

UPCOMING EVENTS

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EASTER AT BETHANY Invite your friends, neighbors and family to join you for *Easter at Bethany!* Easter is next Sunday, April 1. FREE BREAKFAST starting at 8:30am (while supplies last). We will also free family pictures being taken throughout the morning prior to the service and for a bit after the service as well (see times below). We will have Small Groups at 9:45am and our service will be at 10:45am.

Photo stations will be in the Courtyard outside the Worship Center and Education Wing (Bethany Church Road side of the building) and will be open from 9:00-9:40am, 10:15-10:40am, and 12:00-12:30pm. Rain: stations will be inside.

REFUGE MOVIE NIGHT Teens in grades 6-12 join us tonight for a special movie night with popcorn and nachos! It's free! Invite your friends! If you want bring a bean bag chair and floor pillow and come watch the movie "Risen" with friends! **IMPORTANT: We will start the movie at 5:50pm sharp to be sure we can finish on time!**

NO KIDS' CHURCH TODAY Nursery is still available for children under 3, but would love for children over four to see and experience our Easter Cantata. Kids' Church will resume next week with a special Easter Sunday event for kids!

NO EVENING MINISTRIES NEXT WEEK Refuge, AWANA and music ministries will not meet next Sunday evening due to Easter. We encourage everyone to enjoy your time together as a family worshipping our Resurrected Savior!

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

ANNIE ARMSTRONG EASTER OFFERING There are presently over 259 MILLION people in the U.S. & Canada that do not have a relationship with Jesus (that's roughly 3 out of every 4 people!). 100% of the money collected for this offering from SBC churches across the nation goes to plant new churches, replant dying churches, & support missionaries in North America. Our goal is \$1500 and will be taken up weekly through April 1. Place offering in plate and mark envelope "Annie Armstrong" or "NAMB Offering". www.anniearmstrong.com

EASTER PHOTO STATION HELP NEEDED We need 3-4 people to help run our Easter Photo Stations. Helpers will help set-up/tear down stations, greet people, hand out info about downloading photos, assist photographers, and answer questions. Must be 16+. **See Pastor Christian or Stephanie Letchworth today if you are able to help.**

MISSIONS' FUNDRAISER MEETING Follow-up meeting for Missions' Fundraiser on Wednesday, March 27 at 7pm.

MISSIONS FUNDRAISER HELP NEEDED (April 27-28) - UPDATED March 11

FLEA MARKET: We are taking a different approach to our yard sale this year. Instead of everyone bringing their items to the church and letting members sort through them, we are asking families and individuals to organize their items and bring them in the day of the Fundraiser and sell them as a part of the Fundraiser, with sales going to benefit missions.

AUCTION: *IMMEDIATE NEED* We are in need of help gathering items. In addition to gathering items to auction off we are asking individuals, families and/or Small Groups to donate items to be auctioned off. Families can even partner together to get items to donate. For more info, see Shane or Terri Ballard, Doug or Mandy Watson, Lee or Paula Perry.

FISH PLATES: We will need several volunteers to help run our fish plate sales on Friday, April 27. See the bulletin board across from the church office for more info or to sign up and help. For questions contact Frank Braswell.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL!! Mark your calendars for Aug 5-9 as we host Vacation Bible School at Bethany! This year's theme: VICTORY from the GO FISH Guys! Needed positions and details will be available March 25. Mark your calendars and get ready for an awesome week! If you have questions in the meantime see Mark or Jessica Smith.

THIS WEEK @ BETHANY

Sunday, March 25, 2018

9:00am Breakfast (Free! In the Family Life Center)
 9:30am Morning Assembly (Family Life Center)
 9:45am Sunday Small Groups (All Ages)
 10:45am Morning Worship Service
 5:30pm Cherub (3½ thru K) and Junior (grades 1-6) Choirs
 6:00pm KIDS: AWANA (ages 2 thru grade 5)
 6:00pm TEENS: Refuge (grades 6-12)

Wednesday, March 27, 2018

7:00pm Mission Fundraiser Meeting
 8:00pm Adult Choir Practice

Thursday, March 28, 2018

7:30pm Praise Team Practice

GIVING FROM MARCH 11

TITHE: \$3,168.00

GIVING FROM MARCH 18

TITHE: \$4,130.28



HE IS NOT HERE, FOR HE HAS RISEN, AS HE SAID.

