

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

January 17, 2021

8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

The Prelude

Andrew Pressley

Welcome & Announcements

THE SERVICE OF APPROACH TO GOD

*The Salutation

*The Call to Worship

*The Opening Hymn

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Ye Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim

Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To him be glory both now and forever! 2 Pet. 3:18

1. Ye ser - vants of God, your Mas - ter pro - claim,
2. God rul - eth on high, al - might - y to save;
3. Sal - va - tion to God, who sits on the throne!
4. Then let us a - dere, and give him his right,

and pub - lish a - broad his won - der - ful name;
and still he is nigh - his pres - ence we have.
Let all cry a - loud and hon - or the Son.
all glo - ry and pow'r, and wis - dom and might,

*Please stand, if you are able

the name, all vic - to - rious, of Je - sus ex - tol;
The great con - gre - ga - tion his tri - umph shall sing,
The prais - es of Je - sus the an - gels pro - claim,
all hon - or and bless - ing, with an - gels a - bove,

his king - dom is glo - rious and rules o - ver all.
as - crib - ing sal - va - tion to Je - sus, our King.
fall down on their fac - es and wor - ship the Lamb.
and thanks nev - er ceas - ing for in - fi - nite love.

Charles Wesley, 1744; alt.

LYONS 10.10.11.11
Johann Michael Haydn, 1737-1804
Arr. in William Gardiner's *Sacred Melodies*, 1815

*The Invocation

*The Confession of Faith

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and 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.

The Confession and Assurance

The Law of God

The Prayer of Confession

The Declaration of Pardon

*The Hymn of Thanksgiving

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Man of Sorrows! What a Name

He was despised and rejected by men, a man of sorrows, and familiar with suffering.
Is. 53:3

1. Man of Sor - rows! what a name for the Son of God, who came
 2. Bear - ing shame and scoff - ing rude, in my place con - demned he stood,
 3. Guilt - y, vile, and help - less, we; spot - less Lamb of God was he;
 4. Lift - ed up was he to die, "It is fin - ished!" was his cry;
 5. When he comes, our glo - rious King, all his ran - somed home to bring,

ru - ined sin - ners to re - claim: Hal - le - lu - jah! what a Sav - ior!
 sealed my par - don with his blood: Hal - le - lu - jah! what a Sav - ior!
 • full a - tone - ment! can it be? Hal - le - lu - jah! what a Sav - ior!
 now in heav'n ex - alt - ed high: Hal - le - lu - jah! what a Sav - ior!
 then a - new this song we'll sing: Hal - le - lu - jah! what a Sav - ior!

Philip P. Bliss, 1875

HALLELUJAH! WHAT A SAVIOR! 7.7.7.8.
Philip P. Bliss, 1875

THE SERVICE OF THE WORD OF GOD

The Scripture

The Old Testament Lesson

Isaiah 45:18-23

For thus says the Lord,
who created the heavens
(he is God!),
who formed the earth and made it
(he established it;
he did not create it empty,
he formed it to be inhabited!):
"I am the Lord, and there is no other.
19

I did not speak in secret,
in a land of darkness;
I did not say to the offspring of Jacob,
'Seek me in vain.'
I the Lord speak the truth;
I declare what is right.

20
"Assemble yourselves and come;
draw near together,
you survivors of the nations!

They have no knowledge
who carry about their wooden idols,
and keep on praying to a god
that cannot save.

21
Declare and present your case;
let them take counsel together!
Who told this long ago?
Who declared it of old?
Was it not I, the Lord?
And there is no other god besides me,
a righteous God and a Savior;
there is none besides me.

*Please stand, if you are able

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“Turn to me and be saved,
all the ends of the earth!
For I am God, and there is no other.

