

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, May 25	6:00 pm	Praise Team
Tuesday, May 26	6:30 pm	United Methodist Men
Wednesday, May 27	7:00 pm	Choir Rehearsal
Thursday, May 28	9:00 am	Bazaar Workshop
	10:00 am	Church & Society Committee
Friday, May 29	10:00 am	HMAG Teacher's Meeting
Sunday, May 31	10:00 am	Worship Service
	Following worship	Covered Dish Luncheon

Birthdays

- 5/24 Alexander Kendall
- 5/25 Laura Vaughan
- 5/27 Wendell Fletcher, Linda Fletcher
- 5/28 Ellanah Daniel, Bunny Ekdahl
- 5/30 Brian Lewis

Anniversaries

- 5/27 Donald & Debbie Rhodes, 48
- 5/27 Ben & Gwendolyn Szulgit, 4
- 5/30 Shawn & Greta Rohrbach, 31
- 5/30 Ryan & Melissa Brooks, 23

STEWARDSHIP	5/17
General Fund	2924.00
Pastor's Discretionary Fund	100.00
VBS	100.00
ATTENDANCE	5/17
Worship – 8:30 am	23
Worship – 11:00 am	51
Online Worship	76
Total	150



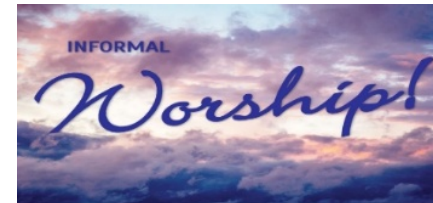
May 24, 2026

8:30 am



BETHANY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

DAY OF PENTECOST



We welcome you to worship today!

** Please stand as you are able.*

Invocation

Lord, I Need You

Jesse Reeves, Kristian Stanfill
Matt Maher, Christy Nockels
Daniel Carson

Welcome and Announcements

Pastor John Choi

***Praise**

Goodness of God

Ben Fielding, Brian Johnson
Ed Cash, Jason Ingram
Jenn Johnson

Prayer

Thanksgiving over Offering

***Scripture Reading**

John 7: 37-39.

Pastor John Choi

Message

“God’s Great Gift for Our Time”

Pastor John Choi

Praise

Make It Well

Bart Millard, Ethan Hulse
Timothy Howard Timmons

***Blessing**

***Closing Chorus**

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

UMH 349



BETHANY NEWS

Altar Flowers are given today by Dean Townsend in memory of our Wedding Anniversary

Homebound Meal Ministry has been postponed and a new date will be announced.

The Salvation Army needs our help! Canned goods and non-perishable items are needed for the Salvation Army food pantry. Bins for donations are located outside the Church office. Their pantry is open on Mondays and Tuesdays from 9:00 am until 3:00 pm. Thank you for your assistance!

Graduate Recognition Sunday is next Sunday, **May 31st** (this is a change of dates.) Please contact the Church office with the names of those graduating from elementary, middle and high schools and from colleges, by this Wednesday, May 27th.

Fifth Sunday Event, May 31st – The Bryan Forrest Band from Newport News will be joining us for our 5th Sunday gathering, providing special music during our fellowship lunch. The band is known for their engaging style and love of music, bringing a mix of ‘60’s, ‘70’s and ‘80’s songs in acoustic classic rock style. The band will play immediately following our ONE SERVICE at 10:00 am. **Please join us (and bring you favorite covered dish)** for good music, delicious food and fellowship.

HAPPY WANDERERS - June 5th. We are leaving the front parking lot of church at promptly 10:00 am - Let’s go to the Deltaville Maritime Museum, which preserves the Maritime heritage of the boat building capital of the Chesapeake. Cost of admission is \$5. Set on 36 acres, the Museum features indoor and outdoor exhibits on boat building. We will enjoy lunch after the museum tour. Please let Judy Burner know if you will be able to attend and if you can drive. Hope you can join us!

Vintage is Back! We will have a Vintage room at this year’s Bazaar, November 14th. When you are doing your spring cleaning, please save anything you don’t need for the Vintage Room. Your give-away may be someone’s treasure! Please put all donations in the closet in the Fellowship Hall. Thank you!

United Methodist Men will meet Tuesday, May 26th, 6:30 pm at Nick’s. Please join us for a good meal and fellowship.

Bethany UMC Prayer List

BETHANY FAMILY

CANCER/CHEMO: Darlene Bauschatz, Krista Chase, Carol Johnson, Sue Leed, Linwood Rowe, Larry Whitfield
GRIEVING: Families of Jennie Lipscomb, Fred Niethamer, Lee Wood
HEALTH ISSUES: Linda Booth, David Cecil, Dawn Cluts, Billy Davis, Sandy Fox, Estelle Harris, Milton Hudgins, Kathy Jacobs, Paul Kendall, Bonnie Lewis, Dennis Mitchell, Peggy Peterman, Ruth Wallace, Gretchen Wood
PARKINSON’S: Mike Andersen, Yvonne White
RECOVERING FROM SURGERY: Mike Andersen, Darlene Bauschatz, Robert Blackwell, Nile Cecil, Patsy Morales, Terrie Oliver, Cathy Raines, Cheryl Roane, Bernard Robins

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, Gary Poland, Phillip Presson, Wendy Roundy, Sissi Mise Smith, Mason Staley, Ricky West, Gerri Wilson, Sue Young
GRIEVING: Families of Larry Jones, 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 Street, Mathews 23061	David Cecil, Rm 338
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, 7602 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.

