

Welcome to Bethany's time of
PRAISE & WORSHIP

❖ Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost ❖
October 18, 2020

“Come, Now is the Time to Worship”

Come, now is the time to worship
Come, now is the time to give your heart
Come, just as you are to worship
Come, just as you are before your God...come.

One day every tongue will confess you are God
One day every knee will bow
Still the greatest treasure remains for those
Who gladly choose you now. **Repeat**

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WELCOME

to Bethany and to a new week!

“Welcome Holy Spirit”

Welcome Holy Spirit
I am in Your presence
Fill me with Your power
Live inside of me. **Repeat**

You're my living water
Ever flowing fountain,
You're my comforter my counselor
Take complete control

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PRAYER FOR TODAY

Sovereign God, raise your throne in our hearts.
Created by you, let us live in your image; created
for you, let us act for your glory; redeemed by you,
let us give you what is yours, through Jesus Christ,
our Savior and Lord. Amen.

BIBLE READING

1 Thessalonians 1: 1-10

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

“Open the Eyes of My Heart”

Refrain

Open the eyes of my heart, Lord
Open the eyes of my heart
I want to see you,
I want to see you. **Repeat**

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THE HOLY GOSPEL

Matthew 22: 15-22

MESSAGE

“Great is Your Love”

Chorus 1

I will praise You O Lord my God
With all of my heart
I will glorify Your name forever
I will praise You O Lord my God
With all of my heart
I will glorify Your name forever

Chorus 2

Great is Your love to me
You have delivered me
Great is Your love to me
You have delivered me

Verse 1

Hear the passion of my prayer O Lord
I have a desperate need to praise Your name
Your forgiveness and Your mercy are the only way
That I can get to You to say

Verse 2

Just to know You is to be alive
Your love has lifted me up from my grave
You have rescued me from sin and I am blown away
It's all that I can do to say

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APOSTLES CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
He descended to the dead.
On the third day He rose again;
He ascended into heaven,
He is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and He will come to judge
the living & the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS AT BETHANY

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Petitions end,

L: Lord in your mercy,

C: **hear our prayer.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven,
Hallowed be Thy name,
Thy kingdom come,
Thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread;
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us;
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom,
and the power and the glory,
forever and ever. Amen.

BLESSING

"Step by Step"

O God You are our God
And we will ever praise You
O God You are our God
And we will ever praise You
We will seek You in the morning
And we will learn to walk in Your ways
And step-by-step You'll lead us
And we will follow You all of our days
Step by step You lead us
And we will follow You all of our days. **2x**

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DISMISSAL

P: Go in peace. Serve the Lord. With enthusiasm!
C: **Thanks be to God! And we will!**

Please Wait

to be ushered out after the service,
if we have people seated in most of "pods."
Thank you!

Please take this bulletin with you.