

WELCOME, VISITORS! We are happy to have you join us in worship today.

*Please sign the Welcome Card found in the pew pocket
and place in the offering plate or hand to an usher. Thank you!*

NURSERY is available for infants to 3-year-olds during the Sunday School hour and 11:00 service.

THIS WEEK AT BETHANY		
TODAY	8:30 am	Informal Worship Service
	9:30 am	Celebration & Fellowship
	9:45 am	Sunday School
	11:00 am	Traditional Worship Service
Monday, April 27	6:00 pm	Praise Team
Tuesday, April 28	10:00 am	Bellamy & Susannah Wesley Meeting
	11:00 am	Worship & Arts Committee
	4:00 pm	SPPRC
	6:30 pm	United Methodist Men
Wednesday, April 29	7:00 pm	Choir Rehearsal
Thursday, April 30	9:00 am	Bazaar Workshop
Sunday, May 3	8:30 am	Informal Worship Service (Communion)
	9:30 am	Celebration & Fellowship
	9:45 am	Sunday School
	11:00 am	Traditional Worship Service (Communion)

Birthdays

4/27 Austin White, Emily White

4/28 Bayleigh Andersen, Irene Hogge

4/30 Katie Hoover

5/1 Betty Neikirk, Susan Young

Ben Breen, Hannah Campbell

5/2 Brenda Ashe, Paul McFarland



BETHANY NEWS – April 26, 2026

Christian Sympathy is extended to the family of Jennie Lipscomb who passed away on April 15th. There are no funeral arrangements at this time.

Prayer request –

Fred begins a new clinical trial at Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore on April 22nd. We thank you for your continued thoughts and prayers as we begin this new journey on treating Fred's cancer.

- Jane and Fred Niethamer

Nursery Volunteers are needed each Sunday, during Sunday School and the 11:00 am Worship Service. If you are interested in helping, there are sign up sheets on the wall outside the nursery. Thanks.

YARD SALE DONATIONS WANTED!! Upsy Daisy is seeking donations for their yard sale on May 2nd. Items that are most desired are chairs, tables, bookshelves, and desks! Donations can be taken directly to Upsy Daisy Tuesday through Saturday from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. from now until May 2nd. All proceeds from the yard sale will go towards local missions. If you have any questions, please contact Cathy Raines, Judy Burner, Gwen Wesson, Janice Drexler, Donna Lane or Betty Neikirk. Many thanks ahead of time.

Jubilee Churches Update - In March and April, Jubilee Churches assisted 13 households in Dominion Power assistance and rent. In addition, for the first time, Jubilee Churches assisted a family with securing a new home by paying for the first month's rent of \$1,100!! There is another potential opportunity to help in this way this month. The current balance of the Jubilee Fund is \$4,700.

SECOND TUESDAY MORNING SHUT-IN VISITATION - We will meet in the Mary Lotsey classroom at 10:00 am on May 12th and will be finished by noon. We will go out in groups of two to visit our shut-ins. We will do this monthly on the second Tuesday. We hope you will consider being a part of this group. This is in addition to any visitation you do on your own.

United Methodist Men will meet Tuesday, April 28th, 6:30 pm at Nick's. Our guest speaker is Doe Breen, who will give an overview of the Gloucester Library and the programs and services offered to the community. This should be an interesting and informative meeting. Please join us for good food and fellowship.



BETHANY HAPPENINGS



The Happy Wanderers at the Abby Aldrich Rockefeller Folk Art Museum.

Bethany UMC Prayer List

BETHANY FAMILY

CANCER/CHEMO: Darlene Bauschatz, Krista Chase, Carol Johnson, Sue Leed, Fred Niethamer, Larry Whitfield
GRIEVING: Families of David Chapin, Roger Loring, Dickie Poland, Jim Sterling
HEALTH ISSUES: Linda Booth, David Cecil, Dawn Cluts, Billy Davis, Sandy Fox, Estelle Harris, Milton Hudgins, Kathy Jacobs, Paul Kendall, Dennis Mitchell, Patsy Morales, Peggy Peterman, Ruth Wallace
PARKINSON'S: Mike Andersen, Yvonne White
RECOVERING FROM SURGERY: Donna Andersen, Robert Blackwell, Judy Burner, Nile Cecil, Scott Glaze, Wendy Hogge, Kevin Kiley, Jeff Lane, Patsy Morales, Terrie Oliver, Cathy Raines, Pauline Reimold, Cheryl Roane, Bernard Robins, Dawne Sawyer

BETHANY FRIENDS

HEALTH ISSUES: Peyton Arthur, David Blackburn, Opal Brown, Michelle Burton, Kendall Walthall Caton, Joshua Childers, Charlene Diggs, Wanda Dowell, Bill Edwards, John Gordon, Traci Greene, Mary Elizabeth Hogge, Jordan Hunter, Shirley Lewis, David Morris, Pam Mullins, Rick Nichols, Terrie Oliver, Phillip Presson, Wendy Roundy, Mason Staley, Ricky West, Gerri Wilson, Sue Young
GRIEVING: Families of Larry Jones, Jason McDowell, David Trottier

ACTIVE MILITARY AND THEIR FAMILIES

Kevin Jacobs, Will Neikirk, Jim Minor, Jennifer Arnold Blackburn, All members of the military.

OTHER PRAYERS

United States of America; Ukraine; Israel and the Middle East; United Methodist Church

ASSISTED LIVING

Gloucester House, 7657 Meredith Dr., Gloucester 23061	Sarah Hillard, Rm 113
Gloucester House, 7657 Meredith Dr., Gloucester 23061	Sharon Cheek, Rm 107
Heron Cove, 7409 Heron Cove Way, Gloucester 23061	Bonnie Lewis, Rm 13
Riverside Mathews, 603 Main St., Mathews, VA 23109	David Cecil, Rm 33B
Sanders Assisted Living, 7407 Walker Ave., Gloucester 23061	Carolyn Scott, Rm 208
Sunrise Senior Living, 2015 Cranbeck Rd., Richmond, VA 23235	Pauline Harris, Apt. 130
Walter Reed Convalescent Ctr, 6702 Meredith Dr, PO Box 887, Gloucester 23061	Lavalle Wilson, Rm Botetourt 6

Please note that unless otherwise notified, names will remain on the prayer list for 2 months.

Please notify the Church Office of changes to the prayer list at any time.

