

# Order of Service

March 11, 2018

Announcements and Greetings

Gary Weller

Prelude

Carolyn Solomon

Call to Worship and Invocation

Gary Weller

Song: *Glory to God Forever*

Song: *To God Be the Glory* #127

Song: *Blessed Be Your Name*

Song: *Holy Spirit*



Prayer, Offering, Offertory

No children's church this Sunday

Sharing of Praises and Prayer Requests

Gary Weller

Prayer

Gary Weller

Special music

Beth Schlabach

Scripture

*Romans 12:3-8*

*1 Corinthians 2:6-16*

Message

*Knowing God's Will #3*

Pastor David Stone

Song: *Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us* #480

Postlude

Carolyn Solomon

**Worship Leader:** Gary Weller

**Song leader:** Michael Stone **Guitar:** Josh Pawelski, David Stone

**Singers:** Beth Schlabach, Dennis Bowers, Jill Stone, Isabelle Pawelski

**Bass guitar:** Grant Showalter **Dulcimer:** Jennifer Showalter

**Drums:** Eric Barker **Keyboard/Organ:** Carolyn Solomon

**Sound Tech:** Jonathan Stone **Video tech:** Jane Showalter/Rebecca Frayer



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NURSERY HELPERS TODAY: Lucy Gabbert  
 Next Week : Cindy Showalter  
 For infants and children 0 to 3 years of age.

**TODAY: 8:30 a.m. – Coffee fellowship**  
**9:00 a.m. – Sunday school**  
**10:00 a.m. – Worship service**  
**Tuesday: 10:00 a.m. Joyful Sonshine**  
**Wednesday: 2:30 p.m. – Youth 2 00**  
**7:00 p.m. – Bible Study**

**Ensemble will practice after the service.**

Prayer Requests	
<b>New</b>	<b>Cancer</b>
Andrew Olson—cancer	Cindy Koontz
Lisa Yohe	Danny Barker
Kayla Stone	James Harding
<b>Healing</b>	David Moore
Baby Hope	Nick Matthews—cancer
Coni Thomson	Stan Gentle
Eugene Robbins	Phyllis Dillinger—breast cancer
Charles Heiden—hospice	<b>Guidance</b>
Richard Hargrave—mild stroke	Krestin Weaver
Clarence Shoemaker	GwenThompson
Kayla Stone—surgery Wednesday	Washington George
Linda—Charles Humm’s cousin	<b>Other</b>
<b>Shut-ins</b>	family of Martha Yoder—grief
Dave Schlabach	family of Marj Tucci—grief
Carol Sattem	family of Joe Morrison—grief
June Shaw	family of Larry Strasser
Bea Funkhouser	Grief—Stephanie Haynes
Pat Barrick	
<b>Midge Lair</b>	

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**Communion will be on Palm Sunday**

We will be holding communion in a new way on Sunday, March 25. Instead of an evening service, we will go into communion right after the morning worship service. After the morning worship service ends, every believer in the congregation will be invited to the fellowship hall for the communion service. Those who attend will immediately go to the footwashing stations and may participate or observe that symbol of cleansing and humble service. Then a light meal, the love feast, will be served. The communion culminates with the eating of the communion bread and the drinking of the cup of grape juice. The service will be shorter than before because we will have already spent time in worship. We hope that more people will be able to attend this service because it is scheduled conveniently right after the morning worship service.

Stewardship for the week of March 4, 2018					
Attendance		General Fund		Fund Totals	
Sunday School	44	Needed	\$2,857.91	General	\$6,295.00
Worship	84	General	5,795.00	Taxes	55.00
		Over	2,937.91	Peru	6.00
		Total Gen	\$6,295.00	Pastor supp	800.00
				Youth	2.00
				TOTAL	\$7,158.00

**Executive Council Minutes**

Minutes of the March meeting are on the website. You can stop in the office if you wish to see a hard copy of the minutes.

**Joyful Sonshine Bible Study**

Joyful Sonshine will be meeting on alternate Tuesdays at 10:00 beginning on March 13. Meetings are at the home of Dave Schlabach, 2511 Golden Poinciana Pl., and are led by Iris Helmuth.