

THE LORD'S DAY

August 18, 2013

WORSHIP SERVICE

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

TREMBLE, O EARTH,

At the presence of the Lord,
At the presence of the God of Jacob,
Who turned the rock into a pool of water,
The flint into a fountain of waters.

Psalm 114:7-8

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MEDITATION

But I fear, lest somehow, as the serpent deceived Eve by his craftiness, so your minds may be corrupted from the simplicity that is in Christ. *2 Corinthians 11:3*

PRELUDE

The King of Love My Shepherd Is

ST COLUMBA

†CALL TO WORSHIP & PRAYER OF INVOCATION

Psalm 114:7-8

ADORATION

†*Holy, Holy, Holy*

Hymn **68**
NICAEA

†CONGREGATIONAL READING

Psalm 114

The congregation will read text in italics.

¹ When Israel went out of Egypt, the house of Jacob from a people of strange language,

² *Judah became His sanctuary, and Israel His dominion.*

³ The sea saw it and fled; Jordan turned back.

⁴ *The mountains skipped like rams, the little hills like lambs.*

⁵ What ails you, O sea, that you fled? O Jordan, that you turned back?

⁶ *O mountains, that you skipped like rams? O little hills, like lambs?*

⁷ Tremble, O earth, at the presence of the Lord, at the presence of the God of Jacob,

⁸ *Who turned the rock into a pool of water, the flint into a fountain of waters.*

†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

BAPTISM

CONFESSION & ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Hallelujah! What a Savior

Hymn **289**
MAN OF SORROWS

THANKSGIVING

†*For the Beauty of the Earth*

Hymn **492**
DIX

PETITION

†Prayer of Intercession

Offering

MINISTRY OF THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING

Ruth 3

†The King of Love My Shepherd Is

Hymn

Text: para. of Psa. 23 by Henry Williams Baker (1821-1877)

Tune: ST COLUMBA, traditional Irish hymn melody

1. The King of love my shep - herd is, whose good - ness
 2. Where streams of liv - ing wa - ter flow, my ran - somed
 3. Per - verse and fool - ish, oft I strayed, but yet in
 4. In death's dark vale I fear no ill with thee, dear
 5. Thou spread'st a tab - le in my sight, Thy unc - tion
 6. And so, through - out the length of days, Thy good - ness

fail - eth nev - er; I noth - ing lack if
 soul He lead - eth, And where the ver - dant
 love He sought me, And on His shoul - der
 Lord, be - side me; Thy rod and staff my
 grace be - stow - eth: And oh, what trans - port
 fail - eth nev - er; Good Shep - herd, may I

I am His, and He is mine for - ev - er.
 pas - tures grow, with food ce - les - tial feed - eth.
 gent - ly laid, and home, re - joic - ing, brought me.
 com - fort still, Thy cross be - fore to guide me.
 of de - light from Thy pure chal - ice flow - eth!
 sing Thy praise with - in Thy house for - ev - er.

THE SERMON

The Divine Pattern of Obedience and Blessing, Part 2
 Genesis 3

†Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

Hymn 83

CWM RHONDDA

† PRAYER & BENEDICTION

†Congregation will stand



All are invited to remain after the worship service
 for our monthly fellowship dinner.

No Evening Service



THE DIVINE PATTERN OF OBEDIENCE AND BLESSING, PART 2

from GENESIS 3

Pastor Greg Stiekas

In the beginning, the Lord God established the pattern of our unique relationship to him. This three-part sermon explores the nature of that pattern, its violation in the fall, and its implications for our walk with the Lord as his church. The Scriptures exhort us to believe that joyful harmony between us and God—as well as one another—comes only as we yield our hearts to God’s pattern of obedience.

Last week:

1. The Establishment of the Pattern (Gen 1, 2)
 - a. The Word of God: “And God said . . .”
 - b. The Response to God’s Word: “And it was so.”
 - c. The Blessed Consequence: “And God saw that it was good” (cf. Gen 2:25)
2. The Testimony of the Pattern
What do we proclaim with our lives when we follow God’s divine pattern of obedience?

Today:

3. The Violation of the Pattern (Gen 3)
 - a. Why did Eve disobey God?
 - (1) The deception of the serpent.
 - (2) The desire of the woman.
 - b. What do we proclaim with our lives when we do not follow God’s divine pattern of obedience?
 - (1) I want control.
 - (2) I deserve glory.
 - (3) I can ignore God.
 - (4) I cannot trust God.
 - (5) I love myself.
 - (6) I worship myself.

Planned Hymns for Next Week:

Rejoice, the Lord is King (1); Rock of Ages (451); This is My Father’s World (116); Blessed Jesus, at Thy Word (Liebster Jesu); Hail the Day that Sees Him Rise (270)



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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 Stiekas 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—6:00 PM, Evening Prayer Service

WEDNESDAY—7:00 PM, Summer series continues

SEPTEMBER 7th—Kindred Spirits Picnic at the Benzings
 (Mark your calendar)

SEPTEMBER 11th—AWANA begins

MEMBERSHIP CLASS—We are offering a Membership Class on September Sundays during Sunday School in the Pastors’ Office beginning September 8th

AWANA Help—Bethany Bible Church’s AWANA program begins on September 11th, and we are looking for adult workers for this year’s clubs. If you are interested, please speak to **Chip or Ranae Worrell**.

	Aug 11	Budget	YTD	YTD Budget
General Fund	\$6,304	\$3,712	\$130,391	\$118,769
Missions	\$0		\$2,304	
Deacons Fund	\$170		\$4,829	
Building Fund	\$25		\$6,680	\$29,645