

# GRADUATION SUNDAY

## Following God's Plan — Jonah

- Do I \_\_\_\_\_ giving up \_\_\_\_\_ in my \_\_\_\_\_?
- Will I let \_\_\_\_\_ have \_\_\_\_\_?

### Jonah 1

“The belly of the fish is not a happy place to live, but it is a good place to learn.” - - R. T. Kendall, “Jonah An Exposition”

### Jonah 3

- “Jonah’s \_\_\_\_\_ and the Lord’s \_\_\_\_\_.”
- If you are a \_\_\_\_\_, you are in \_\_\_\_\_!
- Pray every day to surrender your life or situation to God to let Him work through it and you.
- “God’s wish for His \_\_\_\_\_ is \_\_\_\_\_ not \_\_\_\_\_.”

- - B. K. Page & F.S. Smith, “Amos, Obadiah, Jonah”

God could have said, “\_\_\_\_\_.”

Instead, He said, “\_\_\_\_\_.”

# Welcome to Bethlehem Church of Christ

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“But the LORD provided a great fish to swallow Jonah, and Jonah was inside the fish three days and three nights.” — Jonah 1:17

“Then the word of the LORD came to Jonah a second time: ‘Go to the great city of Nineveh and proclaim to it the message I give you.’” — Jonah 3:1,2

May 19, 2019

## Order of Worship

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

*I Will Follow*

Encouragement time

*Who You Say I Am*

*Yes, I Will*

*The Cross Has the Final Word*



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.

Parent letters to graduates

Blessing song for graduates                      Adult choir

Message    Christian Martin

*Who You Say I Am*

Decisions / Prayer in fellowship hall

Reminders & prayer

## Bethlehem News

### More Opportunities Today

- Luncheon for graduates and their families, 12:00. Thank you to those who provided the food.
- Butler Springs Camp Open House, 2 - 4 pm. Free popcorn, funnel cakes & slushies; zipline & climbing tower; Bazooka Ball; S.A.F.E. Archery; Bubble Balls; Pedal carts and more.
- Women's Bible Study, 5 pm
- Prayer & praise in the auditorium, 6 pm
- Youth & adult programming, 6:15
- Adult choir practice, 7:15

### BCC Graduates

#### High School

**Jon Beath** - Eastern

**Matthew Biggs** - North Adams

**Grace Fraley** - North Adams

**Addyson Lambert** - Bethel

**Brett Logan** - Manchester

#### University

**Megan Martin** - Shawnee State; Bachelors Business (Health Care Admin.); May 4.

**Johnna Kattine** - Morehead State; Masters in school counseling; May 11.

### Parking Lots

A special thanks to Josh, Dawson & Rylan Souder for painting 3 new handicap parking spaces and re-painting all the lines for the lots.

### Partner to Help Youth

Next Sunday is the last day to bring in bottles of assorted fruit juices for our wonderful church camp. Put them in one of the boxes in the foyer.

## Mark Your Calendar

- June 17-20 - VBS - Volunteer forms are available on the VBS table in the foyer. Completed forms need to be returned to Danielle, Monica or put in the box. Invitation cards are available in the foyer for you to use to invite children to our VBS. Take as many as you will use. Help us hang up posters in area towns. (available in the foyer).
- June 23 - Christian's ordination service.

### New BCC Shepherding Structure

Our leaders are developing a plan to help better shepherd all of us at Bethlehem, and help us build strong, healthy, mutually-supportive relationships. An elder and 2 deacons will oversee each of the 5 groups. Last Sunday we had 18 families or individuals sign up to participate. If you have not signed up and would like to participate, please pick up a blank form on the table, complete and put it in the box. Our goal is that every regularly-attending person or family will fill out one of the brief papers to take advantage of this opportunity.

We hope to begin dividing up groups in early June.

### New BCC Directory

We would like to do a new church directory (our last was 2015). If you would be interested in helping on the planning team to work with the company, please notify our church office soon.

We will not move forward until we have 3-5 volunteers.

### Sunday Evenings

May 26 - No gathering (Memorial Day & graduations).

June 2 & 9 - Vesper service in pavilion.

June 16 - No gathering (Fathers Day).

June 23 - Travel to West Portsmouth for Christian's ordination.

June 30 - Patriotic Picnic

## Join Us in Praying

- ✚ Praise God as the Lord of perfect knowledge.
- ✚ Thank God for His Holy Word, and for our minds to understand it.
- ✚ Pray that our graduates will seek and follow God's plan in the days and years ahead.
- ✚ Thank God for His loving, relentless pursuit of us.
- ✚ May Mission: Bousman International Radio Ministry.
- ✚ Renee Huff - doing well after some complications and subsequent tests.
- ✚ Sarah Huston - improving each day.
- ✚ Marilyn Cluxton - recovering at home from dehydration and GI problems, still weak but improving; mother of Jeff.
- ✚ Continued prayer: Jim Bird, Roberta Bolender, William Bloom, A. J. Burns, Dr. Jack Cottrell, Janet Craw, Fred Dodson, Chris Edenfield, Jodi Frenyea, Doris Gilliam, Delores Hobson, Rachel Hobson, Jackie Huston, Leona Inskeep, Joe Jandes, James Jones, Todd Leach, Arelta Light, Sandy Manning, Pat Mustard, Ruth Nixon, Jan Ragland, Sheila Roush, Ruth Shively, Bernice Smith, Nancy Smith, Steve Spratt, Kevin Stapleton, Gayle Sweet, John Swisher, Bobbi Utterback, Roger Voge, Richard Vogler, John Waits, John Woollard.
- ✚ Other:

**Cleaning Teams**: Rob Davis Family  
Souder Family/Duane & Connie Scott

**Mowing this week**: James Clifton

**Next**: Josh Souder

### **Next Sunday Nursery** :

Coordinator: Melissa Brown

9:30 - Suegene Tatman

10:30 - Melissa & David Brown