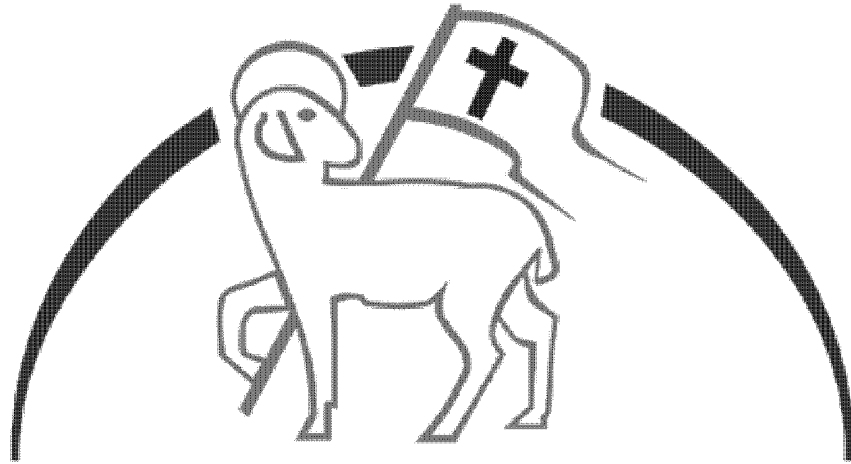


SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

MAY 29, 2005

Bethabara Moravian Church believes because of the love of Jesus Christ revealed in us, that Jesus is "the way, and the truth, and the life and no one comes to the Father but by (him)." John 14:6

Bethabara Moravian Church leads people to an active relationship with Jesus Christ by providing a path of worship, prayer, and knowledge of God's Word through our Moravian heritage and Christian fellowship.



BETHABARA

Moravian Church

Remembering the past, envisioning the future.

Watchword for the Week:

BLESSED BE THE LORD, FOR HE HAS WONDEROUSLY SHOWN HIS
STEADFAST LOVE TO ME. -Ps 31:21

BENDITO SEA JEHOVÁ, PORQUE HA HECHO MARAVILLOSA SU
MISERICORDIA PARA CONMIGO EN CIUDAD FORTIFICADA.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

BAND PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

CALL TO WORSHIP

HYMN 751

God of Grace and God of Glory

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PASTORAL PRAYER

THE CHURCH IN GIVING

Reception of Tithes and Gifts

Offertory

O Beautiful for Spacious Skies

The Doxology

HYMN 787

He Leadeth Me

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Acts 4:32-5:11

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SERMON

"Radical Witnesses"

HYMN 762

Just as I Am (*vs 1,2 & 6*)

BENEDICTION

My Country Tis of Thee

Congregation please join in the choral benediction

"Our Father's God to Thee, Author of Liberty, To Thee we sing.
Long may our land be bright, With freedom's holy light
Protect us by Thy might, Great God our King."

POSTLUDE

*The flower vases in the Sanctuary today, placed by
Robert & Lovina Thompson,
in loving memory of Robert N. Thompson, II*

FOCAL SCRIPTURE PASSAGE

Acts 4:32-37

32 Now the company of those who believed were of one heart and soul, and no one said that any of the things which he possessed was his own, but they had everything in common. 33 And with great power the apostles gave their testimony to the resurrection of the Lord Jesus, and great grace was upon them all. 34 There was not a needy person among them, for as many as were possessors of lands or houses sold them, and brought the proceeds of what was sold 35 and laid it at the apostles' feet; and distribution was made to each as any had need. 36 Thus Joseph who was surnamed by the apostles Barnabas (which means, Son of encouragement), a Levite, a native of Cyprus, 37 sold a field which belonged to him, and brought the money and laid it at the apostles' feet.

Y la multitud de los que habían creído era de un corazón y un alma; y ninguno decía ser suyo propio nada de lo que poseía, sino que tenían todas las cosas en común. 33 Y con gran poder los apóstoles daban testimonio de la resurrección del Señor Jesús, y abundante gracia era sobre todos ellos. 34 Así que no había entre ellos ningún necesitado; porque todos los que poseían heredades o casas, las vendían, y traían el precio de lo vendido, 35 y lo ponían a los pies de los apóstoles; y se repartía a cada uno según su necesidad. 36 Entonces José, a quien los apóstoles pusieron por sobrenombre Bernabé (que traducido es, Hijo de consolación), levita, natural de Chipre, 37 como tenía una heredad, la vendió y trajo el precio y lo puso a los pies de los apóstoles.

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

Nursery TODAY

Jo Beth Boyles

Nursery NEXT SUNDAY

Suzie LaVenture

Greeters TODAY

Edna Blevins & Christopher Orrell

Greeters NEXT SUNDAY

Frances Greiner & Clara Pou

WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER

Please check out the dates on the sign up sheet in the vestibule. Your culinary talents are needed this summer to prepare dinner for our Wednesday Night Fellowship gatherings.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact Suzie LaVenture by calling 945-5569.

FIRST SUNDAY CONCERT SERIES

June 5 5:30PM Picnic at Pavilion & Cindy Johnson in concert

July 3 5:30PM Picnic at Pavilion & Chuck Harmon – Dulcimer

2006 DAILY TEXT ORDERS

You have until the end of June to place your orders for the 2006 issue of the Moravian Daily Texts. An order form is posted in the vestibule. The church's order will be placed no later than JULY 1. You will be notified when your order has arrived in the church office.

WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

Ladies, please note: Circle 2 will meet on the **1ST TUESDAY OF JUNE AT 7PM (JUNE 7)** rather than the 1st Monday (June 6th).

CHURCH RETREAT REMINDER

Just a little reminder to those attending the church retreat (June 10-12): Your money needs to be in the church office by JUNE 5. Thank you.

LIFT IN PRAYER

Brandon Bailey
serving in Iraq

Bill Caudle
Serving in Iraq

Cliff Childress
Will undergo more
radiation & chemo when
his health improves
brother-in-law
Carole & Bill Rosenbaum

Margaret Gabriel

Jennifer Gragg

Carol Griffin

Sue King
recuperating from a fall
grandmother to
Suzie LaVenture

Jeff Lowrance
Margaret Gabriel's
nephew

Carlos Reynolds
medical concerns

Isette Stewart
heart surgery
John Welch's sister

David West
Dot Bruce's grandson

Terrell White
Cancer

Angie & Glenn Hedrick
Pregnancy complications
Niece to Carole & Bill Rosenbaum

Tom Manning

*Help us keep our Prayer List updated; contact the church office if you have any
updates and/or changes to make to the list.*

Thank you.

JOY AND PRAISE

† Prayers of Thanksgiving: Jennifer Gragg is 'doing great.' She is to have scans and tests on June 8.

OUR HOMEBOUND

J.C. Bruce

Barbara Key

Mike & Edith Kudelka

Gay Nell Reich

Anne Roberts

David & Norma Segraves

Dorothy Stewart

Sara Cooke
Friends Home

Tommie Choplin
Britthaven-Kernersville

Marie Choplin
Kerner Ridge
250 Hopkins Rd
Kernersville 27284

Leona Chatham
Vienna Village
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Sarah Holland
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We are so glad you came to worship with us today.
We pray our service was memorable and meaningful for you in every way.

Nos alegramos tanto de que Ud. haya decidido adorar a Dios con nosotros hoy.
Rezamos que nuestro servicio sea memorable y significativo para Ud. en cada
manera.

In Essentials, Unity; In Non-essentials, Liberty; In All Things, Love.