

**Sermon Notes**

"The Moment" — Luke 8:50

*Welcome to  
Bethlehem Church of Christ*

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"Hearing this, Jesus said to Jairus,  
'Don't be afraid; just believe, and she  
will be healed.'"

— Luke 8:50

**October 25, 2015**

## Order of Worship

Call to Worship

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

*Give Me Faith*

*Jesus Messiah*

*Follow On* 494

*I Will Follow*



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: Manning cousins)

Encouragement time

Message Mike Edmisten

*My Faith Has Found a Resting Place* 435

Decisions

Closing reminders & prayer

## Bethlehem News

### Today's 175th Anniversary Celebration

We welcome former BCC ministers and members back to Bethlehem today. Mike Edmisten (1996-2002) will speak this morning.

Our youth from Children's Worship will join us since this is "Family Sunday".

12:15 — Carry-in dinner in gym

2:00 — Special anniversary service featuring greetings from former preachers (video, letter, or in person), slides, songs through the years, video clips, and more!

(Note: Our regular evening programming and practices will resume next Sunday).

We want to thank our anniversary committee for all their work to make today special: Judy Askren, Mark Davis, Tom Claibourne, Bernice Johnson, Terry & Marilyn Parker. Also to Derek James, Ben Parker and Kevin Woollard for technical assistance on audio-visuals.

Please take time to look at the many materials, pictures and momentos that are on the display tables in the gym today.

### This Week

Tues. - Ladies Bible study, 1:00 at Ruth Hughes'

Wed. - Teen dinner & Bible Study, 6:30

Fri. - Teens THIRD SHIFT, at Sardinia, leave BCC at 5:30 and return around 12:00

Sat. - Remember to move your clocks back one hour before going to bed.

### Men's Prayer Breakfast

November 7, 7:00 am

Sign up in the foyer

### Operation Christmas Child

Share the Good News of Jesus Christ by filling a shoebox for a child. Pick up a shoebox with labels and fill with gifts. Return boxes to church by November 15.

For more information see Sharon Grooms or visit website: [www.Samaritanspurse.org](http://www.Samaritanspurse.org).

### Help Us Help Others

Please continue to bring canned foods and place them in the box in the foyer as we restock our food pantry.

This will allow us to bless others this fall and winter.

### New BCC Website

Make sure you check out our website at: [www.bethlehem505.org](http://www.bethlehem505.org)

See Derek if you have questions or thoughts. We will be adding 1 - 3 more people to work with the website.

### Fighting in Prayer

1. Find some help and guidance at [www.WarRoomMovieResources.com](http://www.WarRoomMovieResources.com)
2. Select a "prayer partner" family to pray for until the end of November. See the cards in the foyer.
3. Would you like to join our Prayer Ministry to help us become a more prayer-focused church? See Lary Lohse or one of the preachers.

### Next Sunday

We will continue our family series by looking at a vital connection: "Family & Church Family". Is it possible to develop an unhealthy perspective toward family? How can family and church family strengthen each other?

## Join Us in Praying

- ✚ Praise God as our absolute, sovereign Lord.
- ✚ Praise God for being our reason to live fearlessly with faith.
- ✚ Thank God for His power and timing to change us through life's special encounters.
- ✚ Pray for a different family each day this week.
- ✚ October Mission: Cincinnati Christian University
- ✚ Emily Wells - doctors trying to determine why there is bile in her stomach.
- ✚ Doug Black - begins therapy this week; off work one more week.
- ✚ Jack Downs - home & doing quite well following 2nd chemo treatment in Atlanta; 3rd treatment scheduled in approximately 3 weeks (in Atlanta).
- ✚ Ray Ellis - had surgery for on-the-job injury; may be off work 6-months; wife expecting baby soon; Highway Patrol Officer & Rothwell's neighbor.
- ✚ Family of Genevieve Anderson who passed away Sunday; cousin of Linda Wells.
- ✚ Family of Tia (Cooper) Rice who passed away Sunday; Linda Wells' friend.
- ✚ Family of Melody Manchester - funeral was Friday; daughter of Win & Mary Rayburn.
- ✚ Family of Greg Burns - funeral was Thursday; friend of several from Bethlehem.
- ✚ Family of Kenneth Tolle, Sr. - funeral was Wednesday; nephew of Judy Rogers.
- ✚ Continued prayer List is on the prayer board. Please update the office from time to time when you put someone on the prayer list.
- ✚ Other:

**Cleaning Teams:** Judy Askren & Sharon Grooms

David Davis Family/Sam & Brenda Young

**Nursery (1) Coordinator:** Melissa Brown

9:30 am - Patty Simpson

10:30 am - David & Melissa Brown