

| THIS WEEK AT BETHANY  |          |                                     |
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| TODAY                 | 8:30 am  | Informal Worship & Communion        |
|                       | 9:30 am  | Celebration & Fellowship            |
|                       | 9:45 am  | Sunday School                       |
|                       | 11:00 am | Traditional Worship & Communion     |
| Monday, November 2    | 2:00 pm  | JOY Circle                          |
|                       | 6:00 pm  | Praise Team                         |
| Tuesday, November 3   | 5:30 pm  | York River Villas Condo Association |
| Wednesday, November 4 | 5:30 pm  | Youth Group                         |
|                       | 6:30 pm  | Choir Rehearsal                     |
| Thursday, November 5  | 9:00 am  | Bazaar Workshop                     |
| Friday, November 6    | 9:00 am  | HMAG                                |
| Sunday, November 8    | 8:30 am  | Informal Worship                    |
|                       | 9:30 am  | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday Breakfast    |
|                       | 9:45 am  | Sunday School                       |
|                       | 11:00 am | Traditional Worship                 |

- Birthdays**
- 11/1 Hope Bell Nichols, Debbie Robins, Shelton Glaze
- 11/2 Rick Kidd
- 11/3 Pat Hasty, Patsy Bell
- 11/4 Deniece Byrne, Dee Dee Wike, Natalie Chapin
- 11/5 Alex Chapin, Vicki Wolz
- 11/6 Meghan Patterson, Doe Breen

- Anniversaries**
- 11/2 Wes & Zealon Stilley, 52
- 11/3 Joe & Deniece Byrne, 25
- 11/6 Billy & Carolyn Davis, 61
- 11/6 Jason & Shannon Roane, 27

| STEWARDSHIP                 | 10/25   |
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| General Fund                | 1555.00 |
| Pastor’s Discretionary Fund | 775.00  |
| Capital Improvement Fund    | 50.00   |
| ATTENDANCE                  | 10/25   |
| Worship – 8:30 am           | 38      |
| Worship – 11:00 am          | 44      |
| Online Worship              | 155     |
| Total                       | 237     |



BETHANY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

23<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST | ALL SAINTS SUNDAY



We welcome you to worship today!

*\* Please stand as you are able.*

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| Invocation | Made for More | Blake Wiggins, Jessie Early<br>Jonathan Smith, Josh Baldwin |
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| Welcome and Announcements | Pastor John Choi |
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| *Praise | Soul on Fire | Powell, Lee, Carr<br>Anderson, Brown, Maher |
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Prayer

Thanksgiving over Offering

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| Scripture Reading | Matthew 5: 1-12 | Pastor John Choi |
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| Message | “A New World On Its Way” | Pastor John Choi |
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| Holy Communion            |                                                   |
| Invitation and Confession |                                                   |
| Giving Thanks             |                                                   |
| Communion Song            | Communion Brooke & Scott Ligertwood, Jason Ingram |
| Giving the Bread and Cup  |                                                   |
| Prayer                    |                                                   |

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| Praise | I Will Rise | Chris Tomlin, Jesse Reeves<br>Louie Giglio, Matt Maher |
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\*Blessing

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| *Closing Chorus | Give Thanks with a Grateful Heart | TFWS 2036 |
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*Altar Flowers are given today by Kirk and Patsy Bell in honor of  
our daughter's birthday.*

**Faith Promise Campaign** – There is still time! If you haven’t, yet, pledged for 2027, please leave your Faith Promise Card in the offering plate or drop off at the Church Office. Thank you.

**Altar Guild** – The Altar Guild is in need of volunteers as part of teams (for one month, twice per year), that set up for Communion (once per month), change paraments as needed and keep a keen eye on the sanctuary to be certain it looks its best at all times. If you are interested in helping, please contact Betty Durette at 757-771-7437. Thank you.

