

# THE LORD'S DAY

June 23, 2013

## WORSHIP SERVICE

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

### MEDITATION

We love Him because He first loved us.

*1 John 4:19*

### PRELUDE

*What God Ordains is Always Good*

### †CALL TO WORSHIP & PRAYER OF INVOCATION

Psalm 91:1-2

### ADORATION

†*The Solid Rock*

Hymn **411**

SOLID ROCK

### †CONGREGATIONAL READING

Psalm 91:9-16

*The congregation will read text in italics.*

<sup>9</sup> Because you have made the Lord, who is my refuge, even the Most High, your dwelling place,

<sup>10</sup> *No evil shall befall you, nor shall any plague come near your dwelling;*

<sup>11</sup> For He shall give His angels charge over you, to keep you in all your ways.

<sup>12</sup> *In their hands they shall bear you up, lest you dash your foot against a stone.*

<sup>13</sup> You shall tread upon the lion and the cobra, the young lion and the serpent you shall trample underfoot.

<sup>14</sup> *“Because he has set his love upon Me, therefore I will deliver him; I will set him on high, because he has known My name.*

<sup>15</sup> He shall call upon Me, and I will answer him; I will be with him in trouble; I will deliver him and honor him.

<sup>16</sup> *With long life I will satisfy him, and show him My salvation.”*

†*Doxology*

OLD ONE HUNDREDTH

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.

### CONFESSIOIN & ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*And Can it Be*

Hymn **134**

SAGINA

### THANKSGIVING

†*I Sing the Mighty Power of God*

Hymn **6**

ELLACOMBE

### PETITION

†Prayer of Intercession

Offering

### MINISTRY OF THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING

Esther 8

3 John

Ministry of Music

He who dwells  
in the secret place of the Most High  
Shall abide  
under the shadow of the Almighty.  
I will say of the Lord,  
“He is my refuge and my fortress;  
**MY GOD, IN HIM I WILL TRUST.”**

*Psalm 91:1-2*

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†*What God Ordains is Always Good* Hymn

Text: Samuel Rodigast (1649-1708); tr. *The Lutheran Hymnal*, 1941  
Tune: WAS GOTT TUT, (8.7.8.7.4.4.7.7.), Servus Gastorius (1646-1682)

1. What God or - dains is al - ways good: His will is just and  
 2. What God or - dains is al - ways good: He nev - er will de -  
 3. What God or - dains is al - ways good: His lov - ing thought at -  
 4. What God or - dains is al - ways good: He is my friend and  
 5. What God or - dains is al - ways good: This truth re - mains un -

ho - ly. As He di - rects my life for me, I fol - low  
 ceive me; He leads me in His righ - teous way, And nev - er  
 tends me; No poi - son can be in the cup That my phy -  
 Fa - ther; He suf - fers naught to do me harm Though man - y  
 shak - en. Though sor - row, need, or death be mine, I shall not

meek and low - ly. My God in - deed In ev - 'ry need Knows  
 will He leave me. I take con - tent What He has sent; His  
 si - cian sends me. My God is true; Each morn - ing new I  
 storms may gath - er. Now I may know Both joy and woe; Some -  
 be for - sak - en. I fear no harm, For with His arm, He

well how He will shield me; To Him, then, I will yield me.  
 hand that sends me sad - ness Will turn my tears to glad - ness.  
 trust His grace un - end - ing, My life to Him com - mend - ing.  
 day I shall see clear - ly That He has loved me dear - ly.  
 shall em - brace and shield me; So to my God I yield me.

THE SERMON

Jesus and the Rich Young Ruler  
Mark 10:17-22

†*Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken*

Hymn 399

ELLESDIE

† PRAYER & BENECTION

†*Congregation will stand*



Afternoon Service for WILDS staff, 2:00 PM  
Evening Prayer Service, 6:00 PM



JESUS AND THE RICH YOUNG RULER from MARK 10:17-22

Pastor George Stiekes

The rich young ruler asked the most important question anyone could ever ask – *What must I do to inherit eternal life?* Man in his sinful nature, like this young ruler, has rejected the answer given by Jesus Christ. This has resulted in the founding of more than two-thousand different religions, cults and religious organizations. The rich young ruler went his way without obtaining eternal life. At the final judgment, there will be many who will give testimony to the wonderful works they have performed as members of these different religions. Jesus will then say to them, *I never knew you: depart from me, ye that work iniquity* (Matt 7:23). There is only one way to have your sins forgiven and to gain everlasting life through Jesus Christ (John 3:16). Jesus said, I am the way, the truth, and the life: *no man cometh unto the Father but by me* (John 14:6).

I. The Seeking Ruler (10:17-21)

A. What He longed for (10:17) – His Question

B. What He lacked (10:18-21) – His Qualifications

1. He has observed all of God’s precepts (10:18-20)
2. He must abandon all his possessions (10:21)

II. The Sorrowing Ruler (10:22)

Planned Hymns for Next Week:

O God, Our Help in Ages Past (96); Before the Throne of God Above (Duke Street); Great is Thy Faithfulness (109); Be Still, My Soul (296); Take My Life, and Let it Be Consecrated (400)



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Sunday School, 9:45; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00,  
Sunday Evening Prayer Meeting, 6:00.  
Fellowship Dinner 3<sup>rd</sup> 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—2:00 PM, Afternoon service for WILDS staff; 6:00 PM, Evening prayer service

TUESDAY—7:00 PM, Watchmen’s Meeting

WEDNESDAY—Summer series, 7:00 PM

NEXT SUNDAY—Business meeting during the evening service

JULY 7<sup>th</sup>—Missionary Len Hopkins in Sunday School and the Evening Prayer service

|               | June 16 | Budget  | YTD       | YTD Budget |
|---------------|---------|---------|-----------|------------|
| General Fund  | \$4,373 | \$3,712 | \$100,239 | \$89,077   |
| Missions      | \$0     |         | \$1,974   |            |
| Deacons Fund  | \$20    |         | \$3,572   |            |
| Building Fund | \$210   |         | \$6,410   | \$29,375   |

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.”