

*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  
significante para Ud. en cada manera.*

### **Mission Statement**

*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.*

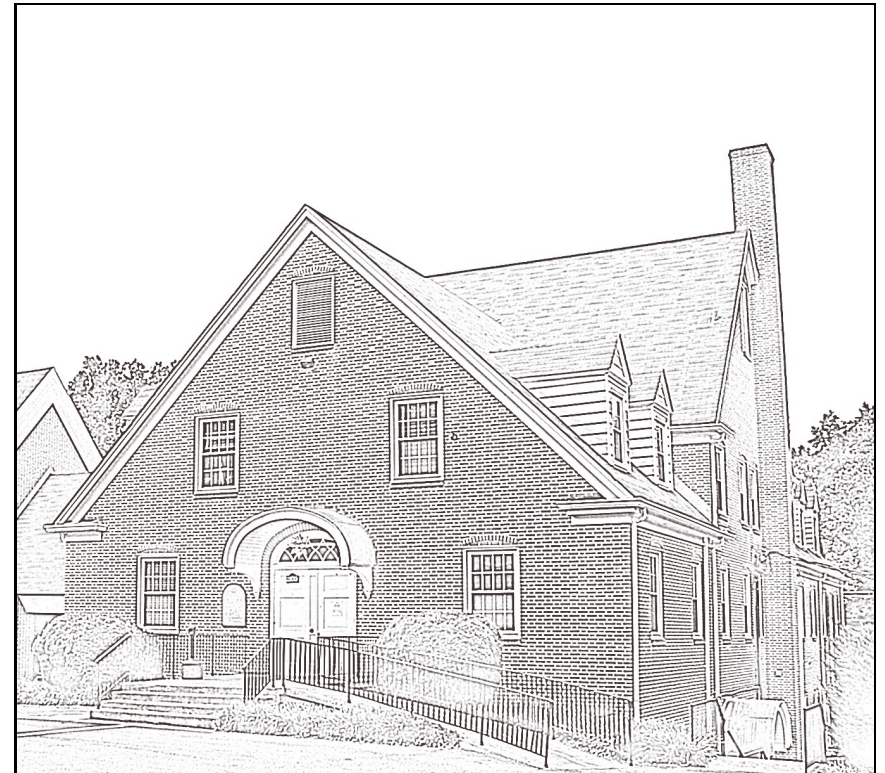
**Moravian Motto:** "In essentials unity; in non-essentials,  
liberty; and in all things love."



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# *Bethabara*

## *Moravian Church*

*Remembering the Past, Envisioning the Future*

*Ascension Sunday  
June 5, 2011*

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

## ASCENSION SUNDAY

### BAND PRELUDE

### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON *Psalms 68:1-14, 32-35* Page 500

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*(Morning Prayer is a part of this liturgy)*

### THE CHURCH IN GIVING

Receiving of Tithes and Gifts

Offertory Anthem

The Doxology

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SERMON "He Was Lifted Up" Rev. Tripp May

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### BENEDICTION

### POSTLUDE

#### Watchword for the Week

Casting all your anxieties on him, because he cares for you.

*1 Peter 5:7*

Echad toda vuestra ansiedad sobre él, porque él tiene cuidado de vosotros.

# PRAYER LIST



Kevin Argueta-ear surgery	Mary Lou Hutchins- <i>dementia</i>
Jim Barnard- Forsyth Hospital	<i>Rachel Pike's sister</i>
<i>Rachel Pike's brother-in-law</i>	Strupe Lackey- <i>Bill's Brother</i>
Edna Blevins	Gloria Long
Robert Boyles- <i>Hiking the Appalachian Trail for Laurel Ridge</i>	Kate McBride- <i>vertigo</i>
Judy Briggs- <i>Gloria Long's cousin</i>	Pat Mobley
Dot Bruce	Eva Morgan
Hilda Burton- <i>Alan's mother</i>	Toni Murphy - <i>on chemo</i>
James Carroll Jr.-home	Ernest Pendry- <i>Fern's brother</i>
<i>Paulette's brother</i>	Rachael Pike
Leona Chatham	Carolyn Redding
Rev. Russell Cherry-	Gay Nell Reich
<i>Jeannie May's Dad</i>	Carlyle Reynolds
Sara Cooke	Alissa Sapp- <i>health issues</i>
Rose Crafton- <i>Edna Blevins' sister</i>	Rick & Becky Sapp & family
Chip Davis	Michelle Shanks - <i>breast cancer friend of Elia Garcia</i>
Libby Pike Davis	Dan Shaw-Colon Cancer Surgery-
Lynn Davis- <i>Daphine Sams' niece</i>	<i>Paulette's Nephew</i>
Dawn Douglas-MS flair-up	Joyce Shields- <i>breast cancer</i>
Denita Duncan	Judy Smith- <i>at home</i>
Earthquake Victims in	<i>Jeannie May's sister</i>
<i>New Zealand and Japan</i>	Ozzie Snyder
Cathy Ellison- <i>bladder cancer surgery-Tommye Orrell's friend</i>	Edna Teague- <i>Kristy Sapp's grandmother</i>
Luella Everhart	Lovina Thompson
Juanita Freeman- <i>Connie Sapp's mother</i>	Tornado victims in southern states
Gerald Freedman- <i>stroke</i>	Lynne Vogel- <i>Addison's Disease, Dawn Douglas' sister</i>
Shara Gales- <i>Kidney transplant</i>	Mary Welborn- <i>at home</i>
Jennifer Gragg	George West- <i>waiting liver transplant, Dot Bruce's son-in-law</i>
Frances Greiner	Vaughn Young- <i>sister of</i>
Don & Carol Griffin	<i>Denita Duncan</i>
Stephanie Hedrick	