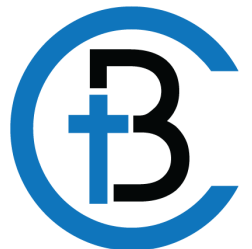
Matthew 28:6

CANTATA ARRANGED BY
 Russell Mauldin

CANTATA PRESENTED BY
 Bethany Baptist Church

MARCH 25, 2018

BETHANY BAPTIST CHURCH
www.WeAreBethany.com



WORSHIP SERVICE

Welcome and Opening Prayer
(Assoc. Pastor Christian Bonham)

WORSHIP IN SONG
Nothing But the Blood

Offertory Prayer

EASTER CANTATA
REDEEMED By the Blood of the Lamb

Narrators will read Scripture prior to each song.

Narrators

+ Churches Around the World Praise Their Savior
SONG: *Redeemed by the Blood Medley*

Narrators

+ Jesus is Treated Like the King of the Jews Entering Jerusalem
SONG: *Praise is Rising / Hosanna*

Narrators

+ Jesus Healed People in the 1st Century and Still Heals Today
(Bethany Members in Cancer Remission)
SONG: *Come to the Healer*

+ The Last Passover Supper with Apostles / Garden Prayer / Arrest of Jesus

Narrators

Narrators

+ The Redeemer Crucified
SONG: *God's Sacrifice with O Sacred Head, Now Wounded*

Narrators

+ Thief on the Cross Redeemed / Today's Redeemed Being Baptized
SONG: *Redeemed*

Narrators

+ Christ's Crucifixion Paid Our Sin Debt = Heaven for Those Who Believe
SONG: *My Victory* (Praise Team)

Narrators

+ Jesus is Buried
SONG: *How He Loves with Redeemed*

Narrators

+ Jesus Arose from the Grave and Is Alive Forever
SONG: *What a Beautiful Name*

INVITATION (Pastor Phillip Brantley)

WORSHIP IN SONG
There is a Redeemer

END

WELCOME TO BETHANY

We are glad you are here this morning! As His church, we exist to see individuals and families **ENCOUNTER God** and see that He is good, **EQUIP People** to grow in faith and because we believe God planted us in Raleigh for His purpose we want to intentionally **ENGAGE Our City**. Enjoy your time with us this morning and we hope to see you again.

FIRST TIME VISITING WITH US?

Visitor Cards are a great way to let us know who you are and how we can serve you. You can find one marked "Welcome to Bethany" in front of you on the back of the pew. Complete the card and **put it in the offering plate** as it comes around, or feel free to **bring it by our Connection Center** in the Foyer so we can meet you!

NURSERY

We have a free nursery available during our Small Groups and Worship Service. It is open to children ages infant thru 3 years and is located in the Education Wing.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

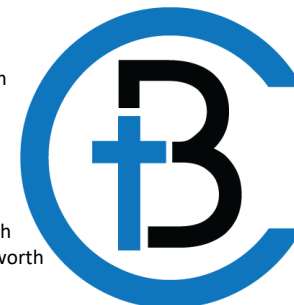
4th Sunday – March 25

Counting Committee - Jo Tidwell, Wendy Smith & Moryah Geib

Ushers - George Puryear, Jimmy Hamlet, James Duncan & Doug Watson

CANTATA PERSONNEL

Senior Pastor Phillip Brantley
Associate Pastor Christian Bonham
Music Director Serena Pearce
(Director of Adult Choir, Praise Team, Narrators, Tech Team)
Cantata Pianist Cindy Perry
Cantata Images and Graphics Connor Bonham
DVD Recording Ron Tidwell
Sound and Lights Carter Letchworth
Photographer Stephanie Letchworth



NARRATORS

George Puryear, Carly Matthews, Allen Moody

ADULT CHOIR

Sopranos: Shamra Braswell, Dawn Duncan (Assist. Dir.), Terri Journigan, Jennifer Kemp, Elaine Price, Carol Ray, Thelma Williams

Altos: Carol Denton, Mildred Johnson, Sandra Jones, Melenda Perry, Rachel Price

Bass: Jimmie Kemp, Clyde Pearce, Larry Williams

PRAISE TEAM

Vocalists: Cassie Alford, Serena Pearce, Melenda Perry

Band: Mckenna Bonham (Guitar), Robert Bonham (Director, Guitar), Kevin Letchworth (Bass), Susan McMichael (Keyboard), Mark Smith (Drums)