

**BETHEL CHURCH
ANNOUNCEMENTS**

April 22nd - April 28th



•Good morning and welcome to Bethel! Whether you are a member, a friend or a visitor please take a moment to 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!

•The flowers in the Sanctuary are given in memory of JoAnn & Jerry Pendley's parents, Mert Leroy and Helen Fern Post and Lester Earl and Bertha Dean Pendley.

•We welcome Rev. Bernard Bangley who will be preaching and leading the worship service this morning. Rev. Bangley is a retired Presbyterian Minister living in Rockbridge County. He was pastor of Bethesda Presbyterian Church in Rockbridge Baths for eleven years, and then served churches in Lynchburg and Sarasota, Florida. He and Anna, his wife of 60 years, have 3 children and 4 grandchildren. He is the author of a number of religious books. Please let Rev. Bangley know how much we appreciate him being with us this morning!

Pork Loin Dinner & Silent Auction

Our annual Pork Loin Dinner will be held next Sunday, April 29th, 2018, at 5:30 pm. Bob and Kenneth Olson will sponsor the meal with a menu of pork loin, sauerkraut, baked potatoes, green beans, baked apples, rolls, and fried ice cream, with cooking assistance from the Bethel Witness/Mission Committee. A Silent Auction will also be held during the meal and donations of new or gently-used items are needed. You may leave your donated items for the Silent Auction on the stage in the Fellowship Hall by this Tuesday, April 24th. (If you have an item that you would like to donate but are unable to transport please call Bob Olson to make arrangements for pick-up.) A free-will offering will be collected for the meal. All the money donated for the meal and collected from the silent auction will go to Bethel's mission projects. Please join us for a fun evening of delicious food, fellowship and great bargains to support Bethel's missions. Thanks for your support,
Bob Olson

Bible Study & Prayer

The day that we meet for Bible Study & Prayer is changing! We will begin meeting on Tuesday, May 1st at 2:00 pm and continue meeting weekly on Tuesday afternoons. (Except for the week that the Presbyterian Women circles meet.) We are continuing our study of the Book of Mark and would love to have you join us! Please contact Barb Gough if you have any questions and we hope to see you there!

Mother's Day Corsages

In honor or memory of mother's on Mother's Day, the Worship Committee is offering red (honor) or white (memory) corsages for \$4.00. These are simple corsages that consist of a single flower, greenery, bow and a pin. Please fill out the information below and place in the offering plate. Don't forget to attach your money or check to your order and please make checks payable to Bethel Presbyterian Church. You may also call the Church Office (540) 886-6041 or Irene Elliott to place your order but please remember that all orders will need to be prepaid ahead of time. The deadline for orders is Sunday, May 6th. Thank you!

Name _____

(Please check one)

_____ Red Corsage _____ White Corsage

•If you would like to join Bethel Presbyterian Church, please feel free to contact the Church Office or a Session member. We would love to hear from you!

April 15th

Attendance: 83

Weekly Budget: \$3,577.00 Received: \$3,009.00

General Fund Report - 2018

Estimated Budget through March 31st: \$42,924.00

Actual Budget Receipts: \$37,605.00

Actual Budget Expenses: \$36,490.00