

BEULAH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. Dr. Andrew McDonald, Pastor

John Green, Liturgist

Gail Tutt, Worship Music Leader

6th Sunday after Pentecost

Morning Worship

9:00 a.m.

July 5, 2026

(Please sign attendance book.)

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship

Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth.

Worship the Lord with gladness;

come before the Lord singing songs of joy!

Enter God's gates with thanksgiving!

The Lord is good; God's love endures forever.

The faithfulness of the Lord continues through all generations.

*Hymn # 262, **"God of the Ages, Whose Almighty Hand"**

* Confession of Faith

**Sovereign God, in love You created the world
and made us in Your image.**

We confess that we rebel against You.

Ignoring Your commandments,

we violate the image of God in others and in ourselves.

We accept lies as truth, exploit neighbor and nature,

and threaten the life of the planet You entrusted to our care.

We deserve Your condemnation.

Forgive us, Lord, by Your steadfast love,

that we may be welcomed home, to live together in joy;

through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Hear the Good News!

No matter what we have done, God still loves us.

God acts with justice and mercy to redeem creation.

In Jesus Christ,

we are forgiven, equipped, and called to new life.

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 Reading Scripture

Luke 15:11-32, pg. 78

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon

"Promise and Possibilities"

*Hymn # 561, **"My Country, 'Tis of Thee"**

Invitation to the Lord's Table

Sacrament of Communion

Hymn # 513, "Let us Break Bread Together"

* 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 # 564, **"O Beautiful for Spacious Skies"**

*Charge / Benediction

*Congregational Response # 535, **"Go With Us, Lord"**

*Postlude

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

Welcome to Beulah!

Christ calls us into community, so we are glad to be with you today. Everyone is invited to have refreshments, which are in the Narthex right outside of the sanctuary. Stay for as little or as long as you like, but let someone know you are glad they are here! If you are interested in bringing goodies to share, the sign-up book is by the sanctuary door. This week, a special thank you to our hosts Gail & Steve Tutt.



Upcoming Events & Special Sundays

Next Sunday, July 12 | Annual Beulah Open

Mark your calendar and please join us for the next Annual Beulah Open to be held on Sunday, July 12, following worship at Happy Joes in Coal Valley. After an exciting round of putt-putt, we will enjoy a lunch at Happy Joes. Please sign up on the sheet in the wind-lock area.

Sunday, July 26 | Installation of Officers during Worship.

Organ Dedication Events

Event 1 on June 28 was amazing!

Hope you'll be able to attend Event 2 on September 20!

Event 2 – September 20 at 6:30 pm.

- **Organist:** Chon Wherry
- **Pianist:** Laura Crumbleholme

Event 3 – January 24, 2027 at 3:00 pm.

Organist: Gail Tutt

Beulah Calendar

Sunday	July 5	9:00am	Worship / Communion / Food Pantry Collection
Tuesday	July 7	6:00pm	Building & Grounds
		6:30pm	Session
Sunday	July 12	9:00am	Worship / Beulah's Open

Prayer List

Lindsey Breiby	Joyce Floyd Briggs	Rich Cox
Robert DeVries	Norma Gordon	Martha Green
Bill Pinger	Donna Pinger	Dylan Preston

Family of Danielle Akers of Oviedo, FL; daughter of Dave & Karen Akers and sister of Heather Nichols.

- ♥ Don Paulsen
- ♥ Terry Vincent
- ♥ Jackie Williams

Missionary relatives and friends of our church family

Ted & Kim Treadway in Guatemala.

This week's Home Study Lectionary Readings

Gen 25:19-34 Ps 119:105-112 Isa 55:10-13
Ps 65:(1-8) 9-13 Rom 8:1-11 Matt 13:1-9, 18-23

Newsletter time is rolling around quickly. If you have an article to submit, please send it to Nancy by noon Wed, July 15. nroberts822@gmail.com Thx

The Orion Area Churches Association are sponsoring monthly **"Gather-n-Grill" events on the 3rd Saturday of each month this summer.** The free meals will be served starting at 5pm at Orion Central Park. Please come and break bread with your fellow church and community members.

The schedule is as follows:

Gather-n-Grill @ 5pm at Orion Central Park

July 18 (hosted by St. Paul Lutheran Church)

August 15 (hosted by Beulah Church and Augustana Lutheran Church)

Nashville Group Coming to Orion – July 24

The Orion Area Churches Association is proud to announce that Ernie Couch & Revival gospel group will be coming to Orion for a special performance on Friday, July 24, at 6pm at the Orion Methodist Activity Center in Orion. Admission is Free. For more information about this group, copies of the announcement are in the back of church.

Graveside service for Joyce King

is planned for Saturday, August 1, 11am, Western Township Cemetery.

You Are Invited to an EIGHTIETH BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION for EMMA HOKE

on Saturday, August 8, 2026 from 1pm–4pm
for dessert and beverages at Beulah's Fellowship Hall.
No gifts please, but your presence is the BEST GIFT.

Mission Project for July / August The Third Place Quad Cities Drop in Center for the Homeless

Donations that are needed:

Towels and Washcloths	Clothing and Shoes
Book Bags	Snacks
Sleeping Bags	Water
Hygiene Products	Tents
Cleaning Supplies	Rain Ponchos
Blankets	Baseball Caps

First aid Kits

Cash or Check donations will be used to purchase tents (*Please make check out to "Beulah Mission".*)