September 23rd - September 29th



•Good morning! 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, and give the friendship pad to others to sign. Thank you!

•The flowers in the Sanctuary are given to the Glory of God by Jackie Law.

•Large print bulletins and hearing assists are available in the vestibule for those who may need them.

•<u>Minute for Mission</u> During worship this morning the Bethel Witness/Mission Committee will give an update on their activities this year. They have also invited the members of the Baja Mission Team to share a photo presentation and speak about their experiences in Baja. The Baja Team, Bob Olson, Kym Schneider, Kenneth Olson, and Laura Barmore helped build homes and a school cafeteria.

•The Bethel Session is pleased to welcome Elijah English as Bethel's new Music Director! He will also be assisting Pastor Kelly-Ann with the youth program. Eli was born in Raleigh, NC where he grew up attending Trinity Baptist Church. At Trinity, Eli was blessed to be a part of a thriving Music and Missions orientated youth program, which helped to inspire



him to attend Appalachian State University (Boone, NC) for Music Education. At Appalachian, Eli was a part of the University Singers, the Chamber Singers, and the Appalachian Opera Theatre. He also sang, and occasionally conducted, at First Baptist Church of Boone, as well as sharing with many other churches of varying denominations in Boone and Blowing Rock. Eli has spent the last year teaching Middle School Chorus on the Outer Banks of North Carolina, but is happy to have moved back to a more mountainous location! Eli's Office Hours & Contact Information

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday 10:00 am - 3:00 pm Email: BethelPCMusic@gmail.com

•<u>*"Fellowship Following Worship" is today!*</u> Many thanks to Sally Williams for providing the refreshments! Be sure to stop by the Fellowship Hall for refreshments and fellowship! Pastor Kelly-Ann and Eli are looking forward to visiting with you!

•Pastor Kelly-Ann and friends will be visiting with missionaries Michael & Rachel Weller this Tuesday evening, at Bethany Presbyterian Church for conversation and fellowship. If you miss this opportunity to hear the Wellers speak about their experiences in Ethiopia please feel free to join them at Mt. Horeb Presbyterian Church for the Ethiopian Partnership Banquet. This special covered dish meal will be on Friday, September 28th, with registration at 5:30 pm and dinner at 6:00 pm. The Weller's presentation will begin at 7:00 pm. A free will offering will be received to cover costs. <u>Please register by tomorrow Monday, September 24th if you would like to attend. You can call or email the Shenandoah Presbytery office at (540) 433-2556 or shenpres@shenpres.org to register. Everyone's invited! (Mt. Horeb's address is: 4517 Rockfish Road, Grottoes, VA)</u>

•Hiring Event! The Augusta Correctional Center in Craigsville, VA will be having a Corrections Officers Hiring Event on Saturday, September 29th, from 10:00 am - 2:00 pm at Staunton Mall (90 Lee Jackson Highway, Staunton). No appointment is needed and interviews will be conducted on site along with employment offers on site. Please complete an employment application prior to the event at: www.virginiajobs.peopleadmin.com. For more information call: (540) 997-3086.

•<u>Come join the Riverheads Weekday Religious Education program for</u> <u>"A Night of Praise" on Sunday, September 30th, at 6:00 pm, at</u> <u>Raphine Christian Church</u> (5131 Lee-Jackson Highway; Greenville). We are including all groups and individuals including kid's groups. It could be a children's choir, adult choir, bell choir, solos, duets or even a kid's band. If you would like to share a special piece of music or know someone and/or a group who would be willing to participate please contact Dana Cash (*raphinechristian@comcast.net*). A freewill offering will be taken for the Riverheads WRE program. Refreshments will follow the concert. Make plans now to attend this fun community event! •<u>Attention Bethel Youth</u>! Massanetta Springs has announced that registration is open for "SALT: Serving and Learning Together". The SALT conference will be November 9th - November 11th and is focused on discipleship - learning how to better live out your faith in the world. The SALT theme this year is: "Esther 4:14 - For Such a Time as This". The conference includes keynotes, workshops, worship, music, and so much more. <u>The Bethel Youth Committee is willing to pay</u> <u>all the registration fees including the cost for conference t-shirts for</u> <u>four Bethel teenagers (age bracket: enrolled in High School)</u>. Pastor Kelly-Ann will be chaperoning this fun event! If you are interested in attending please contact Derek Almarode or Pastor Kelly-Ann at bethelpcpastor@gmail.com. <u>They would appreciate your commitment</u> <u>to attend by Sunday, October 7th</u>!

•If you would like to join Bethel Presbyterian Church, please feel free to contact Pastor Kelly-Ann. She would love to hear from you!

<u>September 16th</u> Attendance: 85 Weekly Budget: \$3,577.00 Received: \$1,746.00



Dessert Auction

Saturday, September 29th 6:00 pm

> Make your favorite dessert to donate!



MENUPrime RibGreen BeansMac & CheeseRolls

Sponsored by four families from the Bethel Witness/Mission Committee

> All money raised goes to Bethel's mission work!



Come & join us for an evening of fun & fellowship!