

Make 2020 a truly happy new year!:

"Get focused on your life mission"

Matthew 28:18-20

1. Jesus and the big handoff

2. The debilitation of distracted disciples

3. How to improve your life focus

MAKING *Disciples* WHO MAKE *Disciples*

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

<u>Sunday</u>		<u>Wednesday</u>	
Sunday School	9:15 am	Lighthouse opens/GLOH	5 pm
Morning Worship	10:30 am	Fellowship Meal	6 pm
		"Family Bible Study"	6:45 pm
		GLOH Worship	7-8 pm

ROTATING MINISTRIES

	<u>January 12</u>	<u>January 19</u>
Nursery (0-12 mos.)	Sandy Johnson	Jana Smallwood
Toddlers (12-36 mos.)	Angela Verhine	Logan Green
GLOH Kids Worship	Beth & Lindsey Orbeck	Keith & Michele Burns
Elder/Welcome Ctr.	Jan Rosson	Craig & Nancy Ford
Communion Med.	Emily Parker	Tommy Musick
Welcome Center	Tim Collins	Clay Little
Home Communion	Mike Wood	Clay & Beth Little
Communion Prep	Alice Dickerson	
	Carolyn Langley	
	Joey Musick	Bill Orbeck
		Bill & Beth Orbeck



Bethany Christian Church

Sharing God's Love with Our Community

Sunday, January 12, 2020

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"Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."

- Matthew 28:19-20

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME GUESTS! We are glad you chose to worship with us today. Please visit our Welcome Center, and they'll assist you with any questions or direct you to our nursery facilities. Assisted hearing devices are also available. Please take a moment to fill out the guest card in the pew rack, and place it in the offering when it is passed.

COMMUNION is a celebration and remembrance of the sacrifice of Jesus on the cross, by which we are saved. It is offered for all who believe in Jesus alone for salvation and submit to Him as Lord. The offering is an act of worship to show our gratitude to God for all He's done for us, and to support the ministry of His church in this area and around the world.

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN BECOMING A MEMBER of Bethany Christian Church, go to the Welcome Center at the end of the service and one of our staff and an elder will be there to greet you and talk to you about the next steps you need to take.

OUR WEDNESDAY NIGHT SCHEDULE starts with dinner in the Family Life Center at 6 p.m., and Family Bible Study at 6:45 p.m. Our middle/high school youth have a time of fellowship in The Lighthouse at 5 p.m., enjoy dinner in FLC, and meet for worship in The Lighthouse from 7-8 p.m. This week's meal is spaghetti, salad, garlic bread and cheesecake. Sandy needs volunteers to sign up at the Welcome Center to help in the kitchen on a rotating basis.

THE 2020 NEW TESTAMENT READING PLAN is available in the lobby today. Please pick up a copy and read along with us throughout the year.

GLOH KIDS & GLOH TOTS are being combined, and they will meet together in the Family Life Center, after being dismissed from the Worship Service. If you could help by teaching our children for about 30 minutes on a Sunday morning, every 5-6 weeks, then please contact Tena Musick.

THE JORDAN/LOGAN SMALL GROUP will meet this afternoon, at 5 p.m., at the home of Bob & Edna Jordan.

"SCOUT SUNDAY" will be held by Troop 39 on Sunday, February 9. Bethany Christian Church hosts Troop 39, which meets here on Tuesday evenings, from 6:45 to 8:15 p.m., in The Lighthouse. We look forward to having the Scouts and their families worship with us on "Scout Sunday," and take part in our worship service.

WOODLAND CHRISTIAN CAMP'S summer schedule is now available online at woodlandcamp.org. Summer camp programs are available for children in grades 1-12.

THE 2020 COMMUNION PREP calendar is available at the Welcome Center. Please sign up if you can volunteer for a month. Only a few months remain to be filled.

BETHANY HOSTS an AA Group and an Al-Anon Group, both which meet every Tuesday at 7 p.m., in the Family Life Center. If you know of someone who may be interested, please share this information with them.

