach @ 717 534-1034.

Comments, Question, Concerns?

Do not hesitate to reach out to Pastor Jared.

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