

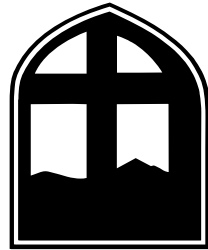
# THE LORD'S DAY

November 13, 2011

## WORSHIP SERVICE

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

**Bethany**  
B I B L E C H U R C H



### MEDITATION

For our citizenship is in heaven, from which we also eagerly wait for the Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ.

*Philippians 3:20*

### PRELUDE

*Adapted from Bach's Concerto for Two Violins*

### †CALL TO WORSHIP & PRAYER OF INVOCATION

Psalm 145:21

### ADORATION

†*Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah*

Hymn **83**  
CWM RHONDDA

### †CONGREGATIONAL READING

*The congregation will read text in italics.*

Psalm 145:13-20

<sup>13</sup> Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and Your dominion endures throughout all generations.

<sup>14</sup> *The LORD upholds all who fall, and raises up all who are bowed down.*

<sup>15</sup> The eyes of all look expectantly to You, and You give them their food in due season.

<sup>16</sup> *You open Your hand and satisfy the desire of every living thing.*

<sup>17</sup> The LORD is righteous in all His ways, gracious in all His works.

My mouth shall speak  
**THE PRAISE OF THE LORD,**

And all flesh shall bless His holy name  
Forever and ever.

*Psalm 145:21*



<sup>18</sup> *The LORD is near to all who call upon Him, to all who call upon Him in truth.*

<sup>19</sup> He will fulfill the desire of those who fear Him; He also will hear their cry and save them.

<sup>20</sup> *The LORD preserves all who love Him, but all the wicked He will destroy.*

<sup>†</sup> *Doxology*

DIADEMATA

Praise, as in ages past;  
Praise, as in glory now;  
Praise, while eternity shall last,  
To Thee, O God, we vow;  
Whom all the heavenly host  
And saints on earth adore;  
To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,  
Be glory evermore! Amen.

#### CONFESSION & ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*Rock of Ages*

Hymn **451**

TOPLADY

#### THANKSGIVING

<sup>†</sup>*Rejoice, the Lord Is King*

Hymn **1**

DARWALL

#### PETITION

<sup>†</sup>Prayer of Intercession

Offering

*O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus*

#### MINISTRY OF THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING

1 Kings 1:28-53

1 Corinthians 15:1-34

<sup>†</sup>*We Walk by Faith and Not by Sight*

Hymn

ST. BOTOLPH

#### THE SERMON

The Future Restoration of God's People Today

Ephesians 1-2

<sup>†</sup>*Christ the Lord is Risen Today*

Hymn **273**

EASTER HYMN

#### <sup>†</sup> PRAYER & BLESSING

<sup>†</sup>*Congregation will stand*



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

*No Evening Service*



The Future Restoration of God's People Today *from*  
 Ephesians 1-2  
 Pastor Greg Stiekas

As believers in Christ we long for the future promise that what was shattered in the Fall will be perfectly restored in the Eternal State. But Paul tells us that this promise is being fulfilled already! Because of the work of Christ, our relationship with God and with others who know God has been made whole, and we are called therefore to manifest these healed relationships through love and fidelity both to God and to one another in the body.

1. God has already restored our relationship with Him (Eph 1:7-10).

2. God has already restored our relationship with one another (Eph 2:11-22).

3. "Therefore" (Eph 4:1).



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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 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**  
**WEDNESDAY**—6:45PM, AWANA; 7PM, Visitation, Youth & Evangelism Study

**SATURDAY**—8AM, Men & Boys Prayer Brkfst

**NEXT SUNDAY**—6PM, Praise Service w/Bethany Baptist of Brevard

	Nov 6	Budget	YTD	YTD Budget
General Fund	\$3,135	\$3,677	\$159,539	\$165,462
Missions	\$5		\$3,793	
Deacons Fund	\$483		\$6,907	
Building Fund	\$0		\$4,360	

*Weekly Catechism*

57. Q. How may the Sabbath be sanctified?  
 A. The Sabbath may be sanctified through celebration of God's rest, whereby God's people, coming apart from common worldly employments and entertainments, spend much time in public and private exercises of worship<sup>1</sup> and in spiritual fellowship with the people of God.<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Psa 91:1-2; Isa 58:13-14

<sup>2</sup> Heb 10:23-25

*Planned Hymns for Next Week:*

All People that on Earth Do Dwell; Alas, and Did My Savior Bleed (234); We Gather Together (496); Holy, Holy, Holy (68); Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken (399)

