

THE LORD'S DAY

September 20, 2015

WORSHIP SERVICE

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

PRELUDE

Be Still My Soul

†CALL TO WORSHIP & PRAYER OF INVOCATION

Psalm 145:1–3

ADORATION

†*I Sing the Mighty Power of God*

Hymn **6**
ELLACOMBE

†CONGREGATIONAL READING

The congregation will read text in italics.

Psalm 24

I will extol you, my God and King,
and bless your name forever and ever.

²Every day I will bless you
and praise your name forever and ever.

³Great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised,
and his greatness is unsearchable.

Psalm 145:1–3

The earth is the LORD's and the fullness thereof,
the world and those who dwell therein,

²*for he has founded it upon the seas
and established it upon the rivers.*

³Who shall ascend the hill of the LORD?
And who shall stand in his holy place?

⁴*He who has clean hands and a pure heart,
who does not lift up his soul to what is false
and does not swear deceitfully.*

⁵*He will receive blessing from the LORD
and righteousness from the God of his salvation.*

⁶Such is the generation of those who seek him,
who seek the face of the God of Jacob.

⁷*Lift up your heads, O gates!
And be lifted up, O ancient doors,
that the King of glory may come in.*

⁸Who is this King of glory?

*The LORD, strong and mighty,
the LORD, mighty in battle!*

⁹*Lift up your heads, O gates!
And lift them up, O ancient doors,
that the King of glory may come in.*

¹⁰Who is this King of glory?

*The LORD of hosts,
he is the King of glory!*

†*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

There Is a Fountain

Hymn **258**
CLEANSING FOUNTAIN

THANKSGIVING

Grace

Vocal Solo, Kaitlynn Tompkins



CONFLICT IN THE GENTILE MISSION, PART 2— ACTS 18:1–20:6
Pastor Greg Stiekes



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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

WEDNESDAY -Awana at 6:45
Adult Bible Study at 7:00
Teen activity at the church at 7:00

NEXT WEEKEND: Ordination Services for Jonathan Bishop
Saturday, Sept 26 at 9:00 -- Ordination Council
Sunday, Sept 27 at 3:00 -- Ordination Service, no evening service

	Sept 13	Budget	YTD	YTD Budget
General Fund	\$3,421	\$3,725	\$122,749	\$137,825
Missions	\$38		\$7,932	
Deacons Fund	\$150		\$5,551	
Building Fund	\$73		\$3,020	\$49,841

KIDS4TRUTH Q&A AND MEMORY VERSE FOR NEXT WEEK

Q. What is "repentance"?
A . Repentance is a gift from God that makes sinners willing and able to turn away from their sins and turn to Him instead.
1 Thessalonians 1:9b--You turned to God from idols to serve the living and true God. (905)
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PETITION

†Prayer of Intercession

Offering

MINISTRY OF THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING

Revelation 9

Be Still, My Soul

Hymn **296**
HYFRYDOL

THE SERMON

Conflict in the Gentile World, Part 2 (Continued)
Acts 18:1–20:6

† *Consecration Hymn*

Hymn **378**
CONSECRATION HYMN

† PRAYER & BENEDICTION

† *Congregation will stand (if able)*



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

No evening service.

As the Lord led Paul into new Gentile territory, there were always fresh conflicts which tempted to make the apostle fearful. But the Lord gave Paul full assurance of his divine presence with the words, "I am with you," strongly reminiscent of God's promise to Moses as he also took the Word of God before the Gentiles. The Lord's presence in Paul's ministry took the form of several wonderful provisions:

1. The Provision of Divine Protection.
2. The Provision of Faithful Partners.
3. The Provision of the Spirit's Power.

