

Sermon Notes

Celebrating God's Creatures — Psalm 104:10 - 24

- I. **Animals are** _____.
- A. Amazing _____ (Gen. 1; Num. 14:21)
- B. Amazing _____ (Gen. 7:2-3, 15-16; Prov. 12:10)
- II. **Animals are** _____ (Job 12:7-10)
- III. **Animals are** _____.
- A. _____ has a _____ purpose. (Gen. 6-7)
- B. _____ each have a unique _____. (I Cor. 12)
- IV. **Animals are** _____ **to humans.**
- A. We are _____ in God's _____. (Gen. 1:26-28; Psalm 8:3-9)
- B. We are given animals for God's _____ and our _____ (Gen. 1:21-30, 3:21, 7:2-3, 8:20; 9:1-7)
- C. We are not to _____ animals. (Rom. 1:21-23; Ex. 32)
- D. We are _____ by God. (Luke 12:6,7; Mark 5; Matt. 23:37)

Will you _____ respond to God's _____
love for you?

Welcome to Bethlehem Church of Christ

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“How many are your works, O LORD! In wisdom you made them all; the earth is full of your creatures.”

— Psalm 104:24

July 15, 2018

Order of Worship

Welcome & prayer

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

Jesus

Great Are You, Lord

I Love You, Lord

Revelation Song



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.

Volunteer recognition

Encouragement time

What's your favorite animal?

This is My Father's World

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Message

Tom Claibourne

O Come to The Altar

Decisions

Reminders & Prayer

Bethlehem News

More Opportunities Today

2:00 - Judy Askren will lead the music at the Veterans Home. Please see her if you would like to help.

Thank You !

We want to thank those who helped keep the tent clean Wednesday, and those who helped lead the worship service last Sunday at the Adams County Fair.

Macon Church of Christ Revival

Tonight - Wednesday, 6:45 pm
Evangelist: Kerry Allen

Junior Deputy Boot Camp

Thursday - Saturday
Manchester

We can help change the lives of at-risk youth in Adams County by volunteering. See Tom if you might be able to help with this camp or one later in the summer.

Additional camp dates:

July 26 - 28 - Peebles

Aug. 9 - 11 - West Union

(Our group usually serves in West Union).

New Deacon Candidates

Our elders have spoken to some men concerning the possibility of serving as deacons. Those who have agreed to have their names submitted to the congregation for consideration are: Dusty Campbell, Doug Davis, Mark Davis, & Mike Huston.

A congregational vote will take place next Sunday. Article VIII, Section 2 of the Bethlehem By-Laws says all votes shall require a 2/3 majority of the active members present and voting for passage .

This Week

Wednesday, Leadership meeting, 7:00 pm
Wed. & Thurs. - Person to Person Ministries 2018 Summer Work Days, 8:00 am - 5:00 pm

Fair Results

Let us know how you did with your projects at the fair by signing the paper in the foyer.

Summer Connection Challenge

(Sunday evenings through Sept. 2)

We encourage you to use these evenings to initiate gatherings with others (a hike, a cook-out, an outdoor game night, a service project, an ice cream or watermelon gathering, etc.).

Maybe partner with another family and invite 1 or 2 other families. Get together with people you want to know better. Be creative. Share the cost. Consider a neutral location (park, church camp, etc.).

"Summer Connection Challenge" is about relationships. It's about getting as many people as possible interacting and sharing life. It's about Biblical hospitality and new friendships.

For those at BCC who last summer worked at this and took it seriously, it was a huge success. Don't wait for someone else. Reach out. Love. Invite. Initiate. Begin your list today!

Family Camp

July 23 - 26

Restoration Acres, Hillsboro

Join thousands of other believers for great sessions for all ages. Adult session speakers include Johnny Pressley, Lee Mason, Ryan Cox, Aaron Davis, D. J. Maxey, George Faull, Tom Claibourne, Creighton Beatty, and more.

There will be a Sunday evening rally & concert, July 22. See the poster on the Events Board for more details.

Join Us in Praying

- ✚ Praise God for being perfect in power, love and wisdom
- ✚ Praise God for the amazing variety in His creation.
- ✚ Pray for wisdom in being a good steward of His creation.
- ✚ Pray for a trusting and faithful heart as you follow the Lord Jesus.
- ✚ Pray for our important search for a staff member.
- ✚ Mission - Grundy Mountain Mission School
- ✚ Linda Bihl - progressing ahead of schedule.
- ✚ Brett Logan - doing well with therapy twice each week.
- ✚ John Woollard - pneumonia gone, but still unable to walk.
- ✚ Evelyn Wamsley - good follow-up visit; is to begin putting some weight on that leg & increase walking.
- ✚ Kendall Ayers - (4 months) she couldn't function without the trac & G-tube; they were reinserted.
- ✚ Bill Tumbleson - chemo stopped growth of cancer in the right lung; some fluid in left lung; follow-up CT scan in about 6 weeks; Lori Baldrige's dad.
- ✚ Linda Cantrell - got home recently; Caitlyn Dugan's grandmother.
- ✚ Continued prayer list is on the prayer board.

CMF Yard Sale

Aug. 2,3,4 - from daylight to dark at the corner of 32 & Freeh Rd., Sardinia. Call the office if you want to drop off items at BCC prior to the sale. Proceeds will fund church & school buildings in Haiti. For more information see or call Terry Parker (937-768-6646).

Cleaning Teams: Mark & Terri D. Melissa B. & Jessica C./Cora & Melissa L.

Mowing: This week: Jeff Foster
Next: Pat Berry

Nursery (22) Coordinator: Jessica Cornette
9:30 - Suegene Tatman
10:30 - Angela Rothwell & Jessica Huston