

Sermon Notes

Share Life

- I. Share life in _____. (We _____ God)
- A. Recognize He is our _____. (Gen. 1-2; John 1:1-4; 6:33; 8:12; 10:10-11; 15:4-6)
- B. _____ in His presence. (John 15:4-10)
- C. _____ who He is. (Prov. 14:26-27; 19:23)
- II. Share life with _____. (We need each _____)
- A. Celebrate _____ together. (Acts 2:38ff; Eph. 2:1-10)
- B. Celebrate unity amidst _____. (Eph. 2:11ff; 4:1-6)
- C. Celebrate God's _____.
- III. Share life's _____. (We need _____)
- A. We are a _____ network. ("one another")
- B. We are a _____. (Eph. 2:19-22; 4:16)
- IV. Share life with _____. (Others need God & _____)
- A. We are _____. (II Cor. 5:17-20)
- B. We are _____.
- Hypocrite = nothing more than a _____ without a _____.

Psalm 56:13; I John 4:9

God proved His love _____ ?

Welcome to Bethlehem Church of Christ

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LIFE



"Remain in me, and I will remain in you. No branch can bear fruit by itself; it must remain in the vine. Neither can you bear fruit unless you remain in me. I am the vine; you are the branches. If a man remains in me and I in him, he will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing."

— John 15:4,5

January 29, 2017

Order of Worship

Welcome / Prayer

(Please pass the blue books located at the end of each pew.)

There Is Power in the Blood 449

10,000 Reasons

Mighty to Save

Near the Cross 240



All disciples of Jesus are invited to partake as the emblems are passed.

Offering to God - Guests are welcome to participate, or may simply place the visitor card in the plate.

(Offering music: Ben Parker)

Encouragement time

Special prayer commissioning

Message Tom Claibourne

Surrender

Decisions

Fire evacuation explanation

Reminders & Prayer

Bethlehem News

Welcome

We're glad you have made it a priority today to worship God with others. Thank you for wearing a name tag.

More Opportunities Today

11:45 - Fire evacuation explanation

12:15 - Missionary lunch

6:00 - Prayer & praise in the auditorium

6:15 - Youth & Adult programming - It's not too late to join the 2 new adult elective classes: Images of the Church & "Stepping Up" (Men)

This Week

Monday - Leadership class, 6:30 - 8:00 pm (fellowship hall)

Mon (30th) - Mon. (6 Feb.) Terry Parker trip with CMF to Haiti.

Tues. - 1. Ladies Bible Study, 1:00 pm.
2. Volleyball, 7:00 pm.

Wed. - 1. "Donate Life" meeting, 7:00 pm
2. Basketball, 7:00 pm

Fri. & Sat. - Middle School Believe, in Louisville (6th - 8th grade)

Sat. - Men's Prayer Breakfast, 7:00 am, sign up in the foyer.

New Sermon Series

"Living With Joy in the Midst of Stress"

Begins next Sunday - April 2

Whether your stress comes from suffering, anxiety, loneliness, conflict, grief, or other concerns,

Philippians offers hope and practical guidance.

Leadership Decision

Last October our elders, deacons, and staff unanimously decided to suspend financial support to Cincinnati Christian University, due to some philosophical and doctrinal concerns. On the family board in the hallway you can read the 2-page letter to CCU explaining the decision.

More Costume Helpers Needed

We still need 2 - 3 volunteers to oversee the costume room in 2017, and some volunteers to make minor repairs or sew some new ones.

2017 Camp Schedules

Available in the foyer. Smaller, specialty camps fill up very early. Our congregation code is: 20bethlehem17 (for camps more than \$160); and bethlehem50 (for camps \$160 or less).

This year Bethlehem will pay half the fee up to \$80 for any regular BCC attenders.

Mark Your Calendar

Feb. 17 - Rock-a-thon, 5:00 pm (17th) till 8:00 am (18th) Join us for part or all this wonderful time as a church family.

Feb. 18 - Pancake Breakfast 8:00 - 10:00 am. For Bethlehem & the community.

Mar. 18 - Women & Girls' Brunch, 10:00 am.

Do Your Part

See the 6-month ministries list available in the foyer (bell-ringing, baptistry, cleaning, pencil sharpening, etc.) Sign up if you can help. If you are currently performing something on the list and plan to continue, please sign up again.

Help Moms & Babies

Again this year you can be a blessing by supporting the ministry of the Adams County Pregnancy Resource Center by filling a baby bottle with coins, paper money, or a check. Bottles are available in the foyer.

Blessing Veterans

Evelyn Mayhugh still volunteers on Mondays at the Veterans' Home (mostly in the Gift Shop). Ben Parker still leads music for the chapel service one Sunday afternoon each month (next time: Feb 5th).

If you would like to assist Ben or volunteer like Evelyn (visiting or walking the residents, activities, etc.), please let them know.

Join Us in Praying

- ✚ Praise God as the eternal Lord of all.
- ✚ Thank God for establishing His church on the foundation of Jesus Christ.
- ✚ Thank God for His many blessings on BCC.
- ✚ Pray for God to show you ways to help BCC be our very best.
- ✚ Pray that 2017 can be a productive, life-changing year at Bethlehem.
- ✚ Connie Scott - Planter Plate tear & fractured bone in foot.
- ✚ Joan Yates - has an appointment Friday to schedule cataract surgery.
- ✚ Mission: Bajio Christian Mission (Honduras)
- ✚ Continued prayer- Wyatt Altma, Karen & Lafe Armstrong, Glana Bates, Cathy Borchers, Eunice Burgess, Axl Fannin, Frank & Pat Gelter, Jean Goins, Harry Hobson, Ken Holtzclaw, Judy Hughes, Brett Logan, Carol Mayhugh, Jeanie Meade, Russell Newman, Justin Palmer, Faye Parker, Mary Rayburn, Drew Reid, Gordon Schrichten, Betty Tatman, Jozlyn Tutt, William Twaddell.
- ✚ Other

Cleaning Teams: Kyle & Carol Truesdell
Cenci Family/Debbie F. & Nancy M.

Nursery (5) Coordinator: Melissa Brown

9:30 am - Debbie Smiley

10:30 am - Jessica Jodrey/Johnna Kattine