

## CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

September 7th - September 13th

- Today:** Rally Day!  
9:00 - Church Breakfast  
9:45 - Sunday School  
11:00 - Worship  
12:15 - Deacons Meeting  
12:15 - PWCT Meeting
- Monday:** 6:30 - Cub Scouts (Fellowship Hall)  
7:00 - Boy Scouts  
7:00 - Session Meeting
- Tuesday:** 1:30 - Afternoon Circle  
7:00 - Evening Circle (at the home of Yvonne Goodson)
- Wednesday:** 5:45 - The Bells of Bethel  
7:00 - Adult Choir
- Thursday:** Patriot Day
- Friday:** 6:00 - Cupcake Decorating for the Bring Trevor Home Fundraiser Dinner
- Saturday:** 8:30 - The Big Event at Massanetta Springs

*Next Sunday, September 14th:*

- 9:00 - *Communications Committee Meeting*  
9:45 - *Sunday School*  
11:00 - *Worship/Communion*  
12:00 - *Congregational Meeting*  
12:30 - *Worship Committee Meeting*  
*(after Congregational Meeting)*  
5:00 - 7:00 - *Bring Trevor Home Fundraiser Dinner for the Lee Family*

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Greeters: Betty Heizer; Rosalee Miller

\*The flowers in the Sanctuary are given by Jessie Earhart to the Glory of God and in loving memory of her husband, Roy Lee Earhart.

\*Good morning and welcome to Bethel! Whether you are a member, a friend or a visitor please take a moment and fill out the attendance pad at the end of your pew. Don't forget to give the attendance pad to others to sign when you are done. Thank you!

\*The Deacons will meet today following the worship service.

\*The PWCT will meet today following the worship service.

\*Have a delicious dinner while helping provide healthcare services and medicine to thousands of our community's medically uninsured. Tomorrow, Monday, September 8th, 2014, the Augusta Regional Free Clinic will host Depot Grille Tip Night starting at 5:00 pm at the Depot Grille in Staunton. Free Clinic Board Members and staff will greet you at the door, seat you at your table, serve you delicious drinks and dinner, bus your table, and gladly accept your tip! Your "tip" check may be made payable directly to the Augusta Regional Free Clinic to receive a tax deduction for charitable donation. Get some friends together and join us! Visit us on the web at [www.augustafreeclinic.org](http://www.augustafreeclinic.org) or call us at (540) 332-5606 to learn more. Thank you for making a difference in our community!

\*The Session will meet tomorrow, Monday, September 8th, at 7:00 pm.

\*The Evening Circle will be meeting this Tuesday, September 9th, at 7:00 pm at the home of Yvonne Goodson (300 Churchville Ave; Staunton). If you have any questions please contact Yvonne at 712-0678.

\*Calling all kids (and kids at heart)! You are invited to a special cupcake decorating evening here at Bethel this Friday, September 12th, at 6:00 pm. We need your help to bake and decorate at least 100 cupcakes for the Bring Trevor Home Fundraiser! Please join Mrs. Bonnie Shearer in this epic evening of frosting, sugar, and sprinkles! This is NOT a girl only event! We need boys and girls to bake and decorate our desserts. No experience necessary!

\*Attention Bethel Congregation: THE BIG EVENT is coming up next Saturday, September 13th, 2014, at Massanetta Springs. This annual event brings together Presbyterian Women, a Mission Fair, and Leadership Workshops along with worship and great fellowship for everyone throughout Shenandoah Presbytery. The day begins with gathering in the Mission Fair area to view what God is doing in mission through congregations and other groups. This is followed by worship, and workshops that include a Bible Study, Presbyterian Women training, church officer training, and discussions on how-to in mission and communications, along with much more. Register by tomorrow Monday, September 8th. Registration forms and detailed information can be found in the vestibule and the table next to choir room. Questions? Contact Rev. Sarah Hill at [shill@lexpres.org](mailto:shill@lexpres.org).

