

THE LORD'S DAY

September 25, 2011

WORSHIP SERVICE

Enter with reverence, Worship in truth, Serve Christ with gladness.

MEDITATION

Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit,²⁰ teaching them to observe all things that I have commanded you.

Matt 28:19a-20

PRELUDE

O Splendor of God's Glory Bright

PUER NOBIS

†CALL TO WORSHIP & PRAYER OF INVOCATION

Psalm 99:5

ADORATION

†*Come, Thou Almighty King*

Hymn **71**
ITALIAN HYMN

†CONGREGATIONAL READING

The congregation will read text in italics.

Psalm 70

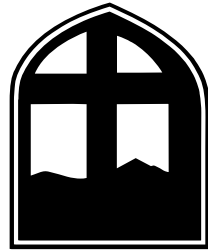
¹ Make haste, O God, to deliver me!
Make haste to help me, O LORD!

² *Let them be ashamed and confounded who seek my life; Let them be turned back and confused who desire my hurt.*

³ *Let them be turned back because of their shame, who say, "Aha, aha!"*

Bethany

B I B L E C H U R C H



Exalt the LORD our God,

And worship at His footstool—
He is holy.

Psalm 99:5



⁴ Let all those who seek You rejoice and be glad in You; and let those who love Your salvation say continually, "Let God be magnified!"

⁵ *But I am poor and needy; make haste to me, O God! You are my help and my deliverer; O LORD, do not delay.*

[†]*Gloria Patri*

WORCESTER

5 Glo-ry be to God the Fa-ther, Glo-ry be to God the Son,
9 Glo-ry be to God the Spir-it, Great Je- hov-ah, Three in one!
Glo-ry, glo-ry, While e - ter-nal a - ges run! A - men.

CONFESSION & ASSURANCE OF PARDON

And Can it Be

Hymn 134

SAGINA

THANKSGIVING

[†]*O for a Thousand Tongues*

Hymn 5

AZMON

PETITION

[†]Prayer of Intercession

Offering

MINISTRY OF THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING

Proverbs 5

1 Corinthians 10:23-11:16

[†]*O Splendor of God's Glory Bright*

Hymn

Ambrose of Milan (4th cen.); trans., comp. PUER NOBIS, adapt. Michael Praetorius (1609)

O splendor of God's glory bright, from light e -
Come, ver - y Sun of heav - en's love, In last - ing
O joy - ful be the pass - ing day With thoughts as
Con - firm our will to do the right, And keep our
All laud to God the Fa - ther be; All praise, e -
ter - nal bring - ing light, O Light of Light, light's
ra - diance from a - bove, And pour the Hol - y
pure as morn - ing's ray, With faith like noon - tide
hearts from en - vy's blight; Let faith her eag - er
ter - al Son, to thee; All glo - ry to the
liv - ing spring, True Day, all days il - lu - min - ing.
Spir - it's ray On all we think or do to - day.
shin - ing bright, Our souls un - shad - ow'd by the night.
fires re - new, And hate the false, and love the true.
Spir - it raise, In e - qual and un - end - ing praise.

THE SERMON

The Baptism of Jesus Christ *from* Mark 1:3-11

[†]*Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart*

Hymn 70

MORECAMBE

†PRAYER & BENEDICTION

[†]*Congregation will stand*



Prayer Meeting, 6:00 PM

Praying for Revival, Part 2



The Baptism of Jesus Christ *from* Mark 1:3-11

Pastor George Stiekes

Mark is still dealing with preparatory events that must take place in setting forth the beginning of the Gospel of Jesus Christ. We have seen the testimony of the prophets Isaiah and Malachi. We will look at the testimony of John the Baptist and that of God the Father concerning Jesus Christ. Mark is revealing to his audience the deity of Jesus Christ giving credence to His ministry. He is the long awaited Messiah and His life and works will affirm His right to be Lord of our lives.

1. John’s Announcement concerning Christ (1:3-5).

2. John’s Appearance concerning Christ (1:6).

3. Christ’s Acknowledgement concerning John (1:9-10).

4. The Father’s Acknowledgement concerning His Son (1:11).



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*Sunday School, 9:45; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00,
Sunday Evening Prayer Meeting, 6:00.
Fellowship Dinner 3rd Sunday of the month & no evening service.
Wednesday Evenings: Awana, visitation, fellowship groups
Please note weekly announcements for any changes to this schedule.*

To Our Guests: We welcome you to Bethany Bible Church! We trust you will sense our desire to exalt the Lord in our worship, as well as our commitment to the sufficiency of the Scriptures. You and your entire family are invited to worship with us. A nursery is provided for ages 0-3 if you would like, and you may also hear the service in the foyer or fellowship room if you need to attend to small children. We would like to have a record of your visit. You should receive a *guest card* which you may give to Pastor Stiekes personally or hand to one of our ushers. We trust that God will richly bless you as we endeavor to magnify the Lord on His day.

ANNOUNCEMENTS & COMING EVENTS
WEDNESDAY—6:45PM, AWANA begins; 7PM, Youth Bible Study & Personal Evangelism Study

OCTOBER 2nd—4:45 PM, Choir Rehearsals begin

OCTOBER 8th—11:30AM to 1:30PM, Ladies’ Fall Luncheon at the Stranges’ (sign-up at back table)

	Sep 18	Budget	YTD	YTD Budget
General Fund	\$3,777	\$3,677	\$134,635	\$139,723
Missions	\$25		\$3,543	
Deacons Fund	\$10		\$5,741	
Building Fund	\$0		\$4,160	

Weekly Catechism

50. Q. What is the second commandment?
 A. The second commandment is, “You shall not make for yourself a carved image—any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth; you shall not bow down to them nor serve them. For I, the LORD your God, am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children to the third and fourth generations of those who hate Me, but showing mercy to thousands, to those who love Me and keep My commandments.”

Planned Hymns for Next Week:

O Worship the King (65); It is Well with My Soul (478); There is a Fountain (Windsor); Hail the Day that Sees Him Rise (270)