23

By myself I have sworn;
from my mouth has gone out in righteousness
a word that shall not return:
‘To me every knee shall bow,
every tongue shall swear allegiance.’ (ESV)

The New Testament Lesson

Philippians 2:5-11

5 Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus,
6 who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality
with God a thing to be grasped, 7 but emptied himself, by taking
the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. 8 And
being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming
obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. 9 Therefore
God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is
above every name, 10 so that at the name of Jesus every knee
should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, 11 and
every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God
the Father. (ESV)

Leader: *This is the Word of the Lord.*

People: *Thanks be to God.*

The Sermon

“The Humiliation and Exaltation of Christ”

(Philippians 2:8-11)

Dr. Deryck Barson

*Please stand, if you are able

THE SERVICE OF RESPONSE TO GOD

*The Hymn of Response

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Thine Be the Glory

Thanks be to God! He gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. 1 Cor. 15:57

1. Thine be the glo - ry, ris - en, con - qu'ring Son; end - less is the
2. Lo! Je - sus meets us, ris - en from the tomb; lov - ing - ly he
3. No more we doubt thee, glo - rious Prince of life; life is naught with -

vic - t'ry thou o'er death hast won; an - gels in bright rai - ment
greets us, scat - ters fear and gloom; let the church with glad - ness,
out thee: aid us in our strife; make us more than con - qu'rors,

rolled the stone a - way, kept the fold - ed grave - clothes,
hymns of tri - umph sing, for her Lord now liv - eth,
thro' thy death - less love: bring us safe thro' Jor - dan

REFRAIN
where thy bod - y lay.
death hath lost its sting. Thine be the glo - ry, ris - en, con - qu'ring Son;
to thy home a - bove.

end - less is the vic - t'ry thou o'er death hast won.

Edmond Budry, 1884
Tr. by Richard B. Hoyle, 1923
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MACCABAEUS 10.11.11.11. ref.
From George Frederick Handel, *Judas Maccabaeus*, 1747

The Intercessory Prayer

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

The Offering and Offertory

*The Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

Let everything that has breath praise the LORD. Ps. 150:6

Praise God from whom all bless - ings flow; praise him, all

crea - tures here be - low; praise him a - bove, ye heav'n - ly host:

praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost. A - men.

Thomas Ken, 1709

OLD HUNDRETH L.M.
Louis Bourgeois's *Genevan Psalter*, 1551

*Please stand, if you are able

*The Closing Hymn

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Crown Him with Many Crowns

On his head are many crowns. Rev. 19:12

1. Crown him with man - y crowns, the Lamb up - on his throne;
 2. Crown him the Lord of love; be - hold his hands and side,
 3. Crown him the Lord of peace; whose pow'r a scep - ter sways
 4. Crown him the Lord of years, the Po - ten - tate of time;

hark! how the heav'n - ly an - them drowns all mu - sic but its own:
 rich wounds, yet vis - i - ble a - bove, in beau - ty glo - ri - fied:
 from pole to pole, that wars may cease, ab - sorbed in prayer and praise:
 Cre - a - tor of the roll - ing spheres, in - ef - fa - bly sub - lime:

a - wake, my soul, and sing of him who died for thee,
 no an - gel in the sky can ful - ly bear that sight,
 his reign shall know no end; and round his pierc - ed feet
 all hail, Re - deem - er, hail! for thou hast died for me:

and hail him as thy match - less King through all e - ter - ni - ty.
 but down - ward bends his burn - ing eye at mys - ter - ies so bright.
 fair flow'rs of par - a - dise ex - tend their fra - grance ev - er sweet.
 thy praise shall nev - er, nev - er fail through - out e - ter - ni - ty.

Matthew Bridges, 1851

DIADEMATA S.M.D.
George J. Elvey, 1868

*Please stand, if you are able

*The Benediction

*The Postlude

The members of Bethel Orthodox Presbyterian Church extend a warm welcome to those visiting with us today. We invite you to return and worship with us again.

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BETHEL TODAY

Sunday, January 17, 2021

8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship

Dr. Deryck Barson is preaching. Elliott Pinegar is the pianist. The sermons can be heard and downloaded on the church website, bethelopc.org.