NOTE OF THANKS: "Thank all of you for your prayers, visits, food and all the many other things you have done for our family. We love all of you and are blessed to be a part of you. The family of Debra Browning, Walt, Kay & Jordan"

NOTE OF THANKS: "Happy 2020 from your Girl Scout Family. Thank you for supporting Girl Scouts! - Girl Scouts of Greater Atlanta."

BETHANY FILLS backpacks weekly for 10 kids at Sandhill Elementary. If you can provide individually wrapped items, soups, crackers, cereal/oatmeal/grits, etc., please place these items at the Welcome Center.

TO RECEIVE BETHANY'S Newsletter, prayer requests, etc., send your email address to bethanycc1@bellsouth.net, or call 770-834-1927. Our website is bethanychristian.com, and our Facebook page is "Bethany Christian Church."

ATTENDANCE & OFFERINGS for 1/5/20:

Attendance: 108

Benevolence: \$6

Tithes & Offerings: \$7,005.57

Missions: \$510

2020 New Testament Reading Plans are available in the lobby today.

*Join BCC as we read through the New Testament
together through the upcoming year!*

PRAYER LIST

Church Family: the Hardeman family (death of Kay's sister, Deborah Browning), the Rosson family (death of Jan's brother-in-law), Chuck Rosson (relief from leg pain), Mary Hardeman, Terri Bawol, Ellys Hardeman, Debbie Smith, Mike Attison, Craig Ford, Preston Dixon, Kevin Kittle, Christine Parrott, Janie Ebner, Steve & Sharon Nunnally, Jay McCawley, Wesley & Patches Dees & family, John Garrett, Jana Smallwood, Melanie Spears, Yvonne Pate, Mary Hardeman, Charles Kirk, Gary Baughtman, Lamar & Peggy Westbrook, Barbara Cook.

Friends & family: Our nation & leaders, our troops & their families, our missionaries, Allen Howard, Bonnie Pate (cancer), Christopher Etheridge (cousin/John Dickerson, terminal cancer), Theodore Shaw (Ramona Smith's dad), Mrs. Garrett (John's mother), John Frank, Sheri Lamb, Madilyn Parker (Lackland AFB), Jim Wood (friend of Gammons), Debbie & Daniel Williams (sister/nephew of Patches Dees), Tommy & Teresa Jackson (cousin of Sharon Nunnally, Tommy/cancer, Teresa/stroke), Bonnie Liber (John Ebner's sister), Gloria Emory (Ben Emory's mom), Paul & Eloise Etheridge (uncle/aunt of John Dickerson), David Long (friend of Bobby Gill), Noah Kingery (child of friends of Tami Kittle, leukemia), Roslyn Hicks (friend of Ramona Smith), Layne Pytko & Payton (PJo) Walker (children with cancer), Jennifer Garnto (Steve Nunnally's sister), Dwayne Watson (Carolyn Langley's brother, heart disease), Gene Elsberry (Wesley Dees' uncle), Keith Benefield (liver failure), Jean Little (Clay's mom), Jerral Howard, Rhonda Liss (sister of Patches Dees), Daniel Mobley (cancer), Rich Meddings (kidney), Patrick McClendon (Janie Ebner's son), Tim Jones (needs kidney), Dottie Priest (Lee Burns' sister), John Hufstetler (friend of Gwen Strickland), Rick Gordon (Dale Hilmer's grandson), David Foster (friend of the Jordans), Alberta Smith (Ken's mom), Shelby Browning, Jimmie Gammon (Richard's dad), David Estes (friend of Gwen Strickland), Yvonne Butler, Doug Boatright (Edith's brother), Butch Broome (Beth Orbeck's dad), Ima Jean Hurst (Tim Collins' mom), Ken Fowler.

THIS WEEK AT BETHANY

Sunday

5 pm Small Group at Bob & Edna Jordan's home

Tuesday

8 am Double Nickels Breakfast at Jerry's Country Kitchen

Wednesday

12 noon Men's Lunch at Chick-Fil-A on Bankhead
5 pm Lighthouse opens for middle/high school youth
6 pm Fellowship Meal in the Family Life Center
6:45 pm Youth Worship in The Lighthouse
Family Bible Study in the Family Life Center

Friday

12:30 pm Ladies Lunch at American Pie Pizza on Maple Street