

THE LORD'S DAY

September 27, 2015

WORSHIP SERVICE

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

PRELUDE

Our Great Savior

†CALL TO WORSHIP & PRAYER OF INVOCATION

Psalm 28:6–7

ADORATION

† *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name*

Hymn **30**

DIADEM

† CONGREGATIONAL READING

Psalm 27

The congregation will read text in italics.

27 The LORD is my light and my salvation;
whom shall I fear?

*The LORD is the stronghold of my life;
of whom shall I be afraid?*

2 When evildoers assail me
to eat up my flesh,
my adversaries and foes,
it is they who stumble and fall.

3 *Though an army encamp against me,
my heart shall not fear;
though war arise against me,
yet I will be confident.*

4 One thing have I asked of the LORD,
that will I seek after:
that I may dwell in the house of the LORD
all the days of my life,
to gaze upon the beauty of the LORD
and to inquire in his temple.

5 *For he will hide me in his shelter
in the day of trouble;
he will conceal me under the cover of his tent;
he will lift me high upon a rock.*

6 And now my head shall be lifted up
above my enemies all around me,
and I will offer in his tent
sacrifices with shouts of joy;
I will sing and make melody to the LORD.

7 *Hear, O LORD, when I cry aloud;
be gracious to me and answer me!...*

11 Teach me your way, O LORD,
and lead me on a level path
because of my enemies....

14 *Wait for the LORD;
be strong, and let your heart take courage;
wait for the LORD!*

† *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

His Robes for Mine

ANDERSON

His robes for mine: O wonderful exchange!
Clothed in my sin, Christ suffered 'neath God's rage.
Draped in His righteousness, I'm justified.
In Christ I live, for in my place He died.

*I cling to Christ, and marvel at the cost:
Jesus forsaken, God estranged from God.
Bought by such love, my life is not my own.
My praise-my all-shall be for Christ alone.*

His robes for mine: what cause have I for dread?
God's daunting Law Christ mastered in my stead.
Faultless I stand with righteous works not mine,
Saved by my Lord's vicarious death and life.

His robes for mine: God's justice is appeased.
Jesus is crushed, and thus the Father's pleased.
Christ drank God's wrath on sin, then cried "'Tis done!"
Sin's wage is paid; propitiation won.

Blessed be the LORD!

For he has heard the voice of my pleas
for mercy.

The LORD is my strength and my shield;

in him my heart trusts, and I am
helped;

my heart exults,

and with my song I give thanks to him.

Psalm 28:6–7



His robes for mine: such anguish none can know.
 Christ, God's beloved, condemned as though His foe.
 He, as though I, accursed and left alone;
 I, as though He, embraced and welcomed home!

THANKSGIVING

The King of Love My Shepherd Is Vocal Solo, Tim Renner

PETITION

†Prayer of Intercession & Offering

MINISTRY OF THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING Revelation 10

Our Great Savior Hymn **177**
 HYFRYDOL

THE SERMON

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

† *Jesus, Lover of My Soul* Hymn **356**
 CONSECRATION HYMN

† **PRAYER & BENEDICTION**

† *Congregation will stand (if able)*



3:00, Ordination Service for Jonathan Bishop



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

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:

Last week:

1. The Provision of Divine Protection.

Today:

2. The Provision of Faithful Partners.

3. The Provision of the Spirit’s Power.



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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--Watchmen's Meeting at 7:00pm

WEDNESDAY -Awana at 6:45
 Adult Bible Study at 7:00
 Teen Bible Study at St Jacques home at 7:00

NEXT SUNDAY: Combined Sunday School/Prayer Time 9:45

Sunday, October 11-- Baby Shower for Katie St. Jacques
 4:00-6:00 pm

Kindred Spirits: Leaf "peepers" trip --Blue Ridge Pkwy.
 Lunch at Pisgah Inn
 October 9--Leave church at 10:00am

	Sept 20	Budget	YTD	YTD Budget
General Fund	\$3,561	\$3,725	\$126,310	\$141,550
Missions			\$7,932	
Deacons Fund			\$5,551	
Building Fund	\$50		\$3,070	\$49,891