

THE LORD'S DAY

May 18, 2014

WORSHIP SERVICE

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

PRELUDE

This Is My Father's World

†CALL TO WORSHIP & PRAYER OF INVOCATION

Eph 3:14–19

¹⁴ For this reason I bow my knees to the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, ¹⁵ from whom the whole family in heaven and earth is named, ¹⁶ that He would grant you, according to the riches of His glory, to be strengthened with might through His Spirit in the inner man, ¹⁷ that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith; that you, being rooted and grounded in love, ¹⁸ may be able to comprehend with all the saints what *is* the width and length and depth and height—¹⁹ to know the love of Christ which passes knowledge; that you may be filled with all the fullness of God.

Ephesians 3:14–19

ADORATION

†*Come, Thou Almighty King*

Hymn **71**
ITALIAN HYMN

†CONGREGATIONAL READING

Philippians 4:15–20

The congregation will read text in italics.

¹⁵ Now you Philippians know also that in the beginning of the gospel, when I departed from Macedonia, no church shared with me concerning giving and receiving but you only.

¹⁶ *For even in Thessalonica you sent aid once and again for my necessities.*

¹⁷ Not that I seek the gift, but I seek the fruit that abounds to your account.

¹⁸ *Indeed I have all and abound. I am full, having received from Epaphroditus the things sent from you, a sweet-smelling aroma, an acceptable sacrifice, well pleasing to God.*

¹⁹ And my God shall supply all your need according to His riches in glory by Christ Jesus.

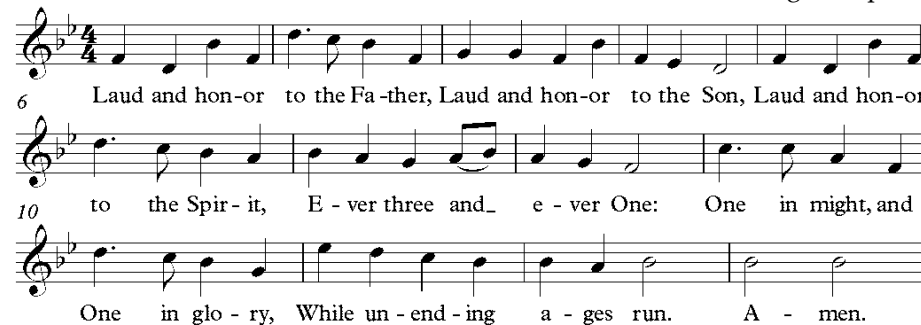
²⁰ *Now to our God and Father be glory forever and ever. Amen.*

†*Doxology*

GLORIA PATRI

Gloria Patri

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

Jesus Paid It All

Hymn **355**
ALL TO CHRIST

THANKSGIVING

†*This Is My Father's World*

String Quartet

PETITION

†Prayer of Intercession

Offering

MINISTRY OF THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 12:1–34

†*A Shelter in the Time of Storm*

Hymn **99**
SEHLTER

THE SERMON

New Covenant Giving, Part 2
Old and New Covenant Giving
Selected Scriptures

†*This Is My Father's World*

Hymn **116**
TERRA PATRIS

† PRAYER & BENEDICTION

†*Congregation will stand (if able)*



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

No evening service.



NEW COVENANT GIVING, PART 2: OLD AND NEW COVENANT GIVING (SELECTED SCRIPTURES) Pastor Greg Stiekes

“God loves a cheerful giver,” Paul tells us (2 Cor 9:7). But various opinions about when we should give, how much we should give, and to whom we should give threaten to make us “confused” givers. In Part 2 of this brief series we will examine the Old and New Testament texts on giving to discover what the Bible says our giving should look like as New Covenant People of God.

1. Old Covenant Giving a. Compulsory giving

b. Free giving

2. New Covenant Giving a. Tithing in the NT (1) Before the cross

(2) After the cross

b. The Nature of New Covenant Giving

(1) The Recipients of New Covenant Giving

(2) The Source of New Covenant Giving

(3) The Spirit of New Covenant Giving



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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, Adult Bible Study, Teen Bible Study
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, MAY 20 Kindred Spirits Prayer Breakfast
9:00 a.m. at Kelsey's

WEDNESDAY @ 7:00—Bible Study: *Staying Faithful to Truth in a Culture of Tolerance.*

	May 11	Budget	YTD	YTD Budget
General Fund	\$5,580	\$3,577	\$73,062	\$67,962
Missions	\$5		\$320	
Deacons Fund	\$10		\$2,942	
Building Fund			\$2,347	\$35,090

KIDS4TRUTH Q&A AND MEMORY VERSE FOR NEXT WEEK

Q. Does God look the other way when we sin?

A . No, God hates all sin because He is all good. **Romans 1:18**--For the wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men, who by their unrighteousness suppress the truth. (309)