

BEULAH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. Tim Snart, Pastor
Wanda Cross, Liturgist
Ellen Cooke, Worship Music Leader
Third Sunday of Lent

Morning Worship 9:00 a.m. March 24, 2019
(Please sign attendance book.)

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship (Psalm 63:1-4)

L: O God, You are my God, I seek You. My soul thirsts for You. My flesh faints for You as in a dry and weary land where there is no water.

P: I have looked upon You in the sanctuary, beholding Your power and glory.

L: Because Your steadfast love is better than life; my lips will praise You.

P: So I will bless You as long as I live; I will lift up my hands and call on Your Name.

*Hymn #260 "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"

*Prayer of Confession

L: Wonderful Sovereign God, hear our confession. Put to death the illusions of our minds that confuse and misguide us. Bring to life the desire within ourselves to live out this prayer:

P: Hear O Israel, the LORD our God, the LORD is One. You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind, and with all your strength. The second is this, you shall love your neighbor as yourself. We hear Your Word to us. We seek to love You. Direct our paths in obedience and full devotion to You, O God. Amen.

*Silent Prayer of Confession

*Assurance of Pardon

All: The sun rises on a new day. It shines light into all our shadowed corners, bringing warmth and life. We are called out into the light. Acceptable, accepted, free to begin again. Free to run our course with joy, like the sun. Amen.

*Hymn #574 "Kyrie"

*Sharing of the Peace

L: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

P: And also with you.

The congregation greets each other in the name of the Lord: "Peace be with you."

Old Testament Reading Isaiah 55:1-9 pg. 685

Team Jesus
Special Music

New Testament Reading Mark 10:35-45 pg. 47

L: The Word of the Lord.

P: Thanks be to God

Message "Can you drink the Cup?"

*Hymn #146 "Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart!"

*Apostles' Creed (Traditional version) pg. 14

All: I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ, his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he will come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Prayer Requests

Prayers of the People / Lord's Prayer

All: 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Giving the Lord His Tithe and Our Offering

*Doxology #591

*Prayer of Dedication

*Hymn #98 "O Sacred Head, Now Wounded"

*Charge / Benediction

*Congregational Response (#535)

♪ Go with us, Lord, and guide the way through this and every coming day that in Your Spirit strong and true our lives may be our gift to You.

*Postlude

**Indicates to stand as you are able – for everyone to rise in spirit.*

BEULAH CALENDAR

Sunday	Mar 24	9:00am	Worship
		9:30am	Sunday School
Monday	Mar 25		Newsletter articles due
		7:00pm	Agape
Friday	Mar 29	noon	Lenten Worship/lunch Orion United Methodist
Sunday	Mar 31	8:00am	Deacon Meeting
		9:00am	Worship / Confirmation
		9:30am	NO Sunday School
		10:00am	Reception for Confirmation Class

Thank you to our greeters: Mar 24-Jean Daves Mar 31-Crosby Family

Looking Ahead:

- March 25 – **Agape** meets.
- March 29 – noon Orion Community **Lenten Service** @ the Orion United Methodist Church; host liturgist-Rev. Dave Schultz, preacher-Rev. Reed Pederson, Augustant Lutheran Church. Service begins @ noon and a light lunch will follow. *A \$2 donation to the host church is suggested for the meal.*
- March 31 –
 8am **Deacon's meeting** (instead of April 7)
 9am **Confirmation** during the Worship Service. We will have 4 young ladies joining the church: Kyla Elsbury, Taylor Krueger, Sierra Krueger and Rachael Sandhaas-Hoke. There will be no Sunday School that morning so all the children can join in this special day. Following worship, there will be a reception in the fellowship hall.
- **New Photo Directory.** Please sign up on the appointment schedule in the narthex the date and time you wish to have your picture taken for our new directory. Place: Beulah Date:

