

Living With Joy in the Midst of Stress

“Imitating Jesus” — Philippians 2:1-11

I. Jesus knew who He was. (5-7)

A. He was _____. (Heb. 1:1-3, 7-8; John 1:1-4, 14)
... so He _____ like He was.

B. We are God’s _____. (1-2)
... so we should _____ like we are.

II. Jesus knew the power of serving. (6-7)

A. So He _____.
1. By _____ here. (6; II Cor. 8:9)
2. _____ He was here. (Matt. 20:26-28)

B. So we must _____. (2:3-5; II Cor. 4:5)
Do you live by 1:21 or 2:21?

III. Jesus knew the power of submission. (8)

A. Our _____ comes through His submission (Lk. 22:42)
B. A _____ life comes through our submission.

IV. Jesus knew the conclusion. (9-11)

A. Victory and _____ for Him. (Heb. 12:2; Eph. 1:19-23)
B. Victory and _____ for His people. (Rev. 17:14)

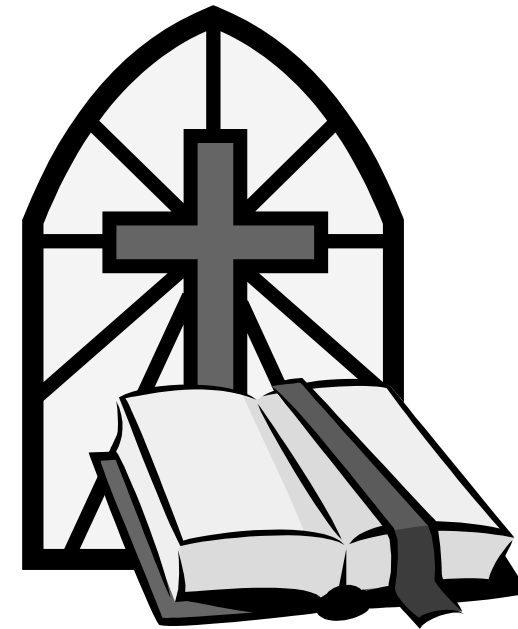
***Every knee will bow ! (2:10) Every tongue will confess (2:11).**

The key is _____ we bow and confess !

Welcome to Bethlehem Church of Christ

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“Therefore God exalted him to the highest place and gave him the name that is above every name, that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.”

— Philippians 2:9-11

February 26, 2017

Order of Worship

Welcome & Opening Thoughts

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

Jesus

Jesus Messiah

Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus 327

The Heart of Worship

There's Something About That Name 148



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.

Message Tom Claibourne

Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus 327

Decisions

Reminders & Prayer

Bethlehem News

Today

Gus Denzik from Butler Springs will speak to teens and adults in the auditorium at 9:30 & Children's Worship at 10:30. He will explain the many camps and other activities available. It is also our first official camp registration day.

2017 camp schedules are available in the foyer. You may also go to www.butlersprings.com to register on line. The code for camps \$160 or less is "**Bethlehem 50**"; for camps over \$160, **20Bethlehem17**".

If you have questions or need help registering see [Lisa Berry](#). Once again Bethlehem will pay half the fee, up to \$80 for all BCC youth.

More Opportunities Today

6:00 - Prayer & praise in the auditorium

6:15 - Youth & Adult programming

7:15 - Adult choir practice

This Week

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

Tuesday - Volleyball, 7:00 pm

Wednesday - 1. Office Ministry, 3:00 pm
2. Donate Life meeting, 7:00 pm
3. Basketball, 7:00 pm

Friday - Faithgirlz Outing - canvas painting in the gym, 6:00 pm.

Saturday - 1. Men's Prayer Breakfast, 7:00 am (sign up in the foyer).
2. College & Career class trip to hockey game in Cincinnati, 5:15 pm. Please give your \$21 to Emily Wells.

Help Moms & Babies

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. More bottles are available in the foyer.

Costume Helpers

[Suzanne Moore](#) is overseeing the costume room in 2017. Please let her know if you would like to assist her or make some minor sewing repairs occasionally.

Mark Your Calendar

March 5 - Sportsmen's Expo meeting, 3 pm.

March 8 - 1. Warrior Women, 7:00 pm
2. Leadership meeting, 7:00 pm

March 10 -11 - Guys Only at camp.

March 11 - Leadership Generosity Summit in Cincinnati. Join Tom & some of our leaders for this free conference.

March 18 - Women & Girls' Brunch, 10:00 am. (see posters in foyer)

March 24, 25 - CMF Dinner Theater presents "Klondike Kalamity" performed by the Gaslight Players at the Sardinia Church of Christ, 7:00 pm. See [Terry Parker](#) for tickets.

March 26 - Missionary lunch / Haiti report

April 8 - Sportsmen's Expo

July 16 - 20 - VBS



Will You Respond?

Will you step up in any of these areas: Clean and organize the weight room; repair the filtered light covers for the Children's Worship stage in the gym; Oversee the sports equipment; Various organizing projects in the basement; 6-month ministries on the list in the foyer.

Rock-A-Thon

Please turn all rock-a-thon money into Melanie Ohnewehr by March 5, and don't forget to thank your sponsors.

Join Us in Praying

- ✚ Praise God for being the sovereign Lord on His eternal throne.
- ✚ Praise God for His matchless grace.
- ✚ Thank God for the gift of His Son.
- ✚ Thank God for the power of submission.
- ✚ Mission: Christian Restoration Association
- ✚ Karen Armstrong - in group therapy at Adams Co. Hospital; change in some medications.
- ✚ Linda Howland - left the Villa but has been back in Clermont Hosp.; very weak.
- ✚ Randy Campbell - successful heart surgery Wednesday; nephew of Suzanne Moore.
- ✚ Dan Naylor - diagnosed with melanoma last week (3rd bout with cancer); Steve's brother.
- ✚ Continued prayer- Wyatt Altma, Glana Bates, Cathy Borchers, Eunice Burgess, John Day, 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, Matt Taylor, William Twaddell.
- ✚ Other

Cleaning Teams: Basford Family
Mike H. & David T. / Judy A. & Sharon G.

Nursery (5) Coordinator: Jessica Cornette
9:30 am - Kristen Souder
10:30 am - Sarah Manning & Tami Davis