THIS WEEK AT BETHEL

Today	4:00 p.m.	Youth Group
Tuesday	7:15 p.m.	Women's Bible Study
Monday	7:00 p.m.	Trustees Meeting
Tuesday	7:15 p.m.	Women's Bible Study
Tuesday	7:30 p.m.	Bill & Luke's Community Group
Wednesday	9:30 a.m.	Women's Bible Study
Wednesday	6:45 p.m.	Prayer Gathering
Wednesday	7:30 p.m.	Paul & Steve's Community Group

IN BETHEL

Preaching Schedule for January 24: Dr. Deryck Barson

Choir Director Position: The Bethel Music Committee has begun work on filling the position of adult choir director. Although we are not yet able to incorporate choral singing into our worship, we are preparing for the day when our choir will join together in song to glorify our God. If you or someone you know is interested in leading the choir in rehearsal and corporate worship and would like a more detailed description of responsibilities and qualifications, please contact the Music Committee at bopcmusic@gmail.com by January 31.

From the Treasurer: Year end giving was strong with the December giving to the operating fund of \$68,435. The totals for 2020 were:

Tithes and Offerings totaled \$617,229 for the Operating Fund for 2020. Total Expenses for 2020 were \$541,900.

In addition, the total for the recently received Thank Offering was \$24,638.04 which has been sent to the OPC.

Thank you for continuing to give your tithes and offerings to support the ministry of Bethel throughout this past year.

Dear Church Family, As members of the staff here at Bethel, we want to express our heartfelt gratitude and sincere appreciation for this year's Christmas gift. Your kindness and generosity is humbling and remarkable. We are thankful to God and each of you for the joy and privilege of serving this congregation, for the glory of Christ, the upbuilding of his church, and the extension of his kingdom near and far.

-Dr. Barson, Tracey Shannon, & Linda Behm

Congratulations to Matt & Kate Schuman on the birth of their son, Levi James.

COMING IN BETHEL

January 25	7:00 p.m.	Diaconate Meeting
January 26	7:15 p.m.	Women's Bible Study
January 27	9:30 a.m.	Women's Bible Study
January 27	6:45 p.m.	Prayer Gathering
January 27	7:00 p.m.	Congregational Meeting

For a look at what's upcoming in the life of Bethel, please visit our website, bethelopc.org/calendar/bethel, or visit bethelopc.org and click on the calendar tab in the top toolbar.

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SCHEDULE OF REGULAR ACTIVITIES

SUNDAY

Morning Worship 8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

WEEKDAYS

Women's Bible Study Tuesday, 7:15 p.m.
Women's Bible Study Wednesday, 9:30 a.m.
Pizza and Prayer (minus the pizza) Wednesday, 6:45 p.m.
Community Groups See Bethel Press for details

MISSION STATEMENT

As a congregation in the Orthodox Presbyterian Church, Bethel Presbyterian Church is resolved to be faithful to the "Great Commission," by preaching God's Word, administering the sacraments, lovingly exercising church discipline and aiming for the glory of God in all things.

We strive to honor the Bible as God's Word by teaching its system of doctrine (as contained in the Westminster Standards), embracing its promises, obeying its commands, and always being reformed by it.

We desire to guard the gospel by exalting Jesus Christ in his obedience, death, resurrection and second coming; and by inviting all to repent and believe in Christ alone for salvation.

We seek to nurture our mutual growth as the communion of saints through love, prayer, service, encouragement, fellowship, and gifts.

We answer God's call to love our neighbor, to testify to our hope in Christ, to be salt and light in the world, to partner with those who spread the gospel, and to pray to the Lord for his harvest.

CHURCH OFFICERS

Elders:

Class of 2021 Bill Miner
Class of 2021 Jim Veenstra
Class of 2022 Paul Burke
Class of 2022 Dan Moore
Class of 2022 Joe Potoschnick
Class of 2022 Luke Shannon
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Class of 2023 Matt Schuman, Secretary

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