

THE LORD'S DAY

February 3, 2013

WORSHIP SERVICE

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

NOW TO THE KING ETERNAL,
immortal, invisible,
to God who alone is wise,
be honor and glory
forever and ever.
Amen.

1 Timothy 1:17

MEDITATION

For as often as you eat this bread and drink this cup you
proclaim the Lord's death till He comes. *1 Corinthians 11:26*

PRELUDE

Great is Thy Faithfulness

FAITHFULNESS

†CALL TO WORSHIP & PRAYER OF INVOCATION

1 Timothy 1:17

ADORATION

†*When Morning Guilds the Skies*

Hymn **48**

LAUDES DOMINI

†CONGREGATIONAL READING

Psalm 55:1-3, 16-19, 22

The congregation will read text in italics.

¹ Give ear to my prayer, O God, and do not hide Yourself from
my supplication.

² *Attend to me, and hear me; I am restless in my complaint, and
moan noisily,*

³ Because of the voice of the enemy, because of the oppression
of the wicked; for they bring down trouble upon me, and in
wrath they hate me. . . .

¹⁶ *As for me, I will call upon God, and the Lord shall save me.*

¹⁷ Evening and morning and at noon I will pray, and cry aloud,
and He shall hear my voice.

¹⁸ *He has redeemed my soul in peace from the battle that was against
me, for there were many against me.*

¹⁹ God will hear, and afflict them, even He who abides from of
old. . . . Because they do not change, therefore they do not fear
God.

²² *Cast your burden on the Lord, and He shall sustain you; He shall
never permit the righteous to be moved.*

†*Doxology*

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow!

Praise Him, all creatures here below!

Praise Him, above, ye heav'nly hosts!

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost! Amen.

OLD HUNDREDTH

PETITION

†Prayer of Intercession

Offering

MINISTRY OF THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING

2 Kings 25:1-21

Mark 15:16-32

†*Great is Thy Faithfulness*

Hymn **109**

FAITHFULNESS

THE SERMON

Mindful of the Words

2 Peter 3:1-7

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†O Sacred Head, Now Wounded

Hymn **241**
PASSION CHORALE

MINDFUL OF THE WORDS *from* 2 PETER 3:1-7

Ryan Martin, Associate Pastor

Peter knows how weak we are. He knows how easily our feeble minds forget. And so he writes this letter to them so that they keep in mind the teachings of God's word. Be mindful of God's word. Let your mind be filled with it.

The text suggests three reasons to remember the Word of God:

1. We should remember the word of God because it has come to us through the Lord's messengers and the inspiration of the Holy Spirit (3:2).
2. We should remember the word of God because it surpasses the opinions of men that come to us through ignorance and lust (3:3-4).
3. We should remember the word of God because all of human history is sustained through the word of God (3:5-7).

THE LORD'S TABLE

Scripture Reading: 1 Corinthians 11:23-32

Prayer & Receiving of the Bread

Prayer & Receiving of the Cup

Deacons Fund Offering

†The Sands of Time are Sinking

Hymn **559**
RUTHERFORD

†PRAYER & BENEDICTION

†Congregation will stand



Choir Practice, 4:45 PM

Evening Prayer Service, 6:00 PM

Planned Hymns for Next Week:

O for a Thousand Tongues (15); Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy (323); I Sing the Mighty Power of God (6); The King of Love My Shepherd Is (St Columba); Fairest Lord Jesus (162)



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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

TODAY—4:45 PM, Choir Practice; 6:00 PM, Evening Prayer Service

WEDNESDAY—6:45 PM, AWANA; 7:00 PM, Youth & Adult Bible studies; Visitation

FEBRUARY 9th—11:30 AM to 2:30 PM, Kindred Spirits: "A Heart for God" Lunch and DVD

	Jan 27	Budget	YTD	YTD Budget
General Fund	\$2,690	\$3,712	\$15,424	\$14,846
Missions	\$50		\$150	
Deacons Fund	\$20		\$613	
Building Fund	\$75		\$150	\$23,115

NEW MISSIONARY LETTERS: Jones; Anchorage Camp

Weekly Catechism

31. Q. *Of what did Christ's humiliation consist?*

A. Christ's humiliation consisted in his being born, and that in a low condition, made under the law, undergoing the miseries of this life, the wrath of God, and the cursed death of the cross; in being buried, and continuing under the power of death for a time.

Luke 2:7; Gal 4:4; Isa 53:3; Matt 27:46; Phil 2:8; Matt 12:40

