

This Week at BPC Week of October 6th, 2019

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

<u>Today, Sunday, October 6th</u> World Communion Day Rev. Nancy Meehan Yao, Guest Minister

9:30 am	Sunday School (Adult)
9:45 am	Sunday School (Kids)
11:00 am	Worship &
	Communion
12:30 pm	Deacons Meeting

Monday, October 7th

Church Office Closed(Adrienne on vacation)6:30 pmCub Scouts7:00 pmBoy Scouts7:30 pmYoung Life

Tuesday, October 8th

Church Office Closed(Adrienne on vacation)1:30 pmAfternoon Circle7:00 pmEvening Circle7:00 pmSession Meeting

Wednesday, October 9th

1:15 pm	Worship Planning
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7:00 pm	Bethel Choir
7:00 pm	Handbell Choir

Next Sunday, October 13th

Rev. Malcolm Brownlee, Guest Minister

9:30 am	Sunday School (Adult)
9.50 am	Sunday School (Auuu)
9:45 am	Sunday School (Kids)
11:00 am	Worship
12:30 pm	Christian Education
	Committee
12:30 pm	Stewardship & Finance
	Committee
12:30 pm	Worship Committee
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Announcements . . .

LARGE PRINT BULLETINS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE VESTIBULE.

**Bethel welcomes the Rev. Nancy Meehan Yao who will be our Guest Minister today. Rev. Nancy Meehan Yao serves as the Associate General Presbyter for Shenandoah Presbytery. She has served as Co-Pastor



(with her husband, Rev. Jim Yao), Supply Pastor and Interim Pastor for congregations in the Finger Lakes region of New York state, after living in Florida and Georgia. She and Jim are graduates of Columbia Theological Seminary. Jim serves as pastor to Moorefield, WV Presbyterian Church. They have 2 adult sons and 1 very spoiled cat. Please let her know how much we appreciate her being with us this morning!

**Holy Communion will be received during the worship service this morning.

**The flowers in the Sanctuary today are given by Drury Whitaker to the Glory of God.



**Printed copies of the October Tower newsletter were mailed out last Thursday to those who requested them. Additional printed copies are available in the vestibule and Memorial Hall.

**<u>Elder-on-Call, October 2019</u> While all Elders are willing to assist you if you have a pastoral need, the Elder-on-Call for the month of October is David Schooley. Please feel free to reach out to David (540/255-6070; dschooley05@gmail.com). The Elders on the Session are volunteering on a rotating basis each month to be "on-call". This will continue until Bethel hires an Interim or Stated Supply Pastor. - The Bethel Session

**The Church Office will be closed tomorrow, Monday, October 7th, and Tuesday, October 8th, while Adrienne is on vacation. If you have a pastoral need please contact the Elder-on-Call.

September 29th Attendance: 58



PRAYER LIST

New Addition

Jane Law & Family & Friends of Boyd Wood

Congregation Members

Jarod Davis & Family Dan Gano **Bobby Goodson** John Howell Karen Koogler Sara Ann Lamb **Evelyn LaPorte** Jeannie Lee Margaret Liptrap Shelby Myers John Pilson Alice Wooddell

Family & Friends of the Church

& Congregation

Sarah Brownlee Ann Kellogg David Law William McFarlane Roy Pilson Jamie Pirkey Devin Scott

Olivia Lewis Van Pirkey

Sympathy & Condolences

Family & Friends of Betty Cash Family & Friends of **Rev. Sally Robinson**

Community, Country, & World

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

If you have a mailbox in Memorial Hall please check and clean it out a few times a month. There is often important announcements and time sensitive information (such as invoices that need committee approval, etc.) that are put in the mailboxes. Please make sure to add this task to your to-do list whenever you're at church. Thank you!

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The Bethel Prayer & Fellowship Group will be meeting on Tuesday, October 15th and Tuesday, October 22nd, 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!

**Since 1973, Martha's Meals on Wheels has continuously served meals to homebound residents in the Staunton area. Over 4,000 meals are delivered each year by volunteers and are provided free or at lower cost for clients in need. Martha's Meals on Wheels will have a spaghetti dinner fundraiser to help support their mission work on Sunday, October 20th, from 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm at the Moose Lodge in Verona (1510 Commerce Road, Verona/Staunton). The tickets are \$10 for adults (12 & up), \$5 for children ages 5 to 11, and free for children under age 5. Tickets are available at the door or you can purchase tickets from one of the board members. Call (540) 886-1219 for tickets and more information. They hope to see you and your family on October 20th!

** The Congregational Care Committee is looking for individuals who would be willing to host "Fellowship Following Worship" in October and/or November. Please take a look at the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board in Memorial Hall and see if you can select a date that would work for you. And for goodness sake it doesn't have to be fancy (unless you want it to be)! It can just be a snack while we chat and visit with one another following the worship service. A box of cookies, crackers, and lemonade will be plenty! Thanks for taking the time to consider helping out with this important time to spend with each other!

**Are you detail oriented? Are numbers, math, and finance your thing? The Stewardship & Finance Committee is in need of someone to serve in the role of the Receiving Treasurer immediately. The records are computerized and password protected on a church software program, you would be assisted by the Deacons each Sunday, and the Stewardship & Finance Committee would be happy to assist you and answer any questions you may have for the first few months until you get acclimated with the role. If you might be willing to serve Bethel in this capacity, or at least give it a whirl, please contact Derek Almarode (540/280-4940, almarodes@verizon.net).

