



BETHEL INTERNATIONAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

"Making disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world"

August 25, 2019



Standing Up Straight

Luke 13:10-17

WE ARE BLESSED TO HAVE YOU WORSHIPPING WITH US!

- English Traditional Service: 9 a.m. in the Sanctuary
- English Contemporary Service: 11 a.m. in the Family Life Center
- Child care birth to Age 4 available for 10:45 a.m. - 12 p.m. in Rm 15
- Korean Service: 11 a.m. in the Sanctuary
- Nepali Service: 1 p.m. in the Sanctuary

9:00 ORDER OF WORSHIP

** - those who are able may stand*

PRELUDE

“Aria ditto Balletto”

-G. Frescobaldi

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

*HYMN

“O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing” (v. 1-6)

#57

*CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 103:1-3, 5)

L: Bless the LORD, O my soul,

P: and all that is within me, bless God’s holy name.

L: Bless the LORD, O my soul, and do not forget all God’s benefits.

P: The Lord forgives all our iniquity, and heals all our diseases.

L: God satisfies us with good as long as we live,

P: so that our youth is renewed like the eagle’s.

*GLORIA PATRI

*THE APOSTLES’ CREED

#881

PASTORAL PRAYER

SOLO

“Cry No More”
Becky Parker, soloist

-D. Forrest

SCRIPTURE

Luke 13:10-17

*HYMN

“He Touched Me”

#367

SERMON

“Standing Up Straight”

OFFERTORY

“O God of Mercy, God of Light”

-D. Cherwien

*DOXOLOGY

*HYMN

“Lord of the Dance”

#261

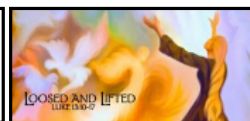
*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

“Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee”

-arr. D. Hustad

SERMON NOTES



Luke 13:12-13

¹² When Jesus saw her, he called her over and said, “**Woman, you are set free from your ailment.**” ¹³ When he laid his hands on her, immediately she stood up straight and began praising God.

- what “spirits” keep people bent over? How does Jesus respond to those spirits?

- a “daughter of Abraham”—what we call people matters

- why do people object to healing and freeing others?

- miracles everywhere!

MY NEXT STEPS

- I will pray daily the Lord’s Prayer and the Breakthrough Prayer daily.
(on the homepage of www.mybethel.org)
- I will ask Jesus to set me free from a spirit that has kept me bent over.

AUGUST IS HABITAT FOR HUMANITY MONTH

Thank you Bethel International! We have surpassed our goal of \$2,500 for the building materials for C'ne's home at 1536 Myrtle Avenue. Our additional fundraiser is Monday, August 26 at City BBQ, Henderson Rd. Just show the barcode on the coupon in your bulletin and Bethel International will receive 25% of the sales for Habitat for Humanity! "Thank you for building hope!"

BLANKETS FOR KIDS IN THE HOSPITAL

ALL are invited to a Blanket Making Retreat on Saturday, September 7 at 9:00 am in Rooms 9 & 10. In her many hospital stays, Kristin Granger has discovered that, unlike Nationwide Children's, Cleveland Clinic does not have homemade, cozy blankets for kids to cuddle with. Our United Methodist Women aim to fix that, and ask everyone to join them for this project. A light breakfast will be served. Questions: contact Carla Granger (614-214-8022) or Shirley Funt (614-284-9019).

OUTDOOR BEAUTIFICATION

New landscape areas need weeding, dead heading, and one area needs watering. See poster in lobby to sign up. For more information text or call Rosie Shifley 614-327-0989, Susan Place 614-286-8556, or Carolinda Belville 614-264-1038.

BIBLES FOR 3RD GRADERS

If you have a child(ren) entering 3rd grade this fall, or older kids who have not received a Children's Bible from Bethel, please contact Estrella Jacobsen at children@mybethel.org.

NEW OFFICE MANAGERS

Starting in September, the new part-time English office manager will be Linda Spridgeon. All announcements and communications can be shared with Linda at lspridgeon@mybethel.org or 614-451-2085. For now her hours will be Tuesdays and Fridays 9:00 am to 1:00 pm, Wednesdays and Thursdays 9:00 am to 11:00 am. The new Korean Ministry Assistant is Josephine (Byunghee) Lee, wife of Rev. Seeyong Lee. Welcome to both Linda and Byunghee!

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

- 8-25 SUN** 9:00am Traditional Service - Sanctuary
10:00 Adult Sunday School
10:30 Children's Sunday School - Room 17A
11:00 Contemporary Service - FLC / Korean Service - Sanctuary
12:15pm Agape Singers Rehearsal - Agape Room
1:00 Jyoti/Nepali Service - Sanctuary
1:00 Columbus Intl. Children's Choir - FLC, Room 1, 2, 4
4:00 Korean Late Afternoon Service - Sanctuary
- 8-26 MON** 2:00pm Craft Show Planning - Room 6
6:00 Small Group: Scripture by Heart - Room 5
7:00 ESL - Room 16
8:30 Small Group: Korean Mon/Thu Prayer - Sanctuary
- 8-27 TUE** 7:00am Korean Morning Prayer Service - Sanctuary
12:00pm First Impressions Meeting - Room 6
6:00 Small Group: Come to the Table
7:00 Stewardship Meeting - Room 4
- 8-28 WED** 7:00am Korean Morning Prayer Service - Sanctuary
9:00 Preschool Teacher Orientation - Room 5
9:15 Prayer Team - Room 6
7:00pm Small Group: Authentic Living - Ginny Shimrock's
7:00 Chancel Choir Rehearsal - Sanctuary
7:00 ESL - Room 16
8:00 Korean Women's Bible Study - Room 9 & 10
- 8-29 THU** 7:00am Korean Morning Prayer Service - Sanctuary
5:00pm Free Community Dinner - FLC
8:30 Small Group: Korean Mon/Thu Prayer - Sanctuary
- 8-30 FRI** 7:00am Korean Morning Prayer Service - Sanctuary
1:30pm AA / Al-Anon - Room 1
6:30 Euchre Night - FLC Cafe
- 8-31 SAT** 7:30pm AA - Room 16 / Al-Anon - Room 10

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