

Praise the LORD, all nations!

Extol him, all peoples!

² For great is his steadfast love toward us, and the faithfulness of the LORD endures forever.

Praise the LORD!

Psalm 117

THE LORD'S DAY

February 1, 2015

WORSHIP SERVICE

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

PRELUDE

Nearer, Still Nearer

[†]CALL TO WORSHIP & PRAYER OF INVOCATION

Psalm117

ADORATION

[†]O Worship the King

Hymn **65**

LYONS

[†]CONGREGATIONAL READING

The congregation will read text in italics.

Psalm 145:1–13

- I will extol you, my God and King, and bless your name forever and ever.
- ² Every day I will bless you and praise your name forever and ever.
- ³ Great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised, and his greatness is unsearchable.
- ⁴One generation shall commend your works to another, and shall declare your mighty acts.
- ⁵On the glorious splendor of your majesty, and on your wondrous works, I will meditate.
- ⁸ The LORD is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.
- ⁹The LORD is good to all, and his mercy is over all that he has made.

- ¹⁰ All your works shall give thanks to you, O LORD, and all your saints shall bless you!
- ¹¹They shall speak of the glory of your kingdom and tell of your power,
- ¹² to make known to the children of man your mighty deeds, and the glorious splendor of your kingdom.
- ¹³ Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and your dominion endures throughout all generations.

[†] 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

Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy

Hymn **323**

ARISE

PETITION

[†]Prayer of Intercession

Offering

MINISTRY OF THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING

Acts 16:16–40

THANKSGIVING

Holy, Holy, Holy

Vocal Solo, Kaitlynn Tompkins

THE SERMON

Jesus Commissions His Witnesses, Phase 1 (Continued) Luke 9:1–6; 10:1–20

THE LORD'S TABLE

Scripture Reading: 1 Corinthians 11:23–32

Prayer & Receiving of the Bread

Prayer & Receiving of the Cup

Deacons Fund Offering

[†]Nearer, Still Nearer

Hymn **382**

Morris

[†] Prayer & Benediction

⁺Congregation will stand (if able)

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Evening Prayer Service, 6:00 PM

JESUS COMMISSIONS HIS WITNESSES, PHASE 1: LUKE 9:1–6; 10:1–20 Pastor Greg Stiekes

Having chosen and prepared his apostles and disciples to be his witnesses (Luke 5–8), Jesus now commissions them for Phase 1 of their missionary journey. While much of Jesus' instruction is specific to this occasion, there are several principles that Jesus begins to unveil in this commissioning which continue to guide us in our mission today.

Last Lord's Day:

- 1. The Commissioning of the Twelve and the Seventy(-two):
 - a. Their Power
 - b. Their Purpose

Today:

c. Their Provision

- 2. The Unveiling of Mission Principles Still Current Today:
 - a. The Principle of Power
 - b. The Principle of Purpose
 - c. The Principle of Provision







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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 @ 6:45; Adult Bible Study @ 7:00; Teen Discipleship Study at the St. Jacques home @ 7:00

Deacons Meeting at 8:30

	Jan 25	Budget	YTD	YTD Budget
General Fund	\$2,552	\$3,725	\$12,316	\$14,900
Missions	\$50		\$596	
Deacons Fund			\$1,036	
Building Fund	\$50		\$605	\$45,273

KIDS4TRUTH Q&A AND MEMORY VERSE FOR NEXT WEEK

Q. What is "sin"?

A . Sin is any action, word, or thought that breaks God's Law. We sin either by doing or being what God forbids, or by not doing or being what God requires. **1 John 3:4**--Everyone who makes a practice of sinning also practices lawlessness; sin is lawlessness. (607)