## **BETHANIA MORAVIAN CHURCH**

Second Sunday in Lent Morning Worship – 11:00 A. M. – March 5th, 2023

**Watchword for the Week:** "For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life."

John 3:16

**Prelude** 

Welcome and Announcements

**Call to Worship** Sing Praise to God # 537

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**Prayer** 

**Sharing our Tithes and Offerings** 

Offertory "As God's Beloved and Chosen Ones"

C. Hubert Hastings Parry Barbara Peifer, soloist

Response Zurich (168 A)

Jesus, source of my salvation, conqueror both of death and hell, Thou who didst as my oblation, feel what I deserved to feel, Through thy sufferings, death, and merit, I eternal life inherit; Thousand, thousand, thanks to thee, dearest Lord, forever be.

Prayer

**Scripture** Genesis 12:1-4a Rebecca Ogburn

Psalm 121 John 3:1-17

**Hymn** What Wondrous Love Is This # 328

Sermon

**Hymn** Come, Let Us Sing the Song of Songs # 469

**Benediction** 

**Postlude** 

### **Announcements**

Sunnyside Ministries will be collecting cereal, crackers, and peanut butter

**The Church grounds clean up day** is scheduled for Saturday, March 11th, with a rain date of Monday, March 13th. Everyone is welcome to participate. Bring your work gloves, shrub trimmers, rakes, tarps, saws, and blowers. This will be a wonderful time of fellowship.

**The Women's Fellowship** will be having a General meeting on March 12th immediately following worship in the coffee kitchen.

**The Women's Fellowship** will be making chicken pies on March 7th and 8th beginning at 8:30 each morning.

Our Lenten Bible Study will continue this Wednesday at 6:30 PM.

**Our Music Fund** raised \$3,334.00 from their Spaghetti Dinner and Bake Sale.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Monday March 6th	9:00 AM 6:00 PM	Quilters Handbells
Tuesday March 7th	8:30 AM 7:00 PM	Chicken Pies Boy Scouts
Wednesday March 8th	8:30 AM 6:30 PM 7:00 PM	Chicken Pies Bible Study Choir

## Church Attendance from 2/26

**62** In Person 78 Online

## **Church Weekly Finances for 2/26**

**\$4,505** Needed to Meet Budget **\$5,920** Received as Offerings

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Welcome to Bethania Moravian Church! We are so glad you are worshiping with us here today. Please check out our announcements and events calendar to see what is going on in the life of the church! If you would like to receive more information about our Church, please contact our Church office or Pastor Joe.

# **Our Prayer Requests for this Sunday**

Today we ask prayers for: Esther Shouse, Ruby Furches, Graham Spieler, Kaye Gough, Beth Mathis, Gary Collins, Jaimee (Carol Brown's daughter-in-law), Jimmy Fearrington, Duke and Sarah Marley, Clyde (EJ Oehman's brother-in-law), Stephen Leinbach, Dennis Ford, Raymond and Shirley Farmer, and Bob Delp.

We ask that God provide love, comfort, support, and healing to all who need it today.

#### **Our Church Staff**

Reverend Joe Moore	ePastor
Ethan Smith	Student Pastor
Joshua Whitt	Choir Director
Gretchen Chapman	Organist/Pianist
Faye Bricca	Handbells Director

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# "As God's Beloved and Chosen Ones" C. Hubert Hastings Parry Barbara Peifer, soloist

As God's beloved and chosen ones, we answer then Your call To clothe in self humility, compassion, meekness, patience, love.

In the Name of Jesus, live: So others we forgive.

We bear another's burdens, Lord, forgiving and forgiv'n. You clothe is in Your perfect love, as pure as harmony above. In the Name of Jesus, live: our live to others give.

Your love and peace will rule our hearts; unite us into one. Your Word dwells richly in our souls, our thankfulness to You o're flows.

In the Name of Jesus where His wisdom we can share.

With wisdom and a grateful heart we sing our psalms of praise. The hymns, that nurtured faith, renew our words and deeds and all we do

In the Name of Jesus. Praise: our grateful songs we raise.