

BEULAH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. Tim Snart, Pastor
Maryan Wherry, Liturgist
Ellen Cooke, Worship Music Leader

First Sunday of Lent

Morning Worship 9:00 a.m. March 10, 2019
(Please sign attendance book.)

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship

L: How can a person keep their way pure? By guarding it according to Your Word.

P: With my whole heart I seek You. Let me not wander from Your commandments.

L: I have laid up Your Word in my heart that I might not sin against You.

P: I will meditate on Your precepts. I will not forget Your Word.

*Hymn #341 "Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine"

*Prayer of Confession

All: Gracious God, we confess that we often lose sight of the hope we have in You. We wander. Sometime it is by drifting away; however, sometimes we do so deliberately. We are attracted to false gods and easy answers. Reclaim us when we seek other gods. We pray for Your forgiveness and claim Your promise that You will not allow us to be tempted beyond our strength, but with the temptation will provide the way of escape. In Jesus' Name we pray. Amen.

*Silent Prayer of Confession

*Assurance of Pardon

L: From Micah 7:18-19: "Who is a God like you, pardoning iniquity and passing over the transgression of the remnant of your possession? He does not retain his anger forever, because he delights in showing clemency. He will again have compassion upon us; he will tread our iniquities under foot. You will cast all our sins into the depths of the sea. Friends, believe the Good News.

P: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

*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 Psalm 51:1-13 pg. 520

Team Jesus
Special Music

New Testament Reading Luke 4:1-13 pg. 61

L: The Word of the Lord.

P: Thanks be to God

Message "Worship the Lord Alone"

*Hymn #139 "Come Thou Almighty King"

*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 #438 "Blest Be the Tie That Binds"

*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 10	8:00am	Confirmation class
		9:00am	Worship
		9:30am	Sunday School
		1-3:00pm	Swimming Party @ BHC
		4-5:30pm	Confirmation Class
Thursday	Mar 14	9:30am	Beulah Sewing
Friday	Mar 15	noon	Lenten Worship / lunch @ Faith
Family			Church, Orion
Sunday	Mar 17	8:00am	Session will meet with confirmation
class		9:00am	Worship / Speaker from Christian
Care /			Congregation Meeting
		9:30am	Sunday School

Thank you to our greeters:

Mar 10-Sherrill & Wendell Hills	Mar 17-Nedra Baraks
Mar 24-Jean Daves	Mar 31-Crosby Family

Today:

- **All Invited to Swimming @ Black Hawk College** - 1st Presb Coal Valley has invited Beulah members and their friends to an afternoon of swimming today, Mar 10, 1-3pm, \$5/person payable at BHC.
- **Confirmation Class** meets this afternoon 4-5:30pm.

Looking Ahead:

- March 14 – 9:30am The Beulah Sewing will meet this Thurs, Mar 14. Bring a sack lunch and join in the fun of sewing and sharing our friendship!
- March 15 – noon Orion Community **Lenten Service** @ Faith Family Church, Orion; host liturgist-Rev. Sharon Wilbur, preacher-Rev. Kyle Harris of Orion Christian Church. Service begins @ noon and a light lunch will follow. *A \$2 donatin to the host church is suggested for the meal.*
- March 17 – 8am Session members will examine the confirmation class. 9am **Congregational meeting** to affirm the call for Pastor Tim during the worship service. 9am Steve Gottcent from Christian Care Center to speak. *Please see the Lenten Mission Project listed in this insert.*

- March 31 – 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, a reception will be held 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
- April 18 - 7pm **Maundy Thursday** Service will be held at Coal Valley Presbyterian Church.
- April 21 - **Easter / Resurrection of the Lord;** Communion will be served. Also, One Great Hour of Sharing will be collected.

Lectionary Readings for this coming week:

Gen 15:1-12, 17-18 Ps 27 Phil 3:17-4:1 Luke 13:31-35

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

Easter Lilies

In the midst of the cold, snowy weather we've been experiencing, we are looking forward to warmer temperatures and the Easter season. The deacons will again be taking orders for Easter lilies this year; \$15/each. 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 Ash Wednesday until Easter (March 6 – April 21, 2019)

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

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.

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 1st St E, Room 26
Milan, IL 61264

Doris Kennedy
4909 107th 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

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.