



Glorifying God by Making, Maturing, and Mobilizing Disciples

For Jesus Christ

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10:00 AM

WORSHIP

May 19, 2019

\*CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 148)

One: Praise the LORD! Praise the LORD from the heavens; praise him in the heights!

**All: Praise him, sun and moon, praise him all you shining stars!**

One: Let them praise the name of the LORD, for he commanded, and they were created.

**All: Praise the LORD from the earth, you sea monsters and all deeps. Mountains and hills, wild animals and all cattle, creeping things and flying birds, Praise him!**

One: Kings of the earth and all peoples, princes and all rulers of the earth. Young and old alike, Praise him!

**All: Let us praise the name of the LORD. He has raised up a horn for his people, he is close to us. Praise the LORD!**

\*HYMN OF PRAISE

“All Creatures of Our God and King”

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\*INVOCATION

SPECIAL MUSIC

Sunbeam Choir

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

Pastor Stoltzfus

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

“In Christ There is No East or West”

#418

SCRIPTURE

Acts 11: 1-18

Pastor Stoltzfus

SERMON

“Proclaiming Resurrection: Unexpected”

Pastor Stoltzfus

\*RESPONSE

“Open My Eyes That I May See”

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\*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:** Don Brubaker

**Greeters/Ushers:** Richard & Sue Lasher and Barry Smith

**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 is Sandy Long. 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) Our Communities, Our Nation, and Our Leaders, 3) Friends and Family in need of healing – Dale Patrick, Judy McKinney, Jim Lucas, Gabe Stoltzfus, Jim Lasher, Bill Lemons, Jerry(Seizures), Student at Jubilee(cancer) and Paul Allen(cancer).

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: May 21 – Greta Barnhouse**

**Announcements...**

All items for the June Newsletter are due today.

Pick up your sub and pretzel sandwiches Thursday between 10:30-11:30 AM.

Bethany is hosting a Kauffman's Chicken BBQ Fundraiser, Thursday, May 30, 2019. Tickets are \$7.50. Food can be picked up between 3-6 PM. Make sure to get your tickets today (and take some along to sell to family, friends and neighbors).

Mark your calendars for Sunday, June 9, when the Unity Quartet will again lead us in worship. Campbelltown UMC will be joining us that Sunday with a fellowship meal to follow.

Comments, Question, Concerns?

Do not hesitate to reach out to Pastor Jared.

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