\*The Mt. Tabor Lutheran Church will be having its annual Harvest Sale and Supper next Saturday, September 13th, 2014, beginning at 4 pm. The Family Style Menu includes: Country Ham, Turkey, Dressing, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Lima Beans, Tomatoes, Pickles, Homemade Rolls, Apple Pie and Cherry Pie and Coffee and Tea. The price is \$15.00 for adults and \$5.00 for children under 10. There will also be a raffle for a quilt (carpenter's star pattern - measures 72"x72") and a raffle for a bench (cherry wood - approx. size 48" long x 17" high). Tickets are \$1.00 each or \$5.00 for 7 tickets. Please contact Joe or Karen Vecchioli at 540-886-0130 for tickets. Mt. Tabor Lutheran Church is located off Rt. 252 (Middlebrook Road), South of Staunton on Route 694 (Mt. Tabor Road). Signs will be posted. The church telephone number is 540-885-4738.

\*The Greenville Elementary School Reunion will be held next Saturday, September 13th, 2014, from 5:00 pm - 9:00 pm. It is for all who attended, any year. It will be held at Greenville United Methodist Church and there will be a free will offering to cover expenses. Bring a covered dish to share. Drinks, plates, and utensils will be provided. For more information, please contact Barbara (Schooley) Gough or Martha (Ware) Simmers.

\*The Communications Committee will meet next Sunday, September 14th, at 9 am.

\*Communion will be held next Sunday, September 14th, during the worship service.

\*There will be a Congregational Meeting on Sunday, September 14th, immediately following the worship service. The purpose of the meeting will be to elect four members of the congregation to the Nominating Committee. By order of the Session.

\*The Worship Committee will meet next Sunday, September 14th, following the Congregational Meeting.

\*You are invited to a pulled chicken and pork BBQ fundraiser to bring Trevor home next Sunday, September 14th, at 5 pm. The dinner will be held at the Boy Scout Pavilion and is being held to benefit the Lee Family in their effort to adopt Trevor. For more information about Trevor, the Lee family, or the dinner please pick up one of the brochures about the dinner in the vestibule. Thank you!

\*The Growth & Strengthening Committee will meet Tuesday, September 16th, at 6:30 pm.

\*The October Tower Deadline will be Thursday, September 18th. Please have all articles and announcements to the Church Office by noon. Articles and announcements for the October Tower can be left in Adrienne's mailbox in Memorial Hall or you can email them to her at [bethelpc@gmail.com](mailto:bethelpc@gmail.com). When writing announcements for the newsletter please keep in mind the 5 W's: Who? What? When? Where? Why?. Answer all these in your announcement, and you can be sure that your news will be communicated well. Please remember if you turn in items after the deadline Adrienne cannot guarantee they will be included in the Tower. Thank you!

\*Witness Committee Food Booth at The Meating Place The Witness Committee will be working the Food Booth at The Meating Place on Friday, September 19th and Saturday, September 20th. The Witness Committee needs 2 people to help work from 8 am until noon and 2 people to work from noon until 4 pm. The following baked goods are needed: fruit pies, homemade bread and rolls, brownies, cookies, 1/2 cake, and peanut butter or chocolate fudge. If you would like to volunteer to help in the Food Booth please let Peggy Smith (292-0886) know and if you would be willing to provide baked goods please leave them in the Church Kitchen by 7 pm on Thursday, September 18th.

\*On Saturday, October 4th, the Witness Committee will sponsor a Rebuilding Together project off Middlebrook Road. The project includes replacing damaged tiles in a shower, replacing a back storm door, a handrail at steps in the living room, handrails for steps in front of the house and replace missing asphalt shingles. All ages are welcome! Please contact Peggy Smith (292-0886) if you would like to help with this project.

\*The Staunton Choral Society is seeking new members so if you love to sing please join them! There are no auditions and rehearsals are on Monday evenings from 7 pm until 9 pm in the chapel of First Baptist Church (406 W. Frederick St - Staunton; enter from N. Madison Street). Please call 540/248-3607 for more information.

\*Our sympathies and condolences to the family and friends of Polly Bundy who passed away on September 3rd, 2014.

\*If you would like to join Bethel Presbyterian Church, please feel free to contact Pastor David or a Session member. We would love to hear from you!

August 31st

Attendance: 71

Weekly Budget: \$3,436.00 Received: \$2,287.00