



ORDER OF WORSHIP

September 18, 2022 11:00 am 15th Sunday of Pentecost

~ "I was glad when they said unto me, 'Let us go to the house of the Lord.'" ~
- Psalm 122:1

† please stand - in body or in spirit †

GATHERING

GATHERING MUSIC(audio selection; music prerecorded)

WESTMINSTER CHIMES - OUTSIDE BELL

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTSWade Cash, Worship Leader

AS WE APPROACH GOD

INVOCATION & THE LORD'S PRAYERWade Cash

In the wonderful name of Jesus Christ let us pray the prayer Christ taught us . . .

(in unison) *Our Father who . . .*

CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 111:1-10)Wade Cash

Leader: Praise the Lord.

People: I will extol the Lord with all my heart.

Leader: Great are the works of the Lord;

People: they are pondered by all who delight in them.

Leader: Glorious and majestic are his deeds,

People: and his righteousness endures forever.

Leader: He has caused his wonders to be remembered;

People: the Lord is gracious and compassionate.

Leader: He provides food for those who fear him;

People: he remembers his covenant forever.

Leader: He has shown his people the power of his works,

People: giving them the lands of other nations.

Leader: The works of his hands are faithful and just;

People: all his precepts are trustworthy.

Leader: They are steadfast for ever and ever,

People: done in faithfulness and uprightness.

Leader: He provided redemption for his people;

People: he ordained his covenant forever —

Leader: holy and awesome is his name.

People: *The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom;*

Leader: all who follow his precepts have a good understanding.

People: *To him belongs eternal praise.*

(please stand)

† **OPENING HYMN** "He Lives" (prerecorded)
(see pages 5 & 6 for music & words)

† **CALL TO CONFESSION** (1 John 3:2) Wade Cash

We come before God not as despised sinners,
but as beloved children.

With the confidence of children of God,
let us confess our sin.

† **PRAYER OF CONFESSION** (in unison) All

*Gracious God,
our sins are too heavy to carry,
too real to hide,
and too deep to undo.
Forgive what our lips tremble to name,
what our hearts can no longer bear,
and what has become for us
a consuming fire of judgment.
Set us free from a past we cannot change;
open to us a future in which we can be changed ;
and grant us grace
to grow more and more in your likeness and image;
through Jesus Christ, the light of the world.*

Hear us now, O God, as we each offer our silent prayer of confession.

† **MOMENT OF SILENT CONFESSION**

† **ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS** (Philippians 3:9) Wade Cash

Our righteousness is found in Christ alone,
a gift of God by faith.
Beloved people of God, believe the good news;
through the grace of Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

And all God's people joyfully say "Amen".

HEARING GOD'S WORD

(please be seated)

CHILDREN'S SERMON "Remember the Picture"

1 Corinthians 11:23-25

Derek Almarode

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PRAYER OF ILLUMINATIONDerek Almarode,
Bethel Ruling Elder

SCRIPTURE READINGJoshua 3:1-18, 4:1-7

Leader: This is the word of the Lord.

People: *Thanks be to God.*

SERMON”The Years That Follow”
Derek Almarode

WE RESPOND TO GOD’S WORD

(please stand)

† **HYMN OF REFLECTION**”Blessed Assurance”
” *(prerecorded)* *(see page 7 for words)*

† **STATEMENT OF FAITH - APOSTLES’ CREED** *(in unison)*All
(please be seated)

JOYS & CONCERNSWade Cash
-- PRAYER LIST --

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLEDerek Almarode

SENDING

(please stand)

† **CLOSING HYMN**”Swing Low, Sweet Chariot” *(prerecorded)*
(see page 8 for words)

† **CHARGE & BENEDICTION**Derek Almarode

CLOSING MUSIC*(audio selection; music prerecorded)*

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THANK YOU FOR JOINING US FOR WORSHIP THIS MORNING!
HAVE A FABULOUS & BLESSED WEEK!
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(see page 4 for this week’s announcements)

WELCOME TO BETHEL!

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 18, 2022

FLOWERS The flowers are given to the Glory of God by Jackie Law.

BETHEL PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN CATERED LUNCH TODAY

In Fellowship Hall at 1:00 pm

Meals still available even if you didn't RSVP

Cost \$15.00 Menu: Quiche, Soup, Salad, Bread

RIVERHEADS WRE BENEFIT CONCERT

Mountain Messengers Hosting Concert

Benefiting Riverheads Weekday Religious Education (WRE)

Raphine Christian Church This evening at 6:00 pm

FELLOWSHIP FOLLOWING WORSHIP NEXT SUNDAY

Hosted by Wade & Phyllis Cash

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 2ND, WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY, SERVICE INDOORS

Communion to be received on Sunday, October 2nd, 2022, World Communion Sunday.

