

Welcome to Bethel Presbyterian Church!

THIS WEEK AT BETHEL

October 28th - November 3rd

Today	Dedication Sunday 9:45 Sunday School 11:00 Worship/ Five Cents A Meal Offering 12:00 Dedication of Scout Hut 12:15 Witness/Mission Committee 1:00 Youth Group Activity & Lunch
Monday	7:00 Boy Scouts & Cub Scouts (<i>Eagles Roost</i>) 7:30 Young Life
Tuesday	2:00 Bible Study & Prayer
Wednesday	Halloween 1:15 Staff Meeting 7:00 Adult Choir 7:00 The Bells of Bethel 7:00 Personnel Committee 7:30 Young Life Meeting
Thursday	All Saints' Day 12:00 Soup & Scripture
Friday	World Community Day
<i>Next Sunday, November 4th: Daylight Saving Time ends</i>	
	9:45 Sunday School 11:00 Worship/Communion/ All Saints Service 12:15 Diaconate 12:15 PWCT

Serving During The Worship Service Today

<u>Greeters</u>	Dale & Kay Thompson
<u>Offering</u>	Katie McElveen D.W. Miller Dale Thompson Drury Whitaker
<u>Nursery</u>	Barb Gough, Penny Lee

BETHEL CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

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•Good Morning! 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!

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

•The flowers in the Sanctuary are given by Laura Barmore in loving memory of her beautiful mother, Lee Jump.

Please join Elder John Davis, Elder Derek Almarode, and members of Troop 13 in front of the Scout Hut following the service today. There will be a short ceremony of dedication naming the Scout Hut "Pilson Scout Hut" in honor of Wallace and John Pilson for their unmeasured devotion and service to the Boy Scouts of America, our youth, our church, and our community.

•Calling all Bethel Youth! Today is Fellowship & Study at 1:00 pm

What does "Fellowship & Study" mean? The youth "the more the merrier" will gather, have a light lunch and begin to strengthen their relationship with God using scripture as a guide for life's choices. This will be led by Pastor Kelly-Ann. All youth and their friends are invited!

► lunch will be provided ► discussion/games/activities/music

•Daylight Saving Time ends next Sunday, November 4th. Make sure to set you clocks back one hour Saturday night!

•Communion will be received during the worship next Sunday, November 4th.

•Next Sunday, November 4th, Bethel will be observing "All Saints Sunday". This is the day in the church calendar when we celebrate all the saints, who have served their Lord faithfully on earth and now live eternally in God's presence. During the worship service we will honor all who have gone before us. This will include all members of Bethel who have died in the past 12 months. It will also include anyone you wish to remember in prayer who has died in the past 12 months. All names will be listed in the bulletin and there will be a time of prayer with candle lighting during the service. Please list everyone you would like remembered in the form provided at the end of the announcements. Please turn the form in to the Church Office today!

Please note in addition, should you wish to stay after the service, there will be a short time where you can stay and light a small candle to remember any saint who has passed, regardless of time, in quiet remembrance.

•Upcoming Fundraiser for Riverheads Weekday Religious Education (WRE) The Faithful Men will be having a concert at Mt. Carmel Presbyterian Church (6410 Lee Jackson Highway, Steeles Tavern) on Sunday, November 4th, at 6:00 pm. A free will offering will be collected to benefit the Riverheads WRE. Make plans now to attend and hear beautiful music while supporting a worthy cause!

•Operation Christmas Child 2018

For the past 23 years, Samaritans Purse has been collecting shoeboxes filled with gifts and delivering them to children in need around the world. Each box is an opportunity for a boy or girl to experience the love of God in a tangible way and hear the Gospel. You can help by participating in this Witness/Mission project by filling a shoebox or boxes for children in need. Brochures with detailed information on filling your shoebox are included with your bulletin today. All shoeboxes will need to be returned to the church by Sunday, November 11th so they can be taken to the Staunton collection point. Please contact Kathy Swisher if you any questions. Thank you for all the past support of this project!

•The Bethel Communications Committee is working on the best way to communicate with the Congregation and Friends of the Church. They are requesting that every household who receives any communication from Bethel fill out the questionnaire included with your bulletin this morning and return it by Thursday, November 15th. Please place the completed survey in the designated box in the vestibule. You may also place it in Adrienne's mailbox, mail it to the church at the Attention of the Communications Committee, or scan and email it to [bethelpc@gmail.com](mailto:tobethelpc@gmail.com). If you have any questions please contact Tabby Moore, Communications Committee Chair. Thank you for taking the time to fill out this survey as it is our hope to improve communications between Bethel and you in the future!

- Communications Committee

•Clean-Up Buckets Needed for Hurricane Florence Victims

Shenandoah Presbytery is - and will be - collecting Church World Service (CWS) Clean-Up Buckets to be sent to North and South Carolina for Hurricane Florence victims. They will be receiving complete buckets at the November 27th meeting of the Presbytery at Strasburg Church. Please bring completed buckets to Bethel by Sunday, November 25th and Pastor Kelly-Ann will take them to the Presbytery Meeting with her. Instructions for the buckets, along with hygiene kits, can be found on our website <http://shenpres.org/cws-kit-guide/> and pda.pcusa.org/page/kits

A Few Guidelines to follow:

1. Pack only the specific items and the quantity of items requested in each kit
2. DO NOT pack money in the kits or in the boxes of kits. Send it separately using the Shipping Label.
3. Box kits of the same type together. Do not mix types of kits.
4. Tape the box closed for safe shipping
5. Use the CWS LABEL from the KIT GUIDE on the outside of the box. Please be sure to label each bucket, or box of kits, with the CWS Label stating your church name and contact information.

Also, if you would like to donate financially to disaster relief: designated DR000194 mail to: Presbyterian Church (USA)

PO Box 643700

Pittsburgh PA 15264-3700

online: <https://www.presbyterianmission.org/donate/> or phone: 800-872-3283.

•Announcing a “NEW” Christian Education offering . . .
“*Soup and Scripture*” Join Pastor Kelly-Ann as she studies and wrestles with the upcoming Sunday's scripture readings! The group meets each Thursday from 12:00 pm to 1:15 pm in the Church kitchen for fellowship, discussion, and delicious soup prepared by Kelly-Ann.

•There is still time to purchase a “Glory to God’ hymnal in memory or in honor of someone. Order forms and envelopes are available in the vestibule.

•Congratulations to our neighbors Kent & Donna Wheeler who were united in marriage yesterday, October 24th, at Bethel. They are currently renting the Bethel Manse.

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

October 21st
Attendance: 69
Weekly Budget: \$3,577.00 Received: \$2,894.00

ALL SAINTS SUNDAY OBSERVATION

On Sunday, November 4th, during the worship service, we will recognize all in our Community of Faith who have claimed the Gift of Eternal Life, in the past 12 months.

If you have a loved one who has died in the past 12 months, and would like to have them included in our Remembrance List, please list them below, and place the form in the offering plate OR contact the Church Office (*bethelpc@gmail.com*).

The deadline for the form to be returned is today!

Person(s) to be remembered:

Submitted by: _____