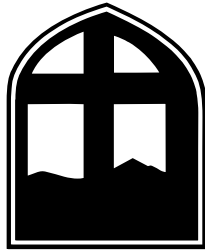


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Our Father in heaven,
Hallowed be Your name.

Matthew 6:9b

THE LORD'S DAY

November 6, 2011

WORSHIP SERVICE

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

MEDITATION

And [Rehoboam] did evil, because he did not prepare his heart to seek the Lord.
2 Chronicles 12:14

PRELUDE

O Sacred Head, Now Wounded

PASSION CHORALE

†CALL TO WORSHIP & PRAYER OF INVOCATION

Matthew 6:9b

ADORATION

†Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

Hymn **63**

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†CONGREGATIONAL READING

Colossians 1:13-20

The congregation will read text in italics.

¹³ He has delivered us from the power of darkness and conveyed *us* into the kingdom of the Son of His love,

¹⁴ *in whom we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins.*

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

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.

DIADEMATA

PETITION

+Prayer of Intercession

Offering

MINISTRY OF THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING

1 Kings 1:1-27
1 Corinthians 14:26-40

+O Sacred Head, Now Wounded

Hymn **241**
PASSION CHORALE

SCRIPTURE READING

John 6:1-15

THE SERMON

Offering the Blessing
Matthew 14:14-20

CONFESSION & ASSURANCE OF PARDON

+Before the Throne of God Above

Text: Charitie Lees Bancroft (1841-1923) Before the Throne of God Above

Tune: John Hatton (c. 1710-1793), DUKE STREET ("Jesus Shall Reign")

Before the throne of God above
I have a strong, a perfect plea,
A great High Priest, whose name is love,
Who ever lives and pleads for me.

My name is graven in His hands,
My name is written on His heart;
I know that, while in heav'n He stands,
No tongue can bid me thence depart.

Hymn

When Satan tempts me to despair,
And tells me of the guilt within,
Upward I look and see Him there
Who made an end of all my sin.

Because the sinless Saviour died,
My sinful soul is counted free;
For God the Just is satisfied
To look on Him, and pardon me.

Behold Him there! the risen Lamb!
My perfect, spotless righteousness,
The great unchangeable I Am,
The King of glory and of grace!

One with Himself, I cannot die,
My soul is purchased by His blood;
My life is hid with Christ on high,
With Christ, my Saviour and my God.

THE LORD'S TABLE

Scripture Reading: 1 Corinthians 11:23-32

Prayer & Receiving of the Bread

Prayer & Receiving of the Cup

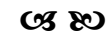
Deacons Fund Offering

+Crown Him with Many Crowns

Hymn **46**
DIADEMATA

+PRAYER & BENEDICTION

+Congregation will stand



Prayer Meeting, 6:00 PM



Offering the Blessing *from* Matthew 14:14-20

Pastor George Stiekes

Jesus taught us many things about prayer in the Gospels, but He also demonstrated the importance of prayer before His followers. While we recognize that our private praying ought to be in secret, we should also recognize that our public praying will only be as good as our private praying. One aspect of our Lord's praying that should be practiced more in our lives is that of thanksgiving, thanking God on a regular basis for all that He continues to bestow on us. Praying before a meal is a very common practice in our homes but often it becomes more of a ritual than it does sincere prayer. This is a prayer of thanksgiving and should reflect our humble praise and thankfulness to God, Who daily benefits our lives.

I. The Purpose for Thanks Giving (Matthew 14:14-20).

II. The Process of Giving Thanks (Matthew 14:19; John 6:11)

III. The People Who Can Give Thanks (Matthew 6:5-13)



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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

WEDNESDAY—6:45PM, AWANA; 7PM, Visitation, Youth & Evangelism Study; 8:30PM, Deacons Mtg

NEXT SUNDAY—Fellowship Dinner

NOVEMBER 19th—8AM, Men & Boys Prayer Brkfst

NOVEMBER 20th—6PM, Praise Service w/Bethany Baptist of Brevard

	Oct 30	Budget	YTD	YTD Budget
General Fund	\$3,737	\$3,677	\$156,404	\$161,785
Missions	\$0		\$3,788	
Deacons Fund	\$220		\$6,204	
Building Fund	\$25		\$4,360	

Weekly Catechism

56. Q. What was required in the fourth commandment?

A. The fourth commandment required the keeping holy to God such set times as he has appointed in his Word, expressly one whole day in seven, to be a holy Sabbath to himself.

Lev 19:30; Deut 5:12

Planned Hymns for Next Week:

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah (83); Rock of Ages (451); Rejoice, the Lord is King (1); Leader of Faithful Souls, and Guide; Christ the Lord is Risen Today (273)