Once again, the **Joy Circle** will sponsor the **Christmas Market** as a community outreach project. This year we will be at Commonwealth Senior Living - Gloucester House, where 3 Bethany friends reside. We ask that the congregation help us with small gift items that the residents select for their family members and/or themselves. Popular items include shower steamers, colognes for men or women, jewelry, large piece puzzles, body sprays, notepads, boxed greeting cards, liquid hand soaps, boxes of sturdy tissues, socks, comb and brush sets. A box will be provided at the back door beginning Sunday, November 1<sup>st</sup> for your donations. The Christmas Market will be held on Monday, December 7<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 pm for anyone that may want to join us for an afternoon blessing!

The **JOY Circle** will meet, next, on Monday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>, at 2:00 pm in the Friendship Class. All ladies are welcome

**Bethany Bazaar News** – We’re counting down the days! The Bazaar is right around the corner – Saturday, November 14<sup>th</sup>, from 9:00 am until 2:00 pm. The Free Preview is Friday, November 13<sup>th</sup>, from 6:00 until 8:00 pm. The Preview includes “punch and a treat.” The Bazaar workers have created a variety of crafts and gifts – something for everyone! So, shop, shop, shop! All proceed benefit missions. The Country Kitchen and Bake Shop needs your help! We are asking families of Bethany to donate an item for the shop, like homemade pies, cakes, cookies, candy or home canned goodies. Please bring your item(s) to the Fellowship Hall on Friday, November 13<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 am – 6:00 pm. Please make sure that items are securely wrapped and labeled with ingredients and your name. All donations are much appreciated. Thank you for all your help and support!

**Senior High Students** – Your Sunday School class is reactivated! Please join us at 9:45 am each Sunday in the Senior High Class!

**George Nelson Concert Series** – If you are interested in serving on the GNCS Committee, please contact Rudy Shackelford, Sandy Fox or Ann Byrd. We meet about once a month.

**Prayer Requests:**

- Barb Holtry remains at Riverside Regional in Newport News.
- Shirley Lewis is recovering at Sanders.

David Cecil's burial will be on Thursday, Nov. 12th, at the Horton Memorial Cemetery in Suffolk at 11:00 am.

| Bethany UMC Prayer List                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |                                |
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| BETHANY FAMILY                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                |
| <b>CANCER/CHEMO:</b> Darlene Bauschatz, Krista Chase, Carol Johnson, Sue Leed, Larry Whitfield                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                |
| <b>GRIEVING:</b> Families of Mike Andersen, David Cecil, Hile Cecil, Gary Loveland, Marie Reynolds, Sandy Riffin, Lee Wood                                                                                                                                                                     |                                |
| <b>HEALTH ISSUES:</b> Linda Booth, Dawn Cluts, Billy Davis, Sandy Fox, Estelle Harris, Pat Hasty, Marcia Haywood, Milton Hudgins, Kathy Jacobs, Paul Kendall, Bonnie Lewis, Dennis Mitchell, Josh Morris, Peggy Peterman, Ruth Wallace, Yvonne White, Gretchen Wood                            |                                |
| BETHANY FRIENDS                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |                                |
| <b>HEALTH ISSUES:</b> Jimmy Belvin, Opal Brown, Joshua Childers, Jimmy Diggs, Shirley Hudgins, Jordan Hunter, Shirley Lewis, Alex Martin, Earlene Miller, David Morris, Pam Mullins, Terrie Oliver, Kendall Pratt, Wendy Roundy, Rupert Thomas, Ricky West, Gerri Wilson, Art Wolz, Vicki Wolz |                                |
| <b>GRIEVING:</b> Families of Jan Maynard Gray, Peter Hogge, Thomas Hogge, Sr.                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                |
| 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           |
| Gloucester House, 7657 Meredith Dr, Gloucester 23061                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | Patsy Morales, Rm 118          |
| Heron Cove, 7409 Heron Cove Way, Gloucester 23061                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | Bonnie Lewis, Rm 13            |
| Sanders Assisted Living, 7407 Walker Ave, Gloucester 23061                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Carolyn Scott, Rm 208          |
| Sunrise Senior Living, 2105 Cranbeck Rd, Richmond,VA 23235                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Pauline Harris                 |
| Walter Reed Convalescent Ctr, PO Box 887, Gloucester 23061                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Lavalle Wilson, Rm Botetourt 6 |



