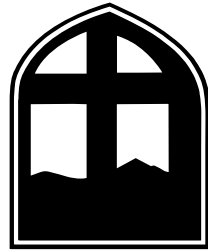


Bethany

B I B L E C H U R C H



O GOD, YOU ARE MY GOD; EARLY WILL I SEEK YOU;

My soul thirsts for You;
My flesh longs for You
In a dry and thirsty land
Where there is no water.

So I have looked for You in the sanctuary,
To see Your power and Your glory.

Psalm 63:1-2

THE LORD'S DAY

January 29, 2012

WORSHIP SERVICE

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

MEDITATION

When You said, "Seek My face," My heart said to You, "Your face, LORD,
I will seek."
Psalm 27:8

PRELUDE

Approach, My Soul, the Mercy Seat

MARTYRDOM

†CALL TO WORSHIP & PRAYER OF INVOCATION

Psalm 63:1-2

ADORATION

†*When Morning Guilds the Skies*

Hymn **48**
LAUDES DOMINI

†CONGREGATIONAL READING

The congregation will read text in italics.

Isaiah 26:2-9

² Open the gates, that the righteous nation which keeps the truth may enter in.

³ *You will keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on You, because he trusts in You.*

⁴ Trust in the LORD forever, for in YAH, the LORD, is everlasting strength.

⁵ *For He brings down those who dwell on high, the lofty city; He lays it low, He lays it low to the ground, He brings it down to the dust.*

⁶ The foot shall tread it down—the feet of the poor and the steps of the needy.

⁷ *The way of the just is uprightness; O Most Upright, You weigh the path of the just.*

⁸ Yes, in the way of Your judgments, O LORD, we have waited for You; the desire of our soul is for Your name and for the remembrance of You.

⁹ With my soul I have desired You in the night, yes, by my spirit within me I will seek You early; for when Your judgments are in the earth, the inhabitants of the world will learn righteousness.

[†] *Doxology*

REGENT SQUARE

6 Laud and hon-or to the Fa-ther, Laud and hon or to the Son, Laud and hon-or
10 to the Spir- it, E - ver three and e - ver One: One in might, and
One in glo - ry, While un - end - ing a - ges run. A - men.

CONFESSION & ASSURANCE OF PARDON

[†] *Approach, My Soul, the Mercy Seat*

John Newton (1779)

MARTYRDOM, Hugh Wilson (1766-1824) C.M.

Ap- proach, my soul, the mer - cy - seat Where
Thy prom - ise is my on - ly plea; With
Bowed down be - neath a load of sin, By
Be thou my shield and hid - ing place, That,
O won - drous love! to bleed and die, To
Je - sus an - swers prayer; There hum - bly fall be -
this I ven - ture nigh; Thou call - est bur - dened
Sa - tan sore - ly pressed, By war with - out, and
shel - tered near thy side, I may my fierce ac -
bear the cross and shame, That guilt - y sin - ners,
fore his feet, For none can per - ish there.
souls to thee, And such, O Lord, am I.
fears with - in, I come to Thee for rest.
cus - er face, And tell him, thou hast died.
such as I, Might plead thy gra - cious Name!

THANKSGIVING

[†] *All Creatures of our God and King*

Hymn **58**

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

PETITION

[†]Prayer of Intercession

Offering

MINISTRY OF THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING

1 Kings 8:22-61
2 Corinthians 5:1-10

[†] *Nearer, Still Nearer*

Hymn **382**

MORRIS

THE SERMON

The Intercessory Ministry of Jesus Christ
Mark 1:33-39

[†] *Nearer, My God, to Thee*

Hymn **439**

BETHANY

[†] PRAYER & BLESSING

[†] *Congregation will stand*



Prayer Meeting, 6:00 PM



The Intercessory Ministry of Jesus Christ *from* Mark 1:33-39

Pastor George Stiekes

Jesus had a very active ministry and knew what it was to be mentally and physically exhausted. We must not fail to recognize that Jesus gave up the rights of His deity, living and ministering as a Spirit-filled man. He was, as we must be, entirely dependent upon His Heavenly Father.

I. The Secret of Christ's Power (Mark 1:33-35)

II. The Shortsightedness of Peter (Mark 1:36-37)

III. The Sense of Christ's Purpose (Mark 1:38-39).



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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
TUESDAY—7pm, Watchmen's Meeting

WEDNESDAY—6:45pm, AWANA; 7:00pm, Visitation, Youth & Adult Bible Studies

FEB 7th—6pm, Membership Class

FEB 9th—11am to 2pm, Kindred Spirits' Event

	Jan 22	Budget	YTD	YTD Budget
General Fund	\$2,662	\$3,608	\$11,935	\$11,935
Missions	\$45		\$45	
Deacons Fund	\$0		\$556	
Building Fund	\$0		\$125	

Weekly Catechism

67. Q. What is the ninth commandment?

A. The ninth commandment is, "You shall not bear false witness against thy neighbor."

Planned Hymns for Next Week:

And Can It Be (134); Stricken, Smitten, and Afflicted; Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee (176); Were You There (240); Be Thou My Vision (374)

