

**BEULAH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

Rev. Dr. Andrew McDonald, Pastor

Bill Metzler, Liturgist

Ellen Cooke, Worship Music Leader

23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

Morning Worship

9:00 a.m.

November 16, 2025

*(Please sign attendance book.)*

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

\*Call to Worship

To You, Lord, we lift up our voices in praise!

Teach us in Your ways: guide us in Your love.

For You are the God of our salvation!

**Lord, Your paths are filled with goodness and grace!**

**We look to You with expectation — show us Your love!**

\*Hymn #466, “**O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing**”

\*Prayer of Confession

**God of mercy, You sent Jesus to seek and to save the lost.**

**We confess that we have strayed from Your paths.**

**We are misled by arrogance and pride.**

**We see ourselves as wise when we are foolish.**

**We have failed in love,**

**neglected justice**

**and ignored Your truth.**

**And yet You call to us again in grace.**

**Help us to turn again to You,**

**and the ways of love known in Jesus Christ.**

\*Assurance of Pardon

God’s love is for each and every one of us.

Receive God’s forgiveness, that it may flow over us  
and transform us in grace.

Believe and share the Good News!

**In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!**

**In Jesus Christ, we are a new creation!**

\*Gloria Patri

Team Jesus

Offering / Offertory Music

\*Doxology #592, “**Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow**”

**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.**

\*Prayer of Dedication

Scripture Readings

**Ezekiel 47:1-9**, pg. 817

**Colossians 3:1-17**, pg. 201

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

Sermon

**“Questions to Live By”**

\*Hymn #485, “**To God Be the Glory**”

\* Prayers of the Community and the Lord’s Prayer

**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.**

\*Hymn #476, “**O Worship the King, All Glorious Above!**”

\*Charge / Benediction

\*Congregational Response #108 vs/ 5, “**Christ is alive!**”

**Christ is alive, and comes to bring**

**Good New to this and every age.**

**Till earth and sky and ocean ring,**

**With joy, with justice, love and peace.**

Postlude

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

**The Annual Hymn Sing will be  
Sunday, November 23, at 6:30pm.**

There will be a special Choir from Orion High School performing for us and cookies and Dave Gould's Hot Cocoa will be served afterwards.

We will need donations of cookies. This would be an excellent time to try out those favorite Christmas Cookies!

**The Orion Area Food Pantry**

Today is the last day to bring your donated items for the Holiday meals for Thanksgiving and Christmas. Meats will be donated by the Orion Fall Fest Committee and a private donor with corn and beans provided by the food pantry. Monetary donations may also be made to provide some items or an entire holiday meal for a family. Cost for meals excluding meat, corn, and beans is \$34.15. Please make checks payable to "Beulah Mission".

**Poinsettias**

The Beulah deacons will again be selling poinsettias to decorate the sanctuary during the Christmas season. Please see Sherrill Hills to place an order and to designate in whose memory each poinsettia has been purchased. Each plant will cost \$15, and checks should be made out to Beulah Deacons. The deadline for orders is December 5.

**Peanut Brittle Fund Raiser**

*(Great to eat yourself or give as gifts!)*

The Mission Committee is selling home-made peanut brittle to raise funds for their 2025-2026 Mission Projects with proceeds to purchase boots for our Heads to Toes project and other mission projects throughout the year.

The price is \$16 for a 1 lb. package, and \$9 for a ½ lb. package.

Delivery will be next Sunday Nov. 23 and Sunday Dec. 21.

Please contact Wanda Cross to order your peanut brittle.

**Hanging of the Greens will be after Worship in November 30.**

This will be followed by a Baked Potato Bar. Baked potatoes will be provided. You are asked to bring a topping to share.

Ideas to top potatoes are: chili, cheese, cheesy broccoli, taco meat, shredded lettuce, onions, sour cream, salsa, guacamole, etc.

Be creative. Make the baked potato a meal!

**Beulah Calendar**

Sunday	Nov 16	9:00am	Worship / Orion Area Food Pantry Donations
Sunday	Nov 23	9:00am	Worship / Communion / 1 <sup>st</sup> Peanut Brittle
			Delivery
		6:30pm	Hymn Sing
Monday	Nov 24	7:00pm	Agape

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**This week's Home Study Lectionary Readings**

Jer 23:1-6      Luke 1:68-79      Ps 46

Col 1:11-20      Luke 23:33-43

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**Prayer List**

Heather DeHaven  
Cathy Morgan

Robert DeVries  
Dylan Preston

Martha Green

**Missionary relatives and friends of our church family**

Ted & Kim Treadway in Guatemala.

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**Please Remember These Members in Your Prayers**

♥ Louise Green

♥ Joyce King

♥ Don Paulsen

♥ Terry Vincent

♥ Jackie Williams

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**The Charger Closet hearts are full because of you!**

Dear Orion Area Churches Association, How blessed we are to be a part of a community that supports its residents, and each other! We are overwhelmed by your generosity and kindness. Your huge donation will help us purchase a lot of hygiene items. They go fast, but are much appreciated by our visitors. We appreciate all of your hard work and time that you gave to raise this donation during the Fall Festival.

We look forward to working alongside you in the future.

Grateful for you and wishing you God's Blessings.