

THE LORD'S DAY

October 13, 2013

WORSHIP SERVICE

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

PRELUDE

Grace Greater Than Our Sin

MOODY

†CALL TO WORSHIP & PRAYER OF INVOCATION

Psalm 95:1-7a

ADORATION

†*Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven*

Hymn **29**

LAUDA ANIMA (ANDREWS)

†CONGREGATIONAL READING

Colossians 1:15-20

The congregation will read text in italics.

¹⁵ He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn over all creation.

¹⁶ *For by Him all things were created that are in heaven and that are on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or principalities or powers. All things were created through Him and for Him.*

¹⁷ And He is before all things, and in Him all things consist.

¹⁸ *And He is the head of the body, the church, who is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in all things He may have the preeminence.*

¹⁹ For it pleased *the Father that* in Him all the fullness should dwell,

²⁰ *and by Him to reconcile all things to Himself, by Him, whether things on earth or things in heaven, having made peace through the blood of His cross.*

† *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.

CONFESSION & ASSURANCE OF PARDON

How Can It Be

Hymn **156**

HOW CAN IT BE

THANKSGIVING

†*Rejoice, the Lord is King*

Hymn **1**

DARWALL

PETITION

†Prayer of Intercession

Offering

MINISTRY OF THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING

Hebrews 7

†*The Church's One Foundation*

Hymn **165**

AURELIA

Oh come, let us sing to the LORD!

Let us shout joyfully to the Rock of our salvation.

² Let us come before His presence with thanksgiving;

Let us shout joyfully to Him with psalms.

³ For the LORD *is* the great God,

And the great King above all gods.

⁴ In His hand *are* the deep places of the earth;

The heights of the hills *are* His also.

⁵ The sea *is* His, for He made it;

And His hands formed the dry *land*.

⁶ Oh come, let us worship and bow down;

Let us kneel before the LORD our Maker.

⁷ For He *is* our God,

And we *are* the people of His pasture,

And the sheep of His hand.

Psalm 95:1-7

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THE SERMON
A Colony of Heaven
Phil 3:20-21

†Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

Hymn **639**
LEMMEL

† PRAYER & BENEDICTION

† Congregation will stand (if able)



Choir Practice, 5:00 PM

Evening Prayer Service, 6:00 PM

*No Fellowship Meal next week, due to our
Harvest Gathering at the Walters'.
There will be the normal Evening Prayer Service at 6:00.*

*Please pray for Pastor Greg Stiekes and his family
who are away this weekend ministering
at Mary's Chapel Baptist Church in Wake Forest.*

*Also hold the Martins in your prayers
as Ryan begins his first Lord's Day
as Pastor of First Baptist Church of Granite Falls, MN.*



A COLONY OF HEAVEN — PHILIPPIANS 3:20-21

Pastor George Stiekes

As Christians, we possess a dual citizenship. We are citizens of the United States of America and citizens of heaven. Our heavenly citizenship is dependent on our relationship to Jesus Christ. Our homeland is wherever Christ is since we are united to Him (Ephesians 2:6). While our physical position is here on earth, our spiritual position is in heavenly places in Christ Jesus. As long as we maintain our earthly citizenship, we remain absent from the Lord. Until that time, we are a colony of heaven living on earth.

Introduction

1. Historical Examination

2. Biblical Exposition

3. Biblical Exhortation



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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

TONIGHT—5:00 PM, Choir Practice; 6:00 PM, Evening Prayer Service (Pastor George Stiekes leading)

WEDNESDAY—6:45 PM, AWANA; 7:00 PM, Adult Bible Study; Teen Discipleship Group at the St. Jacques

NEXT SUNDAY—No Fellowship Meal, due to the Harvest Party at the Walters'. Regular Evening Prayer Service.

OCTOBER 19th—3:30 PM, Church Harvest Party at the Walters'. Please SIGN UP for meal items on the bulletin board!

	Oct 6	Budget	YTD	YTD Budget
General Fund	\$3,228	\$3,712	\$155,784	\$148,462
Missions	\$0		\$2,449	
Deacons Fund	\$390		\$6,053	
Building Fund	\$10		\$6,915	\$29,880

KIDS4TRUTH CATECHISM AND SCRIPTURE

Q. Does God's Word ever teach error or falsehood?
A. No. God's Word is true and without error because God tells only the truth.

Psalm 119:160 – The sum of your word is truth, and every one of your righteous rules endures forever. 0104