Friday, April 5	2-9pm
Saturday, April 6	10am-5pm

Times:
- April 9, 5:30pm – **Congo Life Committee Meeting.**
- **The Orion Area Food Pantry** is seeking assistance providing families with holiday meals for Easter. The Food Pantry is planning to distribute holiday meals to 28 families (90 persons) this year. To help provide these meals, the Food Pantry is requesting you sign up to bring the items listed in the narthex to church so they can be distributed to those in need. Since distribution of the Easter meals will be April 16 items should be returned to the church no later than April 14. Sign up today to help make the holiday happy and joyous for other families in our community.
- April 18 - 7pm **Maundy Thursday** Service will be held at CV Pre Church.
- April 21 – 9am **Easter / Resurrection of the Lord;** Communion will be served. Also, One Great Hour of Sharing will be collected. Join us for the Annual **Jerry Sheldon Memorial Pancake Breakfast** following worship hosted by Congo Life Committee. There will be **no Sunday School.** The

children are invited to an Easter Egg hunt following breakfast.

- May 18 – Save the date for the annual **Spring Luncheon.**

Lectionary Readings for this coming week:

Josh 5:9-12 Ps 32 2 Cor 5:6-21 Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32

Beulah's web page: www.beulahpcusa.org.

Easter Lilies The deacons are taking orders for Easter lilies this year; \$15.

Make checks out to: Beulah Presbyterian Church Deacons Fund.

On the 'memo' line, write Easter Lilies. Please contact Sherrill Hills by phone or text at 309/798-4015, or by e-mail at hills86@frontiernet.net, to place an order.

Be sure to give your name if you text, and provide the name of the person or persons in whose memory you are purchasing the lily.

Beulah's Lent Mission Project *Collecting until Easter, April 21.*

Recipient: Christian Care - Rescue Mission (houses 36 men)

Our Mission Committee already purchased 16 replacement pillows for their facility to replace/supplement the pillow supply we purchased for them last year. Following are the additional items they could use:

Donation List – Top Needs

1. Bed sheets (twin size in white) for bunk beds.
 - a. Fitted bottoms with flat tops
 - b. Package with bottom, top, & pillow case also Ok
2. Monetary Donations to purchase bus tickets
(Please make checks payable to: Beulah Mission)

Christian Care serves over 60,000 meals per year. They also have a daily meal site which provides meals to anyone who comes to get a meal (breakfast, lunch, and dinner 7 days a week).

We look forward to your continued support of this project. The staff and the men at Christian Care really appreciate our donations.

Thank you, Beulah Mission Committee

Please Remember Our Shut-ins in Your Prayers:

Grace Day 601 Hawthorne Crossing Drive SE Apt 213 Bondurant, IA 50035	Eleanor Garrison c/o Dan Garrison 5921 Cambridge Dr N. Richland Hills, TX 76184
Sonia Grafton Avonlea Cottage 2021 1 st St E, Room 26 Milan, IL 61264	Doris Kennedy 4909 107 th Ave Milan, IL 61264

Prayer List

Carol Browning	Cindee Brugman	Xander Carlson	Robert DeVries
Gary Lovested	Pat Modglin	Dylan Preston	Myrtle Sheldon
Bethany Spears	Tim Spears	Alex Strandgard	Harriett Strandgard

Please alert us with additions or changes to our Prayer List – Thank you.

Pastor Tim Snart will be in our church office on Thursdays from 9-10am until further notice. Contact info: 1st Presbytery Church, CV, Phone, Mon-Fri 9am-noon: 309-799-3511 Cell: 309-798-1076

Do you have a song, poem, piece of art or other medium

which exhorts, encourages and/or reflects your thoughts, feelings, and relationship with our Abba Father, Savior and Lord, Holy Spirit Comforter? Then you are highly encouraged to share with your church family the many gifts the Lord has showered on you. Please talk to Ellen after church or text her cell: 309-716-4232; remember to give your name when you text.

Tax Help

The Volunteer Income Tax Assistance program (through AARP and United Way) offers free tax help by providing IRS-certified volunteers who will assist you in preparing your taxes. To find a Quad Cities location near you, call 888-227-7669.

Mission Statement: Working together for spiritual growth to glorify, praise, worship, and share God's love.

Vision: Beulah is:

- A Christ-centered family of faith.
- Flexible in learning and listening to God.
- Serving the Lord with gifts and talents through multi-generational engagement.
- A Landmark Church, visible in the community, vibrant in ministry and impacting the world.
- A destination for continual growth.

Slogan: Love, Thrive, and Grow for the Glory of God.