



BETHANY CHURCH

TO LOVE, OBEY, AND PROCLAIM JESUS CHRIST

November 26, 2023

WORSHIP ORDER

Macungie Campus
Worship Center
3801 Brookside Rd.
Macungie, PA 18062
610-395-3613

Wescosville Campus
Offices & Preschool
1208 Brookside Road
Allentown, PA 18106
610-395-3613

Church Staff Information:

For a full staff listing, please visit the church's website at www.bethanyumchurch.com or contact the church office.

Lord, Hear Our Prayers

Missions and Missionaries

Crossroads Center (Greece)

Tim Henderson/Blue Ridge Fellows

Bethany Shut-Ins

Bill Fackler, Joan Hyland, Debby Larimer, Rebecca Loven, Marilyn Michael, Thelma Ronemus, Curtis Shiflett, Robert Shoemaker, Sammie Trumbore

Special Prayer Requests

David, Petra, Willow & Eden, The Deutsch Family, Donna, Bill and Shirli, Bill Flook, Jeff, Cheyenne Jones, Viola Lapatka, Walter Leitenberger, Sharon McKeirnan, Donna Price, William Prueter, Luis Rivera, Charles Schubert, Joshua Scoble, Paul Spiegle, Tazion and Melissa, Nora Ulecka, Caleb, Noah, Hannah & Luke Weaver, Jarrod Wolfe

Our Mission Statement:

**To Love, Obey and Proclaim Jesus Christ!
Welcome to Bethany Church!**

Call to Worship: Steve Skekel, Worship Pastor, Lori Trumbauer, Pianist/Choir Director, Karley Cicale, Worship Assistant

Songs: *Freedom, How Good Is He, Goodness Of God*

Children's Message: Marleah Doyle, Family Pastor, Brittney Lutseo, Children's Ministry Assistant

Announcements/Offertory Prayer: Donna Barnwell, Pastor of Discipleship

Song: *Waiting Here For You*

Sermon: Dave Alderson, Lead Pastor – *A Summary Of It All!*

Song: *Egypt*

Scripture Breakdown: *2 Thessalonians 2-3*

Attendance *	Weekly Need	Last Week	Weekly Average
Nov. 19, 2023	\$30,798	\$24,929	\$25,654

attendance 383 in person, individual IP addresses streaming

Christmas Cantata

Please join us on Friday December 8 at 7:00 p.m. at the Macungie Worship Center as the Bethany Christmas Choir and Bell Choir presents "A Journey Of Promises" by Joseph M. Martin. We are excited to bring this tradition back to the music ministry of Bethany! Come and share this musical journey from the Old Testament to the New Testament with traditional Christmas Carols and also some new music!

We look forward to sharing the night with you!

Winter Weather clothing

Our Dough to Door ministry is asking for gently used coats, hoodies, hats, gloves and scarves. These will be distributed to those in need. Please bring any donation to the office at Wescosville.

BETHANY CHURCH MISSIONS COMMITTEE OPPORTUNITY

- Expand your view of what God is doing beyond your immediate border.
- Stretch your prayer life
- Gain a focus on those un-reached by the Gospel of Jesus Christ.
- Build relationships with missionaries and share their burdens.

Looking for people who may have one or more of the below.....

Interest and energy in building a shared vision and mission to drive Missions at Bethany Church.

- Be an enthusiastic champion of missions
- Curiosity and energy to discover where and how God is moving in the world
- Joy in participating on a team
- Willingness to share in the planning and communication of Missions Events
- Ability to represent Bethany at events held by local mission organizations (Galas / Dinners)

Interested call me and discuss: Jack Bates 484-788-9393

Advent & Christmas Decorating –

Didn't sign up? No problem – Just show Up!

Meet in the café on Sunday, Nov 26 right after 10:30am service. We will eat lunch and then decorate – remember to bring your own lunch! Cookies and water will be provided.

The Advent & Christmas theme for this year: White as Snow. All decorations will be supplied. Water and cookies will be available.

Coming in December and January

Study on 1st and 2nd Timothy – begins December 10, Sunday mornings, 9:15-10:15am, room 311

1st and 2nd Thessalonians – Women's zoom group, begins in early January, Wednesday evenings, 6:30-7:45pm, please sign up
Progressive vs Traditional, Why the UMC is Splitting, begins January 10, Wednesday evenings, 6:15-7:45pm, Wescosville Campus, sign ups requested

Partnership (membership) Class – meets January 15 and 22, 6:30-8pm, Wescosville Choir Room, sign ups requested

Special Needs Bingo – Info and Donation Needs

Big News: Special needs bingo is happening at Bethany!

Who: Young adults/adults, 18 years old and older and their parents or caregiver

When: Friday, December 15, 6:30 – 8:30pm

Where: Bethany Macungie Large Group Room

Tara & Ed Bock, Amy & Mark Miller, Cindy Madsen and I, Diane Kehoe want to thank our Bethany Church family for all the prayers and donations that have made this ministry a reality.

Questions can be directed to Dianne Kehoe at 623-256-1292 or mommomkehoe47@gmail.com OR Tara Bock at 610-428-0936 or tbock1976@yahoo.com