

Bethany United Methodist Church
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The *Salvation Army* and *Laurel Shelter Thrift Store* have an ongoing need for the following items:
Household cleaners, paper products, over the counter medicines, and personal hygiene items.

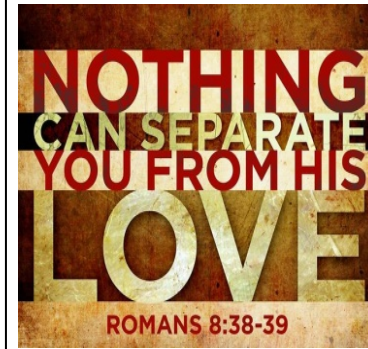
Please place donations in the baskets beside the church office and in the narthex. Thanks!

STEWARDSHIP	10/14
General Fund Total	4388.61
Capital Improvements	20.00
Pastor's Discretionary Fund	45.00
Altar Flowers	90.00
GUEST	10.00
Cemetery Fund	100.00
COUNTING TEAMS	October
1-Kaylor, Byrd, Hasty	21
2-Robins, Nardozi, Harvey	28

SUNDAY WORSHIP	10/14
8:30 Sanctuary	43
8:30 Nursery	0
11:00 Sanctuary	97
11:00 Nursery	1
11:00 Children's Church (already included in Total Worship)	10
TOTAL WORSHIP	141
SUNDAY SCHOOL	
Adults	36
Youth	7
Children	14
TOTAL in SS	57

NURSERY VOLUNTEERS			
Interested in serving as a Nursery Volunteer? We need volunteers in September! Please sign up outside the nursery or contact Jeannie Meisner (804-642-3855).			
Date	8:30 a.m.	Sunday School Hour	11:00 a.m.
10/21	Doris Luther	Vanessa Morris	Wendy Hogge
10/28	Marcia Hargis	Darlene Bauschatz	Frieda Merichko
11/4			
11/11			

Pastor: Mike Derflinger
Church Office Administrator: Dee Dee Wike **Chaplain in Residence:** Carol Johnson
Director of Children & Youth Ministries: Kris Kent **Lay Leader:** Judy Burner
Nursery Attendant: Jeannie Meisner **Director of Music:** Sandra Fox
Organist: Dr. Rudy Shackelford
Acolytes: 8:30 Miranda Shackelford 11:00 Alexandria Bontrager
Sound Room: 8:30 Kirk Bell 11:00 Adam White
October Altar Guild: Sharon Cheek, Joni Neal, Nina Whitmore
Trustee Contact for this Week: Donna Andersen



TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

October 21, 2018

8:30 & 11:00 a.m.

WELCOME, GUESTS! We are delighted to worship with you today and invite you to participate as fully as you feel comfortable. **AVAILABLE FOR YOUR USE:** Please ask an usher for assistance if you require a large print hymnal, large print bulletin, or hearing aid. **CELL PHONES:** Please remember to silence your cell phone before the service begins. Thank you. **Please greet one another before our worship begins.**

***Please stand as you are able. And it's okay to sit.**

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

WELCOME

Pastor Mike

MEDITATION

Agincourt Hymn (Deo Gracias)

John Dunstable
(ca. 1390-1453)

Celebrating the victory of English King Henry V at the Battle of Agincourt in France on St. Crispian's Day, 25 October 1415.
Tune of UMH No., 267, *O Love, How Deep.*

CHORAL INTROIT (11:00)

How Majestic Is Your Name

TFWS No. 2023

***HYMN OF PRAISE**

The Church's One Foundation

UMH No. 546

***UNISON PRAYER**

Marsha Germek

Jesus, it's hard not to be overwhelmed by the hate in our world. Our hope is that we believe you reign; that evil turns at the sound of Your name and hate runs when You appear. Each time we confront the powers and principalities behind the evil and hate, we choose to keep our eyes on You, and we know that that is only by Your grace.

***HYMN BEFORE PRAYER**

My Faith Looks Up to Thee

UMH No. 452

SHARING OF OUR PRAYER CONCERNS & MORNING PRAYER

Pastor Mike

THE LORD'S PRAYER

UMH No. 895

CHORAL RESPONSE (11:00)

Amen

TFWS No. 2043

THE ANTHEM (8:30)

Just a Closer Walk with Thee
Dawn Bontrager, soloist

Anonymous

(11:00)

Hush! Somebody's Callin' My Name
Chancel Choir

arr. Brazeal W. Dennard

CHILDREN'S STORY

Pastor Mike

RECEIVING GOD'S TITHES, GIFTS AND MORNING OFFERING

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Marsha Germek

You are the Lord God Almighty and you reign forever and ever! Help us to take every opportunity to point others to You. By your grace we keep our eyes and hearts on You. We give our tithes and offerings to be light, healing, and joy knowing that there is a day of Your return when all hate, sorrow, and sickness will be gone.

THE OFFERTORY

Yorktown March (1899)

C. Harry Kain

On 19 October 1781, British troops led by Maj. Gen. Charles Cornwallis surrendered at Yorktown, Virginia as the Revolutionary War neared its end.

