



Bethany United Methodist Church
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WELCOME EVERYONE! Thank you for worshiping with us!

VOLUNTEERS

Acolytes:	James Hornsby, Mason Bland
Media:	Scott Berry, Jeremy Nardozi, Susannah Hogge, Aidan Dumbrocyo
Altar Guild this month:	Nina Whitmore, Wendy Hogge, Mary Linda Brooks
Liturgist:	Laura Glaze
Trustee Contact this week:	Rob Raines
Greeter:	Jackie Hampton
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Counting Team:	Jackie Hampton, Don Thomas, Donna Lane

BETHANY STAFF

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STEWARDSHIP	8/23
General Fund	2512.00
Homebound Ministries	100.00
Pastor's Discretionary Fund	50.00
Capital Improvement Fund	100.00
ATTENDANCE	8/23
Worship – 10:00 am	83
Online Worship	96
Total	179



August 30, 2026

10:00 a.m.

BETHANY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
14th Sunday after Pentecost

Welcome and Announcements

Pastor John Choi

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Let There Be Peace on Earth

UMH 431

***Call to Worship (congregation in bold)**

Laura Glaze

O Lord, open our lips.

And we shall declare your praise

***Hymn**

Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven

UMH 66

***Responsive Reading** (Psalm 105: 1-6, 45b)

O give thanks to the LORD; call on his name;

make known his deeds among the peoples.

Sing to him, sing praises to him;

tell of all his wonderful works.

Glory in his holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice.

Seek the LORD and his strength; seek his presence continually.

Remember the wonderful works he has done,

his miracles and the judgments he uttered,

O offspring of his servant Abraham, children of Jacob, his chosen ones.

Praise the LORD!

Opening Prayer

Laura Glaze

**Almighty God, giver of every good and perfect gift,
teach us to render to you all that we have and all that we are
that we may praise you, not with our lips only,
but with our whole lives,
turning the duties, the sorrows, and the joys of all our days
into a living sacrifice to you; through our Savior Jesus Christ. Amen.**

Musical Invocation

Make It Well

Praise Team

Bart Millard, Ethan Hulse

Timothy Howard Timmons

Children’s Time (All children are invited to attend Children’s Church afterwards)

Ellie Fountain

Recognition of Retired Choir Members

Tom Barnard, Charla Barnard, Alan Harvey, Mary Kaylor, Don Thomas

Prayer of Intercession, Petition “Lord, hear our prayer.”

The Lord’s PrayerUMH No. 895

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come; thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Scripture Reading

Genesis 3: 1-15
Word of God for the people of God.
Thanks be to God.

Laura Glaze

Anthem

Here I Am, Lord

UMH 593

Sermon

“God Still Calls”

Pastor John Choi

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

*Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles’ Creed

UMH 881

*DoxologyUMH No. 95

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*Offering Prayer

*Hymn

The Summons

TFWS 2130

*Dismissal with Blessing

Pastor John Choi

*Closing Chorus

On Eagle’s Wings (1x)

UMH 143

Exodus

Lift High the Cross

UMH 159



A Special Thank You to the Musicians of the Courthouse Community Orchestra:

Anne Baltrusaitis, violin

Kevin Garner, bass

Shahana Garner, trumpet

Lisa Maloney, French horn

Rebecca Young, cello