

Tomahawk Baptist Church
June 15, 2014 ~ 11:00 a.m.

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*We give thanks for fathers and for the men who have  
shaped us and taught us along the Journey*

**Prelude**

**Welcome, Announcements and Prayer Needs**

Rev. Manuel

**Call to Worship**

Rev. Rawls

*Brothers and sisters, rejoice! Strive for full restoration, encourage one another,  
be of one mind, live in peace. And the God of love and peace will be with you.  
May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of  
the Holy Spirit be with you all. -2 Corinthians 13:11,14*

**Opening Prayer**

**Scripture Reading**

Psalm 8

Rev. Manuel

**\*Hymn of Praise**

“How Majestic Is Your Name” #29

HOW MAJESTIC

**Children’s Time**

Rev. Manuel

**Music for Meditation**

**Father’s Day Litany**

Rev. Rawls

For fathers everywhere, who have given us life and love, that we may show them respect and love.

**Holy God, hear this prayer for our fathers.**

For fathers who have lost a child through death, that their faith may give them hope, and their family and friends support and console them.

**Holy God, hear this prayer for our fathers that mourn.**

For men, though without children of their own, who have acted like fathers and have nurtured and cared for us.

**Holy God, hear this prayer for our father figures.**

For step-fathers who have assumed that role with love and joy, who have loved the children of another as their own, and created a new family.

**Holy God, hear this prayer for step-fathers.**

For adoptive fathers, who have claimed the orphan and loved the once unwanted as a precious gift from God.

**Holy God, hear this prayer for adoptive fathers.**

For fathers who have been unable to be a source of strength, who have not responded to the needs of their children, and have not sustained their families.

**Holy God, have mercy on absentee fathers.**

For fathers who struggle with temptation, violence, or addiction. For those who do harm, and for those whom they have harmed.

**Holy God, have mercy on fathers that struggle.**

For new fathers, full of hope. For long-time fathers, full of wisdom. For the fathers yet to be, and fathers soon to be.

**Holy God, hear our prayer for the fathers of your Church.**

For those who have shaped our lives without claim of family or kinship. For those who have taught us, guided us, shaped us and molded us into servants of Christ our Lord.

**Holy God, hear our prayer for the fathers of our faith.**

God our Father, in your wisdom and love you created all things. Bless these men, that they may be strengthened as Christian fathers of all kinds. Let the example of their faith and love shine forth. Grant that we, their daughters and sons, may honor them always with a spirit of profound respect. Grant this through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Amen.**

*“Prayer for Father’s Day.” has been adapted by Robb McCoy from the  
United Methodist Book of Worship, page 441*

**\*Hymn of Stewardship**

“This Is My Father’s World” #43

TERRA PATRIS

**Offertory Prayer**

**We Bring Our Tithes and Offerings**

**\*The Doxology**

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**Special Music**

“Walk on the Water” *by Britt Nicole*

Hannah Walker

**Scripture Reading**

**Sermon**

Rev. Eli Withers

**\*Hymn of Commitment**

“God, the Father of Your People” #382

HOLY MANNA

**\*Benediction**

Rev. Rawls

**Postlude**

**\*Please stand**

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Today we welcome back our guest preacher, Rev. Elizabeth (Eli) Withers. Eli is originally from West Virginia where all of her family still lives. She is a graduate of BTSR and served at Bethel Baptist Church for over 16 years- everything from Youth Minister to Associate Pastor.

CALENDAR

Monday, June 16

Prayer Shawl Ministry 10:30 a.m.
Guys and Dolls Planning 10:30a.m.
Softball, Bye Week

Wednesday, June 18

No Choir Rehearsal this Week

Nursery Workers Needed!

Part of our care for children and families includes providing childcare during the 11:00 worship for kids who are infants through age 4. We are still in need of several more people who would be willing to help in this area on a rotating basis. If you have questions or would like to sign up, please contact Crystal Rosse or the church office.

Softball for a Cause

On Sunday, June 22, teams from Tomahawk and Elkhardt Baptist will meet on the softball field to play for a cause. This charity event will be to benefit Hope Tree Family Services. There is no admission to the games, but concessions will be sold with proceeds going to Hope Tree. Mark your calendars now! Plan to be at Cosby High School from 3:30 to 6:30p.m. to root Tomahawk on...for a cause!

<u>Nursery Workers Schedule</u>		<u>Tellers</u>
<u>June 15</u>	<u>June 22</u>	<u>June 15</u>
Diane Wisner	Kathryn Hickenbottom	Linda Weston (head)
Abbie Wisner	Travis Hickenbottom	Earl Cheatham
Gloria Salmon	Cara Rawls	Joe Horner
<u>Extended Session (3 & 4 year-olds)</u>		
June 15: Amber Caldwell and Anna Midkiff		
June 22: Stormy Crozier and Hayley Gordon		

<u>Facts & Figures as of June 8, 2014</u>			
Weekly Offering	\$ 3,918.25	2014 Budget	\$ 487,264.98
Other Received	\$ 1,915.00		
Weekly Required	\$ 9,370.48	Needed to Match Budget	
Received to Date	\$ 173,510.98	<u>\$42,009.74</u>	
Required to Date	\$ 215,520.72		
Mortgage Debt Early Payoff Received		\$ 160.00	
Received to Date		\$ 14,316.85	
Sunday School Attendance	89	Worship Attendance	146



Tomahawk Baptist Church

All Christians are called to be ministers. Those in our congregation set apart for vocational ministry are:

Mary Richerson Mann – Pastor
Thomas Rawls – Associate Pastor of Discipleship
Crystal Breedlove – Interim Music Director
Krista Manuel – Children & Families Ministry

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