***THE DOXOLOGY**

UMH No. 95

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Romans 8:35-39

Marsha Germek

The Word of God for the people of God.

Pew Bible NT, page 149

Thanks be to God.

THE MESSAGE

Can Love Overcome Hate?

Pastor Mike

***CLOSING HYMN**

Blessed Assurance

UMH No. 369

***BENEDICTION**

Pastor Mike

***CLOSING CHORUS**

Because He Lives (refrain)

UMH No. 364

Because he lives, I can face tomorrow; because he lives, all fear is gone; Because I know he holds the future, and life is worth the living just because he lives.

ALTAR FLOWERS are given for the glory of God and in celebration of His beautiful autumn.



Sunday, October 28 from 4:00-5:30 p.m.
Front parking lot (fair weather only)

Volunteers are still needed for this fun, family-friendly outreach to our community. We'd like to have 14-16 cars

in the front parking lot and need donations of candy & goodies to share with our guests. If you can help or have questions, please contact Shannon Roane (804-815-5694 or email roanes4@yahoo.com.)

Bethany UMC Prayer List

BETHANY FAMILY

CANCER/CHEMO: Shawn & Krista Chase, Paul & Nancy Kendall, Bob Nardozi, Wes & Zealon Stille, Ken & Gwen Wood

GRIEVING: Families of Roy Bauschatz, Willie Brooks, Larry Cooper, Chris Denton, Clifford Doggett

HEALTH ISSUES: Irene Brown, Bessie Conner, Billy Davis, Charles Enroughty, Jimmy Greene, Gene & Jeannie Harrell, Mike Hearon, Carol Johnson, Archie & Loretta Leigh, Marshall & Bonnie Lewis, Lewis Marion, Paige Mitchell, Richard Parkes, Ted & Peggy Peterman (NC), Laura Polk, Fred Townsend, Nina Whitmore

HOMEBOUND: Annette Adams, Byron Conner (CO), Katherine Jordan, Phil & Alice McGee, Mary Dale Williams

RECOVERING FROM SURGERY: Jim Durette, Jim Germek, Kathy Jacobs, Cheryl Roane, Deb Ziegenfus

BETHANY FRIENDS

CANCER/CHEMO: Cindy Alligood, Carol Hogge Allmand, Robin Barnett (TN), Mike Byrne, Jeff Carino, Dawnella Carter (TX), Al Christensen, Carmen Coberly, Mary Ann Costa, Alice Cruz, Elizabeth Flowers (NC), Joan French, Jackie Gibbs, Frank Gill, Neile Greene, Tommy Griffin (PA), Walt & Reet Hayden (FL), Laymon & Sarah Jacobs (TN), Ralph & JayeP. Johnson, Donna Kidd, Johann Kulik (NY), Bill Luther, Kristi McNeill (KY), Melisa Morales (AR), Jeanette Nichols, Ronald Oliver, K.C. Powers, Chauntea Shield, Karen Smith (NY), Jeff Thomson, Judy Urton, Jennifer West, Judy West, Pat Whitten (NC)

CHILDREN & YOUTH: Ty Hawkey, Emma Trottier (UT) Briggs Wylie (5-Leukemia),

GRIEVING: Families of Camden Adkins, Terri Blythe, Calvin Booker, Jr., Lorraine Brooks, Kimberly Cain (GHS teacher whose aunt & cousin died), Robert Ealey, Earl Garrett, Karilene Kruse, Tiffany Pinto, Melissa Yow

HEALTH ISSUES: Cameron Bransfield (FL), Les Breen, Michael Brown (PA), Ross Carmine, Brenda France, Loretta Germek, Trudy Grimm (NJ), Ty Hawkey, Richard Hearon (FL), Sharon Hoell, Sandra Hoover, Veronika Kiryanova (Canada), Mary Margaret Kuivinen, Paula Lankford, Verma Lankford, Luke Lawson, Joanne Mastropietro (FL), Barry McDade, Donna Miller (TX), Edgar Mundo (NY), Larry Patterson, Evelyn Perhac, Sandy Purdy, Kathie Rumbley (MD), Diane Ryles (SC), Vicky Whitney (PA), Charlotte Wright & Chuck Corbin

HOSPICE: Jan Breen, Thom Ligon, Marcus (TX), Jack Perhac, Lily Mae White

PARKINSON'S: Duane Burnett

RECOVERING FROM SURGERY: Carmen Coberly, Paul McFarland, Mark Garrett, Steve & Julie George, Jerry Hall, Kameron Lemons, David Paul (Richmond), Bertie West

BUMC'S MILITARY AND THEIR FAMILIES (*italics—Bethany friends*)

Edward Bailey, Michael Brown, Peter Demetriades, Meagan Demetriades, Laine Fay, Thomas Howse, Kevin Jacobs, Bernard Johnson, Lamont Johnson, Jim Minor (El Salvador), Aaron Van Huysen, all members of the military.

