

## CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

June 7th - June 13th

**Today:** 9:45 - Sunday School  
11:00 - Worship/Graduate Recognition Sunday  
12:00 - Lemonade on the Lawn  
12:30 - Christian Education Committee Meeting  
(after Lemonade on the Lawn)  
12:30 - Diaconate (after Lemonade on the Lawn)

**Monday:** 7:00 - Boy Scouts  
7:00 - Session Meeting

**Tuesday:** 1:30 - Afternoon Circle  
7:00 - Evening Circle

**Thursday:** 7:00 - Bible Study

*Next Sunday, June 14th: Flag Day*

*9:45 - Sunday School*

*11:00 - Worship/Communion*

*12:15 - Worship Committee Meeting*

*7:00 - Vespers Service*

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Greeters: Tom and Lee Ann Heizer

\*The flowers in the sanctuary are given by Charlie and Rhonda Johnson in honor of the wedding of Katie (Johnson) and Wes McElveen which was held here at Bethel, yesterday, June 6th.

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

\*Bethel will recognize the high school and college graduates during the worship service this morning. Please join the Christian Education Committee in congratulating our graduates this year. They are well prepared to lead the way into the future.

\*We will have Lemonade on the Lawn after the worship service today to honor our graduating seniors and our new members from the past year. Come and join us as we celebrate and fellowship together!

\*Our photographers Bonnie Shearer and Penny Lee will be available this morning after church to take pictures of anyone who would like to meet them under the oak tree in front of the church. Go have your picture made for the church directory, then come up and share some lemonade with us. We are celebrating school graduates today. Congratulations to them for receiving their diplomas or degrees!

\*The Christian Education Committee will meet today, at 12:30 pm (following Lemonade on the Lawn).

\*The Diaconate will meet today, at 12:30 pm (following Lemonade on the Lawn).

\*Let's PLAY BALL . . . It's that time of the year and Coffman Funeral home would like to invite your family to enjoy a night with the Staunton Braves at "Church Family Night with the Braves" tonight, Sunday, June 7th and/or Sunday, June 14th. FREE tickets are available in the vestibule at the back of the Sanctuary and in the Church Office. Make sure to get the correct ticket(s) with the date for the game you wish to attend!

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

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

\*There will be a Worship Committee Meeting next Sunday, June 14th, following the worship service.

\*The Riverheads faculty & staff are hosting a donation spaghetti dinner to benefit the Williams/Parker families on Sunday, June 14th from 11:00 am until mid-afternoon in the Riverheads High School cafeteria. Be sure to put this on your calendar & come out to support these families. Please continue to pray for these young ladies and their families. If you are from out of town and would like to support these families, donations can be mailed to Riverheads High School; 19 Howardsville Road; Staunton, VA 24401. All proceeds will go to the families.

\*There will be a Vespers Service here at Bethel next Sunday, June 14th, at 7:00 pm to celebrate with all of our young people who have completed another year of school. This service is open to all so please come out and join us as we praise God for another successful school year!

\*The July Tower Deadline will be Thursday, June 18th. Please have all articles and announcements to the Church Office by noon. Articles and announcements for the July Tower can be left in Adrienne's mailbox in Memorial Hall or you can email them to: [bethelpc@gmail.com](mailto:bethelpc@gmail.com). If you turn in items after the deadline Adrienne cannot guarantee they will be included in the Tower. When writing announcements for the newsletter please keep in mind the 5 W's: Who? What? When? Where? Why?. Please remember that all announcements and information are subject to editing. Thank you!

\*ATTENTION ALL! There will be a Potluck Dinner on Thursday, June 18th, at 6:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Bring a dish and join us for a meal and an evening of activities for all ages. At 7:00 pm the adults will attend David's Bible study group. The young adults, youth, and children will then go to three assigned areas for appropriate age level activities. Bring a friend and join us for this special event and time of fellowship. We look forward to seeing you on June 18th!

