



This Week at BPC

Week of October 27th, 2019

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Today, Sunday, October 27th

Reformation Sunday

Rev. Anne Ross, Guest Minister

- 9:30 am Sunday School (*Adult*)
- 9:45 am Sunday School (*Kids*)
- 11:00 am Worship & 5 Cents A Meal
- 12:30 pm Youth Committee

Monday, October 28th

Deadline: All Saints' Sunday names of remembrance

- 6:30 pm Cub Scouts
- 7:00 pm Boy Scouts
- 7:30 pm Young Life

Wednesday, October 30th

- 1:15 pm Worship Planning Meeting
- 6:00 pm Personnel Committee
- 7:00 pm Bethel Choir
- 7:00 pm Handbell Choir

Thursday, October 31st

Halloween



Friday, November 1st

All Saints' Day
World Community Day

Next Sunday, November 3rd

Daylight saving time ends

All Saints' Sunday

Derek Almarode, Guest Speaker

- 9:30 am Sunday School (*Adult*)
- 9:45 am Sunday School (*Kids*)
- 11:00 am Worship & Service of Remembrance
- 12:30 pm Diaconate Meeting
- 12:30 pm PWCT Meeting

Announcements . . .

LARGE PRINT BULLETINS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE VESTIBULE.

**We welcome Rev. Anne Ross who will be preaching and leading the worship service today. A second career pastor (formerly a Registered Nurse), Anne received an M.Div. from Princeton Theological Seminary in 2002. She was the pastor at Elkton Presbyterian Church for eleven years before she retired in 2015. Pastor Anne lives in McGaheysville with her two cats. Please let her know how much we appreciate her being with us this morning!



**The Youth Committee will meet following the Worship service today.

**Bethel will be recognizing All Saints' Sunday next Sunday, November 3rd. During the worship service we will remember all in our Community of Faith who have claimed the Gift of Eternal Life, over the past year. If you have a loved one who has passed away in the past 12 months, and would like to have their names included in our remembrance list and candle lighting ceremony please fill out the form at the end of your pew, and place the form in the offering plate OR contact the Church Office (bethelpc@gmail.com or 540/886-6041) with their name(s) by tomorrow, October 28th.

**Daylight saving time ends next Sunday, November 3rd. Make sure to set your clocks back one hour on Saturday evening. Enjoy your extra hour of sleep!



**The Bethel Prayer & Fellowship Group will meet on Tuesday, November 5th, at 2:00 pm, in the Bumgardner Classroom. We all know how important prayers are especially during times of transition so please join us for this time of fellowship as we pray for each other, the church, and our community. Prayers can be kept confidential if needed. Please contact Barb Gough at (540) 255-6521 if you have any questions. ALL ARE WELCOME!

The flowers in the Sanctuary are given by Tammy Barbour to the Glory of God and in loving memory of her father, Richard Townsend.

PRAYER LIST

New Additions

Family & Friends of Maggi Peterson

Congregation Members

Jarod Davis & Family

Dan Gano

Bobby Goodson

Karen Koogler

Sara Ann Lamb

Evelyn LaPorte

Jane Law

Jeannie Lee

Margaret Liptrap

Shelby Myers

John Pilson

Alice Wooddell

Family & Friends of the Church & Congregation

Sarah Brownlee

Ann Kellogg

David Law

Olivia Lewis

William McFarlane

Roy Pilson

Jamie Pirkey

Van Pirkey

Devin Scott

Steve Yancey

Sympathy & Condolences

Family & Friends of Boyd Wood

Community, Country, & World

All Military Leaders & Personnel

Police, Firemen, and EMS workers
& volunteers

Michael & Rachel Weller,

Missionaries in Ethiopia

Elder-on-Call.

October & November 2019

If you have a pastoral need please contact David Schooley.

(540/255-6070;

dschooley05@gmail.com)

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**There will be a Congregational Meeting on Sunday, November 10th, immediately following the worship service. The purpose of the meeting will be to elect five members of the congregation to the Nominating Committee. Be thinking and praying about who God may be calling to serve on this committee - could it even be you? Also, beginning next Sunday there will be forms available to suggest members of the congregation to serve as officers for the Class of 2023. Please begin prayerfully asking God who might be able to aid and assist in leading Bethel during this time of transition.

**Operation Christmas Child 2019 For the past 29 years, Samaritans Purse has been collecting shoeboxes filled with gifts and delivering them to children in need around the world. You can participate in this mission project by filling a shoebox or boxes for children in need. Brochures with detailed information on filling the shoeboxes are available in Memorial Hall. All shoeboxes will need to be returned to the church by Sunday, November 17th. There will be a cart in Memorial Hall for you to place your shoeboxes. Thank you for your continued support for all of Bethel's mission projects!

****GIFT CARDS FOR THE PRESBYTERIAN CHILDREN'S HOME OF THE HIGHLANDS**

In November, the Bethel Women plan to deliver gift cards to the Presbyterian Children's Home of the Highlands, known as PCHH, in Wytheville, VA. This long-term residential facility accommodates up to 30 children at a time between the ages of 5 and 18, and serves more than 90 residents annually. They will appreciate our donations.

The staff at PCHH has suggested our gifts should include gift cards from Walmart, McDonald's, Wendy's, Dollar Tree, Dollar General, or Family Dollar. If you are able to participate in this project, please print the purchase amount of the gifts on the cards and deliver them to Stephanie Rivers, Barbara Gough, or Joyce Miller before Sunday, November 24th. Please remember that while this project is sponsored by the PW everyone in the congregation is welcome to participate! Thank you for your help with this effort by Bethel's Presbyterian Women.



Bethel YTD Budget Update

Stewardship & Finance reporting through September 30th, 2019

YTD Annual Revenue Received \$136,854

Approved Annual Budget \$189,500



October 20th Attendance: 46