ASSISTED LIVING (*italics-Bethany friends*)

Gayton Terrace , 12041 Gayton Rd., Richmond, VA 23238	Dorothy Critzer, Room 418
Gloucester House , 7657 Meredith Dr., Gloucester 23061	Lorraine Brown, Room 107 Jean Heywood, Room 110 Esther Marie Jordan, Room 509
Sanders Assisted Living , 7407 Walker Ave., Gloucester 23061	<i>Ellis Hall, Room 106</i>
Sunrise Senior Living , 2015 Cranbeck Rd., Richmond 23235	Pauline Harris, Apt. 130
York Convalescent & Rehab Center 113 Battle Rd., Yorktown, VA 23692	Mary Poland, Rm 27A Alice Doggett, Rm 27B

OUR MISSIONARY – Clara Biswas, Cambodia.

Brothers and Sisters,

Thank you for your generous response to our Stewardship Sunday request to support Bethany's missions and ministries in 2019. To date we have received 75 Faith Promises totaling \$235,128. If you are still praying about how God is calling you to support His church, that's great! When you are ready please turn your Faith Promise card into Bernard Robins.

During the last month you have supported our general budget by your faithful giving each week. You have also gone the 2nd Mile by donating to the following designed funds: Capital Improvement, Pastor's Discretionary Fund, Children's Ministry, GUEST, Rise Against Hunger, Upper Room, Missions Fund, George Nelson Memorial Concert Series, and UMCOR.

The United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR) is the humanitarian relief and development arm of The United Methodist Church (UMC), a non-profit 501(c)3 organization operated under the auspices of the General Board of Global Ministries. Did you know that 100% of the funds given to UMCOR are used for those in need?

May God bless you as you serve Him.

Blessings,

Dolores Breen
Finance Committee Chair

FROM OUR BULLETIN BOARD – Visit our bulletin board in the main hallway for additional information on the following announcements:



Santa Holiday Golf Tournament – Saturday, November 10, Tots. Entry fee is \$50 per player; hole sponsorship is \$100. Start time is 8:00; arrive between 7:00-7:50 a.m. Win prizes, enjoy breakfast (\$3.00), and get pictures with Santa. For more information or to register, see the flyer on the bulletin board, visit <http://www.bethanyumc-gp.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/10/20181017101141544.pdf>, or contact Santa Tournament Director Art Wolz at 804-824-4978 or arthur.wolz@cox.net. You may also register at the golf course.

Jeffrey Wilson, brother of Kathy Jacobs and co-author of the Tier One Series, has released his first faith title, *War Torn*. Jeffrey is a Navy veteran and vascular surgeon who rejoined the service after the 9/11 attacks. His experiences during multiple deployments sent him on his own journey of faith and inspired this novel. <http://www.bethanyumc-gp.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/10/War-Torn-PR-final-2.pdf>



THANK YOU FOR WORSHIPPING AT BETHANY! In addition to worship services, we offer a full range of study and fellowship opportunities for children, youth, young adults, and older adults. **Sunday School** meets from 9:45-10:45 each Sunday morning, with several different classes for adults, one class for youth, three classes for children, and a nursery for infants & toddlers. For more information please visit www.bethanyumc-gp.org.

Our Nursery — For the convenience of parents with small children, a nursery is provided for infants through 3-year-olds during both worship services, as well as during the Sunday school hour. Children ages 4 and older sit with parents until dismissed to Children's Church following the Children's Message.

THIS WEEK AT BETHANY UMC

TODAY	8:25 a.m.	Prayer Time (Mary Lotsey)
	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School for all ages
	12:15 p.m.-1:30 p.m.	Young People's Christmas Rehearsal (Lacey Martin)
Monday, October 22	6:30 p.m.	Troop 75 (Education Wing)
	7:00 p.m.	Men's Bible Study (TBD)
	7:00 p.m.	Women's Bible Study (GAP)
Tuesday, October 23	6:30 p.m.	UMM Meeting (Sal's Pizza, Hayes)
Wednesday, October 24	9:30 a.m.	C.A.R.E. Ministry (Lacey Martin)
Thursday, October 25	9:00 a.m.-12 noon	Bazaar Workshop (Lacey Martin)
	10:00 a.m.	House of Prayer (Sanctuary)
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	4:00 p.m.-5:30 p.m.	Trunk or Treat (front parking lot)

UNITED METHODIST MEN will meet **Tuesday, October 23 at 6:30 p.m.** at Sal's Pizza in Hayes. Our guest speaker this month is Hamilton Williams of the Guinea Heritage Association. So that we can give Sal's an approximate headcount, if you plan to attend please contact Milton Hudgins (804-642-5622) or Alan Harvey (804-684-2790) by Monday, October 22. Hope to see you there!

Remember The Judicial Council of our United Methodist Church in your prayers this week. The Judicial Council convenes in Zurich Oct. 23-26. Judicial in nature and purpose, the council's job is to articulate the constitutional principles and the law of the UMC. On their agenda is to act on a request from our Council of Bishops whether the proposed legislation for the One Church, Connectional Conference and Traditional plans for the 2019 Special General Conference is legal and constitutional.