



This Week at BPC

Week of June 9th, 2019

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, June 9th

Pentecost Sunday!

Deadline: Baja Tree Donations

9:30 am Sunday School

11:00 am Worship

12:00 pm Congregational Meeting

Monday, June 10th

7:00 pm Boy Scouts

Tuesday, June 11th

1:30 pm Afternoon Circle

7:00 pm Evening Circle

7:00 pm Session Meeting

Wednesday, June 12th

1:15 pm Staff Meeting

6:00 pm Christian Education

7:00 pm Vespers Service -
Staunton Choral Society

Thursday, June 13th

12:00 pm Salad & Scripture

Sunday, June 16th

Happy Father's Day!

Trinity Sunday

9:30 am Sunday School

11:00 am Worship

12:30 pm Mission Comm.

Announcements . . .

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

REMINDER! The Session has called for a Congregational Meeting to be held TODAY following worship. This meeting will be to discuss and vote on the installation of Rev. Kelly-Ann Rayle as Bethel's full-time pastor. All congregation members of Bethel are eligible to vote and the Session encourages everyone to attend this important meeting, vote, and be a part of the decision making process.

The flowers in the Sanctuary this morning are given in loving memory of James Crosby by the Damico family.

Today is Pentecost Sunday! You were asked to wear red, orange, or yellow today in celebration of the birth of the Christian church! On Pentecost Sunday we celebrate the gift of the Holy Spirit descending in a mighty rush of wind and flame to inspire the church's proclamation of Christ's rising and to empower its mission and ministry to the world. (See Acts 2:1-13; see also Joel 2:28-32.)

All Baja Tree donations and Baja general donations are due today! Please drop your donations in the church offering plate. If you need more information about making a donation using the Baja tree please take a look at the instructions in front of the tree in the vestibule at the back of the Sanctuary. Thank you so much for your generosity and helping us with our mission work! Every penny counts and spreads the love of Jesus around the world!

The Bible Study & Prayer Group meets every Tuesday at 2:00 pm (except the 2nd Tuesday of the month & as otherwise noted in the announcements) for study and to then pray for Bethel's members, friends, and others in the community and world. They are currently studying the book of Acts and would love to have you join them. So far they have completed three to four sessions on Acts so there is still plenty of time to join the study and discussion. If you have any questions please contact Barb Gough. Everyone is welcome!



PRAYER LIST

Congregation Members

Betty Cash
Jarod Davis & Family
Dan & Ginny Gano
Karen Koogler Sara Ann Lamb
Evelyn LaPorte Jeannie Lee
Margaret Liptrap John Pilson
Alice Wooddell

Family & Friends of the Church & Congregation

Martha Dubyk Joe Eavers
Larry Edwards Curtis Foltz
Judy Hughes Ann Kellogg
Matt Koogler David Law
William McFarlane Robin Mitchell
Roy Pilson Jamie Pirkey
Van Pirkey

Sympathy & Condolences

Family & Friends of Gray Puckett
Family & Friends of Bob Robinson
Family & Friends of
Nancy Cash Stephenson

Community, Country, & World

All Military Leaders & Personnel
Police, Firemen, and EMS workers
& volunteers
Michael & Rachel Weller,
Missionaries in Ethiopia

If you have borrowed any tables from Bethel please return them as soon as possible. We are currently missing five of our tables! In the future please contact Jon or Donna Bush at (540) 337-2234 if you need to borrow tables. You are always welcome to borrow the designated Bethel tables, we just ask that you let Jon and Donna know and then return them promptly. Thank you!

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Summer Vespers Series “Celebrating God’s Faithfulness Through Song and Prayer”

This summer, Bethel will host three Wednesday evening vespers services that will feature guest musicians to guide us through prayerful meditations on God’s Word. Each night will focus on its own scriptural concept, but if you are able to enjoy all three evenings, you will see a progression of meditations that point to an overarching theme: God’s Faithfulness to God’s People, hence the subtitle “Celebrating God’s Faithfulness Through Song and Prayer.”

All services will be held in the Bethel Sanctuary at 7:00 PM. Here is the schedule of services:

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Wednesday, June 12th, 7:00 PM – The Staunton Choral Society
Theme: Meditations on Creation and Provision

Wednesday, July 3rd, 7:00 PM – Luke Haynes, Organist
Theme: Meditations on Promise and Resurrection

Wednesday, August 21st, 7:00 PM – The Faithful Men
Theme: Meditations on Hope and Eternal Life

We sincerely hope you all will be able to make it to as many of these services as possible! We are incredibly thankful to have these guest musicians to share with our community, so we encourage you to invite friends and family to join in our celebratory summer of prayer and music! If you have any questions, please contact the Music Director, Eli English.

The July Tower Deadline will be Thursday, July 20th. Please have all articles and announcements to the Church Office by noon. Early submissions before the 20th are much welcomed and appreciated! 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.

Summer Fun in the Sun Activities Coming Up!

LEMONADE ON THE LAWN - June 23rd, after worship
Snacks, fellowship, & of course lemonade!

BETHEL YOUTH! Don’t forget about the Pool Party at Mac & Emily Williams house on Sunday, June 23rd, 1:30 pm. Food, fellowship, & swimming! Bring a friend!