**Today at Bethabara**



9:00 a.m.-Intercessory Prayer  
 9:45 a.m.-Sunday School  
 11:00 a.m.-Worship Service  
 12:15 p.m.-Youth Fellowship  
 2:00 p.m.-Creative Ministries  
 2:00 p.m.-Puppets

**Upcoming Week**

Tues., June 7      10:00 a.m. Women's Circle

Wed.                8                5:15 p.m. Intercessory Prayer  
                          5:45 p.m. Dinner & Devotions  
                          6:30 p.m. Bible Study (English)  
                          6:30 p.m. ESL & Spanish Classes  
                          6:30 p.m. Activities (K-5th grade),  
    Nursery  
                          7:15 p.m. Adult Choir

Sun.                12              11:00 a.m. Worship  
    12:00 p.m. **Board Meeting**

Sunday School Attendance 5 /29/11 24	Worship Attendance 5/29/11 40
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Continuing Prayers for those serving  
 in the military:

Rick Sapp  
 Diana Gomez Vejar

~ SCRIPTURE LESSON ~

Acts 1:6-14

<sup>6</sup> So when they had come together, they asked him, "Lord, will you at this time restore the kingdom to Israel?" <sup>7</sup> He said to them, "It is not for you to know times or seasons which the Father has fixed by his own authority. <sup>8</sup> But you shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Sama'ria and to the end of the earth." <sup>9</sup> And when he had said this, as they were looking on, he was lifted up, and a cloud took him out of their sight. <sup>10</sup> And while they were gazing into heaven as he went, behold, two men stood by them in white robes, <sup>11</sup> and said, "Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking into heaven? This Jesus, who was taken up from you into heaven, will come in the same way as you saw him go into heaven." <sup>12</sup> Then they returned to Jerusalem from the mount called Olivet, which is near Jerusalem, a sabbath day's journey away; <sup>13</sup> and when they had entered, they went up to the upper room, where they were staying, Peter and John and James and Andrew, Philip and Thomas, Bartholomew and Matthew, James the son of Alphaeus and Simon the Zealot and Judas the son of James. <sup>14</sup> All these with one accord devoted themselves to prayer, together with the women and Mary the mother of Jesus, and with his brothers.

**Today's Greeters:** Dick & Eva Morgan  
**Today's Nursery Helpers:** Elia Garcia / Connie Sapp

**Greeters June 12:** Moir & Fern Hunter  
**Nursery June 12:** Elia Garcia / Sara Lee

## ~ SAGRADAS ESCRITURAS ~

Acts 1:6-14

6 Entonces los que se habían reunido le preguntaron, diciendo: Señor, ¿restaurarás el reino a Israel en este tiempo? 7 Y les dijo: No os toca a vosotros saber los tiempos o las sazones, que el Padre puso en su sola potestad; 8 pero recibiréis poder, cuando haya venido sobre vosotros el Espíritu Santo, y me seréis testigos en Jerusalén, en toda Judea, en Samaria, y hasta lo último de la tierra.† 9 Y habiendo dicho estas cosas, viéndolo ellos, fue alzado, y le recibió una nube que le ocultó de sus ojos.† 10 Y estando ellos con los ojos puestos en el cielo, entre tanto que él se iba, he aquí se pusieron junto a ellos dos varones con vestiduras blancas, 11 los cuales también les dijeron: Varones galileos, ¿por qué estáis mirando al cielo? Este mismo Jesús, que ha sido tomado de vosotros al cielo, así vendrá como le habéis visto ir al cielo.

12 Entonces volvieron a Jerusalén desde el monte que se llama del Olivar, el cual está cerca de Jerusalén, camino de un día de reposo.\* 13 Y entrados, subieron al aposento alto, donde moraban Pedro y Jacobo, Juan, Andrés, Felipe, Tomás, Bartolomé, Mateo, Jacobo hijo de Alfeo, Simón el Zelote y Judas hermano de Jacobo.† 14 Todos éstos perseveraban unánimes en oración y ruego, con las mujeres, y con María la madre de Jesús, y con sus hermanos.

The June Newsletters  
are ready for pick-up from the mailboxes  
in the vestibule.



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### Celebrating with Edith Kudelka

On Sunday, June 12, from 2-4:00 p.m. at **Home place of Burlington**, there will be a Birthday Celebration for Edith (see newsletter article). For the members of our congregation that can't attend Edith's **Birthday Celebration**, there will be a video taping of "Greetings" **from you** during the time between Sunday School and Worship in the vestibule. Today is the last day for you to send your greetings to Edith. The video will be sent to the family so that they can share it with Edith during her Birthday Party. Please take time to record your greetings by video or send her a Birthday card. We want to make this a special day for Edith.

#### Our Homebound Members: Cards and Visits Appreciated

**Sara Cooke**-Friends Home , RCB-913, 925 New Garden Road  
Greensboro, NC 27410

**Leona Chatham**-Vienna Village #F57, 6601 Yadkinville Rd.,  
Pfafftown, NC 27040

**Edith Kudelka**- Home Place of Burlington  
118 Alamance Rd., Burlington, NC 27215

**Gay Nell Reich**-c/o Pam Eastwood  
5610 Dodson's Crossroads  
Hillsborough, NC 27278

**Betty Wooten**- c/o Eddie Wooten  
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