

OUTSIDE WORSHIP , SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8TH 2024 , 11:00 AM

Welcome & Announcements
Invocation
†Opening Hymn
†Call to Confession
†Prayer of Confession

Father you are the author of life and the true source of all hope.

We know you as the Creator, the Redeemer, and the Sanctifier,
hear our prayers this morning. We acknowledge that we have sinned,
but we trust in your grace. We believe it to be more than sufficient.

As time continues in this life journey of ours, we ask for your presence
to fill our hearts and minds. In doing so, we seek your light to pierce
the darkness of this world, so that we may see you more clearly.

By that, our path has been cleared for a better tomorrow in You.

Father, in our brokenness, we ask for Your forgiveness as we bask in your love,
in the presence of Jesus Christ our Lord and Savior, and your precious son.

Moment of Silent Confession & Assurar	nce of Forgiveness	Brian Lee
Time with Young People {1 John 1:7}	Lifelong Partner	Derek Almarode
Prayer of Illumination		Derek Almarode
Scripture Reading {1 John 1: 5-10}		Derek Almarode

WRE PRAISE NIGHT

SEPTEMBER 22, 2024 AT 6:00PM
HOSTED BY RAPHINE CHRISTIAN CHURCH
FAITHFUL MEN WILL BE PERFORMING AT THE EVENT.

† Please stand - in body or spirit

Brian Lee, Worship Leader

Elder Derek Almarode, Lay Pastor

empowered by the gift of the Holy Spirit,
and as believers in Jesus Christ our Lord and Savior,
we strive to serve Him in our daily walk in life.
We work diligently, to live holy and joyful lives,
as we watch for tomorrow, which we know will bring
God's new heaven and new earth.
Today, as faithful followers of God's ministry,
we rejoice in knowing that nothing in this life, including our death,
can separate us from the Love of God, in Jesus Christ our Lord.
Father, may our time spent together this morning,
be found pleasing to you, and may you receive all the Glory
in all that we do as Your disciples. For by your love,
and the sacrifice of your son Jesus Christ, our Savior, we are forgiven.



BETHEL PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN COUNCIL/CIRCLE

Ladies Luncheon

HONORING YVONNE GOODSON WITH THE LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

September 22,2024 at 12:30 – Right After Worship – In the Fellowship Hall Provided & Paid for by the Women of the Church | