

Bethany

B I B L E C H U R C H



And the Spirit and the bride say,

“Come!”

And let him who hears say, “Come!”

And let him who thirsts come.

Whoever desires, let him take
the water of life freely.

Revelation 22:17

THE LORD'S DAY

February 27, 2011

Worship Service

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

Meditation

Therefore take heed to yourselves and to all the flock,
among which the Holy Spirit has made you overseers, to
shepherd the church of God which He purchased with His
own blood. Acts 20:28

Prelude

Come, Thou Almighty King

Italian Hymn

†Call to Worship & Prayer of Invocation

Revelation 22:17

Adoration

†*Come, Thou Almighty King*

Hymn **71**
Italian Hymn

†**Congregational Reading** *from Revelation 19:1-8*

The congregation will read text in italics.

After these things I heard a loud voice of a great multitude in heaven,
saying,

*“Alleluia! Salvation and glory and honor and power belong to the Lord our
God!”*

And the twenty-four elders and the four living creatures fell down and
worshiped God who sat on the throne, saying, “Amen! Alleluia!” Then
a voice came from the throne, saying,

*“Praise our God, all you His servants and those who fear Him, both small and
great!”*

And I heard, as it were, the voice of a great multitude, as the sound of
many waters and as the sound of mighty thunderings, saying,

“Alleluia! For the Lord God Omnipotent reigns! Let us be glad and rejoice and give Him glory, for the marriage of the Lamb has come, and His wife has made herself ready.”

And to her it was granted to be arrayed in fine linen, clean and bright, for the fine linen is the righteous acts of the saints.

[†] *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

Before the Throne of God Above Hymn
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.

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.

Thanksgiving

[†]*Grace Greater than Our Sin* Hymn **157**
Moody

Petition

[†]Prayer of Intercession

Offering

Ministry of the Word

Scripture Reading Leviticus 6:8-30
Hebrews 11:1-12

[†]*Come, We that Love the Lord* Hymn **53**
St Thomas

THE SERMON

The Blood of Christ, Part 2
Hebrews 9:15-22

[†]*The Sands of Time are Sinking* Hymn **559**
Rutherford

† Prayer & Benediction

[†]*Congregation will stand*



Prayer Meeting, 6:00 PM

The Blood of Christ, Part 2 – Hebrews 9:15-22
 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, visitation, fellowship groups
Please note weekly announcements for any changes to this schedule.

The first half of Hebrews 9 draws a contrast between the blood of bulls and goats brought by priests into the earthly tabernacle, and the work of Christ who entered the heavenly tabernacle with His own blood, securing “eternal redemption.” But what is significant about the “blood” of Christ? Hebrews 9:15-22 offers us *three eternal benefits* that the blood of Christ accomplished for believers:

1. Through His blood, Jesus became the “mediator of the new covenant.”
2. Through His blood, Jesus secured the “eternal inheritance.”
3. Through His blood, Jesus redeemed us from the “transgressions.”

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

- TODAY**—3 PM to 5 PM, Norma Lea Stillwell visitation at Shepherd & Sons
- MONDAY**—10 AM, Norma Lea Stillwell funeral service; gravesite service following
- WEDNESDAY** –6:45 PM, AWANA; 7 PM, Youth & Evangelism Bible Studies & Visitation
- THURSDAY**—6 PM, Parent’s and Youth Meeting
- SATURDAY**—9 AM, Church Workday

	Feb 20	Budget	YTD	YTD Budget
General Fund	\$2,815	\$3,677	\$27,470	\$29,415
Missions	\$80		\$1,213	
Deacons Fund	\$220		\$1,365	
Building Fund	\$75		\$940	

Weekly Catechism

20. Q. Did all mankind fall in Adam's first transgression?
 A. Because Adam was made the head of men and all people descended from him by ordinary generation, all sinned in him and fell with him in his first transgression.
 1 Cor 15:22; Rom 5:12