

## Truth In Troubled Times

### "Radical Restoration" — Jeremiah 30 - 31

#### I. God restores freedom (30:8-9; 31:11)

We get rid of \_\_\_\_\_ (Rom. 7:19 - 8:2; Heb. 2:14-15)

We \_\_\_\_\_ !

#### II. God restores peace (30:10-11)

We get rid of \_\_\_\_\_.

We \_\_\_\_\_ ! (30:12-16; Acts 3:19)

#### III. God restores wholeness (30:17; 31:25)

We get rid of \_\_\_\_\_.

We live with \_\_\_\_\_ ! (Ps. 51:10ff)

#### IV. God restores us home (30:3, 18-20)

We get rid of our \_\_\_\_\_ (Heb. 4:14-16)

We live \_\_\_\_\_ to God ! (30:21-22)

#### V. God restores joy (31:1-4; 10-14)

We get rid of \_\_\_\_\_ . (32:17)

We \_\_\_\_\_ ! (31:10; Psalm 23:2-3)

Will I \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ to where life is best?

## Welcome to Bethlehem Church of Christ

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*"Their leader will be one of their own; their ruler will arise from among them. I will bring him near and he will come close to me, for who is he who will devote himself to be close to me?"*  
Declares the LORD. *'So you will be my people, and I will be your God.'*

— Jeremiah 30:21-22

November 12, 2017

## Order of Worship

Opening thoughts / Recognition of veterans

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

*Open Up the Heavens*

*Jesus*

Encouragement time

*Revive Us Again* 719

*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.

Prayer for November marriages

Message Tom Claibourne

*Come Home Running*

Decisions

Important announcement, reminders, & prayer

## Bethlehem News

### More Opportunities Today

6:00 - Prayer & praise in the auditorium.

6:15 - Youth & adult programming.

7:15 - Adult choir practice

### This Week

Tues. 1. Ladies Bible Study, 1:00

2. Grief Share Seminar, 6:00

3. Volleyball, 7:00

Fri. & Sat. - Faithgirlz meeting / sleepover  
7:00 pm - 9:00 am

Sat. - College & Career Service project at the homeless shelter in West Union; leave BCC at 8:30 am.

### Say "Thank You" By Helping

God has blessed us with wonderful facilities and resources at Bethlehem. We can each thank Him and our church family by completing at least one of the remaining jobs on the work list in the foyer.

When you complete a job, please write "Done" beside it.

### Special Study Help

Copies are still available as a supplement to our current message series, "Truth in Troubled Times", from the book of Jeremiah. Get yours on the foyer welcome counter.

### Thanksgiving Dinner

Next Sunday, 12:15

Attendance and food sign up sheets are on the counter in the foyer. Please sign up today if you plan to attend and indicate what dish(s) you can bring.

### Operation Christmas Child

Please return boxes to church by this evening.

### "Becoming a Christian" Class

Nov. 19, 26, Dec. 3, 10 - 9:30 am

See Derek for more information.

### Food Pantry Needs

Our inventory is very low. Here are items we need as we approach winter and the holiday season: Canned meats, fruits & vegetables; soups (canned or mix); Beans (baked or soup); Mac-n-cheese; Peanut butter & jelly; spaghetti & sauce.

Place your items in the box in the foyer.

### Mark Your Calendars

Nov. 24 - Set up for living nativity (we'll need 4 to 6 guys to help - see Josh Souder)

Nov. 25 - Living nativity in West Union

Dec. 2 - Move stable to Winchester

Dec. 3 - Sounds & Tastes, hosted by BCC

Dec. 8 - Living Nativity in Winchester

Dec. 10 - Christmas Caroling

### Free Fiction Books !!

More than 80 books are available in the foyer. Most were duplicates. We are out of shelf space in the fiction section of the library. Jeanette Oke, Beverly Lewis, Lori Wick and more!

### Christmas Helping Hands

If you know a family that needs help with gifts or food for Christmas, please let Geraldine Naylor or Morgan Edmisten know this week.

We may also work with the Adams County Homeless Shelter to assist.

## Join Us in Praying

- ✠ Praise God as the Lord who creates and restores
- ✠ Praise God for being true and faithful.
- ✠ Thank God for His grace and for second chances.
- ✠ November Mission: Persecuted Christians
- ✠ Kyle Truesdell - had a microdiscectomy Thursday to repair his spine; no work or lifting for 12 weeks.
- ✠ Libby Hall - Diverticulosis; dietary changes needed.
- ✠ Tammy Huston - progressing well; may be moved to OVM this weekend.
- ✠ Scott Sheridan & family - wife passed away on a mission trip in Kenya last week; Scott is a preacher friend of Tom.
- ✠ Continued prayer - Butch & Shirley Arn, Jack Downs, Frank & Pat Gelter, Alan Graham, Harry & Delores Hobson, Ken Holtzclaw, Nancy Hughes, Heather Huston, Abby Kyle, Sandy Manning, Beau Moore, Faye Parker, April Reeves, Gordon Schrichten, Bernice Smith, Kevin Stapleton, Curt Steelman, Matt Taylor, Sharon Vaughn.
- ✠ Other:

**Cleaning Teams:** Bihl Family/Clifton Family  
Terry & Marilyn Parker

**Nursery (19) Coordinator:** Kristen Souder  
9:30 - Suegene Tatman  
10:30 - Lauren Holton & Kayla Berry