\*Yard Sale in support of Bethel's Baja Build Team, *Los Humildes* On Saturday, June 20th, from 8:00 am until 2:00 pm, the Baja Team members will be holding a yard sale on Route 11, south of Staunton, in the parking lot of Bruce Lamond's Auto Sales/ Premiere Autobody (across from the DMV). They would love to accept donations of items that will be used to support this important mission. Contact Keith Folsom if you have items too heavy to deliver. The team will figure out transportation for those items. Otherwise, items can be brought to the church and placed in the storage room above Memorial Hall, where the team will look for them. The team will be loading things for the yard sale up until the evening of Friday, June 19th, if you want to bring them late. As always, the team from Bethel, but especially the families in Baja, appreciates the gifts of support from this church. Thanks to all!

\*Hygiene Kits for Baja The ladies of the church are preparing hygiene kits for the Baja Mission Team to take with them when they go to Baja in July. The hygiene kits include the following items: Toothbrush and Toothpaste, Comb or Brush, Bar of soap, Washcloth and Hand Towel, Deodorant and Razor. The items are to be placed in a one gallon plastic ziplock bag with all packaging removed. All kits need to be brought to the church by June 25th so they can be ready for shipment. There will be a container in Memorial Hall for the kits to be placed in. This project is being sponsored by the PWCT but is open to everyone in the church to participate in.

\*The Bells of Bethel are taking the summer off! They will resume practices at the end of August. We appreciate the bell choir helping us worship with beautiful music.

\*The Adult Choir will be taking their summer break from June until the beginning of August. We greatly appreciate the talent, dedication, and enthusiasm of our choir and our musicians as they help us worship.

\*Since the Choir is taking off the months of June and July we are asking for volunteers to sing or play during the worship service. If you are interested in helping out, please contact the Church Office. Thank you!

\*In order to keep our Bethel calendars up to date, we request that all committee chairmen and all heads of other groups in the church submit all additions or corrections to the calendars by email to [bethelpc@gmail.com](mailto:bethelpc@gmail.com) AND to [jlwebb320@comcast.net](mailto:jlwebb320@comcast.net). Thank you.

\*Please send your announcements for the weekly bulletin to the Church Office by 3 pm each Wednesday. Feel free to email the information to: [bethelpc@gmail.com](mailto:bethelpc@gmail.com) or you can place it in Adrienne's mailbox in Memorial Hall. Please remember that all announcements are subject to editing. Thank you!

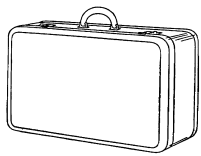
\*If you would like to join Bethel Presbyterian Church, please feel free to contact Pastor David or a Session member. We would love to hear from you!

May 31st

Attendance: 93

Weekly Budget: \$3,589.00      Received: \$2,595.00

## 2015 Baja Suitcase



There are six members from Bethel (Laura Barmore, Keith Folsom, Robert and Kenneth Olson, Maggie Rivers and Kymberlee Schneider) going to Baja, Mexico from July 17th through July 26th. This year the group will again be taking a "Baja Suitcase" filled with donations of toys, household goods, clothing and hygiene items. Below is a list of items that are useful and appreciated. Beginning Monday, June 1st, this suitcase will be in the vestibule at the back of the Sanctuary for you to place your donations in. The deadline for donations is Monday, July 6th. Thank you so much for your prayers and support!

Below is a list of items that are always useful to the team in furnishing the home. These are suggestions and they are not limited to the list below:

- Single and Double Bed Sheets and Pillowcases
- Curtain Rods and Curtains - Single Windows (4 windows) and Panels for Room Dividers
- Bath Towels and Wash Cloths
- Kitchen Towels
- Kitchen Utensils
- Flatware
- Light Blankets for Twin or Full Size Beds
- Pillows
- Small Hand Mirrors

Below is a list of items that are always popular with the children. These are suggestions and they are not limited to the list below:

- Deflated Soccer, Kick and Footballs and Pump
- Tennis Balls
- Frisbees
- Balloons
- Crayons, Pencils and Sharpeners
- Drawing Pads
- Hair Accessories and Small Purses

*(Baja Suitcase suggestions continued)*

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### General Items Needed

- Hygiene Items - Soap, Toothpaste, Toothbrush, Brush, Comb, Deodorant, Tampons, Pads, Diapers
- Clothing for Children and Babies
- Clothing for Small Adults (Small, Medium, some Large)
- Light Jackets
- Children and Adult Shoes (Small Sizes)