



Good News
Evangel
Baptist
Church

June 11, 2017

Prelude

Ginnie Heck

“O Lord, Most Holy” (Franck)

We Gather Together . . .

Pastor Dave, Leader

God’s Guidance

Leader: This is what the Lord, your Redeemer, the Holy One of Israel says: I am the Lord your God, who teaches you for your benefit, who leads you in the way you should go.

People: **Make Your ways known to me, Lord; teach me Your paths.**

Leader: Guide me in Your truth and teach me, for You are the God of my salvation; I wait for You all day long.

People: **The Lord is good and upright; therefore He shows sinners the way.**

Leader: He leads the humble in what is right and teaches them His way.

(Psalm 25:4-5, 8-9; Isaiah 48:17)

Shine on Us

Lord, let Your grace, grace from Your hand fall on us.

Lord, let Your grace, grace from Your hand fall on us

That we may be saved, that we may have life

To find our way in the darkest night. Let Your grace fall on us.

Lord, let Your love, love with no end come over us.

Lord, let Your love, love with no end come over us

That we may be saved, that we may have life

To find our way in the darkest night. Let Your love come over us.

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To Ask the Lord’s Blessing . . .

Pastor Dave

Invoking God’s Presence to Bless His People

God’s Word Read

Stephanie Bemister

Luke 9:57-62; Matthew 9:35-38; 10:34-42 (ESV)

(Pages 1040, 974-976 in Black NIV Pew Bible
& Pages 868, 814-816 in Blue ESV Pew Bible)

Song of Affirmation

Pastor Dave, Leader

In Christ Alone (vs. 1-2)

In Christ alone my hope is found,
He is my light, my strength, my song;
This Cornerstone, this solid ground,
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm.
What heights of love, what depths of peace,
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease.
My Comforter, my All in All, here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone, who took on flesh,
Fullness of God in helpless Babe!
This gift of love and righteousness,
Scorned by the ones He came to save.
‘Til on that cross as Jesus died, the wrath of God was satisfied.
For ev’ry sin on Him was laid; here in the death of Christ I live.
(by Keith Getty & Stuart Townend ©2001 Thankyou Music ARR)

My Lord, You Wore No Royal Crown

Leader: My Lord, You wore no royal crown;
You did not wield the powers of state,
Nor did You need a scholar’s gown
Or priestly robe, to make You great.
You never used a killer’s sword
To end an unjust tyranny;
Your only weapon was Your word,
For truth alone could set us free.

People: **You came unequaled, undeserved,
To be what we were meant to be;
To serve, instead of being served,
A light for all the world to see.**

Leader: So when I stumble, set me right;
Command my life as You require;

All: **Let all Your gifts be my delight
And You, my Lord, my one desire.**
(by Christopher Idle, 1978 ©1982 Hope Publishing Company)

In Christ Alone (vs. 3-4)

There in the ground His body lay,
Light of the world by darkness slain;
Then, bursting forth in glorious day,
Up from the grave He rose again!
And as He stands in victory, sin’s curse has lost its grip on me;
For I am His and He is mine,
Bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death, this is the pow’r of Christ in me;
From life’s first cry to final breath, Jesus commands my destiny.
No pow’r of hell, no scheme of man,
Can ever pluck me from His hand; ‘til He returns or calls me home,
Here in the pow’r of Christ I’ll stand!
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Evangel Remembrance

Ellie Eklund

“A Memory, A Moment, A Ministry”

Prayers of the People

Dave Sanders

Worship in Giving

Ginnie Heck – Offertory

“O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee” (Smith)

Ushers today:

Greg Milauskas and Dave Sanders

☞ *Children dismissed for Children’s Church (Rm. 5)* ☞

O Bless the Gifts (#817)

O bless the gifts our hands have brought;
And bless the work our hearts have planned.
Ours is the faith, the will, the thought;
The rest, O God, is in Your hand. (Repeat from beginning.)
(by Samuel Longfellow, altered)

God’s Word Taught

Pastor Dave

“I Will Follow You”

Sing Praises to His Name . . .

People of God (#427)

With our lips let us sing one confession,
With our hearts hold to one truth alone;
For He has erased our transgressions,
Claimed us and called us His own, His very own.

We’re the people of God, called by His name,
Called from the dark and delivered from shame;
One holy race – saints every one,
Because of the blood of Christ Jesus, the Son. (Repeat last 4 lines.)
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He Forgets Not His Own . . .

Nimrod Tica

Blessing People with God’s Promises

Postlude

Ginnie Heck

“Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah” (Hughes)

(CCLI #575345)



Praying God’s Purpose for His People

An Invitation for Personal Intercession

(Bill France, Leader; in Pastor’s Study – Turn Right Down Hall)



Prayer for Eternal Life

"Dear God, I confess that I have sinned many times in word and deed. I humbly confess that I have broken Your law and that my sins have separated me from You. Here and now, I ask Jesus Christ to be my Savior. I believe that Jesus is Your only begotten Son who died on the cross for me and rose from the dead. With all my heart and soul, I trust Jesus alone for my salvation. Please forgive my sins, save me and make me a brand-new person. These things I ask in Jesus' name, Amen."

OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK

JUNE 11-18, 2017

Sun. CONGREGATIONAL MEETING 11 AM
Thurs. MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST (McDonald's) 6:45 AM
Next Sun. WORSHIP SERVICE 9:30 AM

LOOKING AHEAD

June 24 – Video with Vineyard 6 pm
July 16 – Baptismal Service (Colleen Smith)
July 16 – Fellowship Offering
July 23 – "Farewell" Service
July 24-28 – Backyard Bible Club 1:30-3:30 pm

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BIRTHDAY

The Community Care Board is asking that we encourage our shut-ins by sending them birthday cards/greetings. Elaine Showers has a birthday on **July 5**. Please remember her by sending a card/greeting (see directory or contact office for address)

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

Members are reminded about our important meeting **today** at 11 a.m. This meeting includes a final vote on the sale of our property. This requires a quorum and a 75% affirmation of those present.

CELEBRATING EVANGEL

In view of our **July 23** farewell service, we are scheduling opportunities in our worship hour to encourage individuals to share remembrances. We request the following: 1) Reserve one of these dates: June 25, July 9 and 16; 2) Plan on a 3-5 minute presentation; 3) Arrange your thoughts around the themes of "A Memory, A Moment and/or A Ministry." Contact Pastor Dave to secure your time.

BIRTHDAY / ANNIVERSARY LIST

Pick up your copy of the May birthday/anniversary list in the Fireside Room. Not on the list? Contact the church office. **If you would like the birthday/anniversary lists for the entire year, let Norene Zinke know. She can either e-mail them to you or run off a hard copy for each month.**

CONNECTIONS FELLOWSHIP TIME

The **July** sign-up sheet for our Connections fellowship time is in the Fireside Room. More than one person/family can supply food. We need lots of volunteers!

WEDDING INVITATION

Colleen Smith and Jack Baker would like to invite the Evangel family to their wedding **this Friday, June 16**, at 3 p.m. here at the church.

WHEATON MUNICIPAL BAND

The Wheaton Municipal Band continues their 2017 Summer Season **this Thursday** with Band Classics at 7:30 p.m. in Wheaton's Memorial Park. You will hear enduring works by composers Gustav Holst, Percy Grainger, Paul Hindemith, Norman Dello Joio and Paul Creston featured in this concert of music that has promoted the growth and popularity of concert bands in America! Admission is free. For more information, visit www.wheatonmunicipalband.org or call 630-260-2000.

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

Gloria Neal's summer office schedule is Wednesdays and Fridays 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Announcements are due on Friday at 9:30 a.m.

NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS

Lil Hellren – (contact office)

PAUSE TO PRAY

Continue to intercede for **Maricel A** as she pursues finalization of immigration status. Ask the Lord to bring a favorable resolution.

Pray for **Jennie T** as she recovers from the health difficulty she has faced this last month. Ask the Lord to bring a sense of His presence and purpose during this difficult time.

Pray for **Jack B and Colleen S** as they anticipate their wedding this Friday. Ask the Lord to bless their union and honor their desire to establish a Christian home.

Ask the Lord to comfort the **Ken L family** during this time of reflection following his Committal Service Friday. Pray they all be grateful for the life he lived and the love he showed.

As many seek a **new church home** later this summer, pray that the Lord will lead each one toward a new community that will encourage growth and service. Pray for the challenges that our congregation will face during this transition.

Several families within Evangel have **homes or property currently on the market for sale**. Pray that each would conclude their transactions in a timely fashion that meets each household's goals and desires.

Pray for the ministry of **First Russian Baptist Church and Pastor Edward Mamalat**. Ask the Lord to bless their outreach to those of the former Soviet Union who have emigrated to our community. Intercede, also, that the Lord heal Edward of physical maladies that have come upon him.

Eric Johnson has received encouraging news from the medical team. He has been able to resume some ministry activities. As his wife, Janet, wrote, "We love and serve an amazing God who loves and blesses us beyond measure."

During this season of Ramadan, pray for **outreach efforts** to those in the Muslim community. Ask the Lord to use the strategies of groups who seek to give the message of salvation in Christ. Pray specifically for Muslims in the U.S.

We are seeking volunteers to assist in our **Backyard Bible Club** neighborhood outreach the week of July 24-28. Ask the Lord for a good response in available volunteers and in spiritual impact in the community.

Pray for selection of up to **seven Evangel Foundation Trustees**. Their role is to oversee mission distributions over several years from the property sale proceeds.

Intercede for our **important decision-making meeting** today. Ask the Lord to bring a sense of unity and clarity to the issues. Give thanks for our church leadership in guiding this process.

Members/Friends: Gil/Norene Z, Maricel A, Mustafa A

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