



BETHANY CHURCH

TO LOVE, OBEY, AND PROCLAIM JESUS CHRIST

November 12, 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: *Awake My Soul, Not Ashamed, Hosanna*

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

Announcements/Offertory Prayer:

Song: *O Praise The Name (Anastasis)*

Sermon: Dave Alderson, Lead Pastor – *Instructions for the Church*

Song: *King Jesus*

Scripture Breakdown: *1 Thessalonians 5:1-28, John 15:9-12, 1 John 4:1-3*

Attendance *	Weekly Need	Last Week	Weekly Average
Nov. 5, 2023 453	\$30,798	\$35,152	\$25,752

attendance 365 in person, 88 individual IP addresses streaming

Our deepest sympathy is extended to Darlene & John Andreas on the death of her mother. Condolences may be sent to 4267 Howertown Road, Northampton, PA 18067

Our deepest sympathy is extended to Jan & Keith Meck on the death of her sister-in-law. Condolences may be sent to 6274 St. Peters Road, Macungie, PA 18062

Mark your calendar for Wednesday November 15! Dr. Daniel Shayesteh will be returning to Bethany – Wescosville following the Wednesday fellowship dinner. He was with us last year and shared his remarkable conversion to Christianity. He was born in Iran and became a politician and a fundamentalist Islamic teacher and leader during the Iranian Islamic Revolution, fighting for the cause of Islam to eliminate Jews and Christians. He was called to become a revolutionary commander. Daniel will give us insight into the current events in the Middle East and answer the question – “What can we do as Christians to inspire people for Christ?”

Help...Operation Christmas Child needs YOU!

Volunteers with trucks/vans are needed to assist with transporting boxes from Bethany to Whitehall Bible Fellowship Church at 3300 7th Street, Whitehall on the following dates:

Wednesday 11/15: 6:00 - 8:00 pm

Friday 11/17: 6:00 - 8:00 pm

Saturday 11/18: 1:00 - 3:00 pm

Sunday 11/19: 1:00 - 3:00 pm

If available, please contact Terri Burda at 717.344.3296

Thank you and God Bless!

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

Adult Sunday School Classes

The Progressives' Doctrine vs Traditional Wesleyan Doctrine –
Why the United Methodist Church is Splitting

The Chosen - Meeting in the Large Group Room at 9:15am, this class is facilitated by Bud Reed and discusses episodes of The Chosen.

Women of the Bible - This Adult Sunday School Class meets at 9:15am in room 307. Led by Ken Young, the class will explore women in the scriptures and how their lives helped to tell the story of God's redemptive love.

AWANA Registration - AWANA clubs meet every Wednesday night from 6:15-7:45 pm at Wescosville Campus! We have 4 clubs for children to participate in for children 2 years old up to 4th graders. For more information and to register online, go to www.bethanyumchurch.com.