This is the last scheduled communion for 2022.

Next Communion Sunday will be in January 2023.

We currently have one request for home Communion.

Know of or have a family member who wants to receive home Communion?

Contact the Church Office or ask any current Elder.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 9TH, WORSHIP SERVICE OUTDOORS *(weather permitting)*

Showing our appreciation to all the people & businesses that helped
with improvements at the Chapel.

Currently have 16 invited guests attending. Light refreshments will follow.

ELDER-ON-CALL

If you have a pastoral need contact Derek Almarode.

(540) 280-4940 (call or text) or almarodes@verizon.net

PRAYER LIST Copies of the Prayer List on the table outdoors and vestibule.

ATTENDANCE

September 11th: 45

WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT

Estimated Weekly Budget: \$ 3,127.00

September 11th Offering: \$ 2,917.00

Opening Hymn - "He Lives"

THE LIFE OF CHRIST

368 He Lives

I am the Living One; I was dead, and behold I am alive for ever and ever! Revelation 1:18

1. I serve a ris - en Sav - ior, He's in the world to - day; I
2. In all the world a - round me I see His lov - ing care; And
3. Re - jice, re - jice, O Chris - tian, lift up your voice and sing E -

know that He is liv - ing, what - ev - er men may say. I see His
tho' my heart grows wea - ry, I nev - er will de - spair. I know that
ter - nal hal - le - lu - jahs to Je - sus Christ, the King! The Hope of

hand of mer - cy, I hear His voice of cheer, And just the time I
He is lead - ing thro' all the storm - y blast; The day of His ap -
all who seek Him, the Help of all who find, None oth - er is so

Refrain

need Him, He's al - ways near. He lives, He lives! Christ
pear - ing will come at last. He lives, He lives!
lov - ing, so good and kind. He lives, He lives!

Je - sus lives to - day! He walks with me and talks with me a - long life's

TEXT: Alfred H. Ackley

MUSIC: Alfred H. Ackley

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Opening Hymn - "He Lives" (continues)

RESURRECTION

The image shows a musical score for the hymn "He Lives" (continues). It consists of four staves of music. The first two staves are for the first system, and the last two are for the second system. The music is written in a key signature of three flats (B-flat, E-flat, A-flat) and a common time signature. The lyrics are: "nar - row way. He lives, He lives, sal - va - tion to im - part! He lives, He lives, You ask me how I know He lives? He lives with - in my heart!". The second system begins with a "rit." (ritardando) marking. The score includes various musical notations such as notes, rests, and bar lines.

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BLESSED ASSURANCE

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine!

Oh, what a foretaste of glory divine!

Heir of salvation, purchase of God

Born of his Spirit, washed in His blood

This is my story, this is my song

Praising my Savior all the day long

This is my story, this is my song

Praising my Savior all the day long

Perfect submission, perfect delight

Visions of rapture now burst on my sight

Angels descending bring from above

Echoes of mercy, whispers of love

This is my story, this is my song

Praising my Savior all the day long

This is my story, this is my song

Praising my Savior all the day long

Praising my Savior all the day long

Swing Low Sweet Chariot

Performed by Josh Turner

Swing low, sweet chariot
Coming for to carry me home,
Swing low, sweet chariot,
Coming for to carry me home.

I looked over Jordan, and what did I see
Coming for to carry me home?
A band of angels a'coming after me,
Coming for to carry me home.

Swing low, sweet chariot
Coming for to carry me home,
Swing low, sweet chariot,
Coming for to carry me home.

----- *instrumental 8 measures* -----

I'm sometimes up and sometimes down,
And sometimes I feel alone
But I know my soul is a'heavenly bound
One day Jesus gonna carry me home.

Swing low, sweet chariot
Coming for to carry me home,
Swing low, sweet chariot,
Coming for to carry me home.

----- *instrumental 8 measures* -----

Well if you get there before I do,
Just make yourself at home
But tell all my friends I'm a'coming too
And tell'em that it won't be long

Swing low, sweet chariot
Coming for to carry me home,
Swing low, sweet chariot,
Coming for to carry me home.

Swing low, sweet chariot
Coming for to carry me home,
Swing low, sweet chariot,
Coming for to carry me home.

Coming for to carry me home.

Coming for to carry me----- home.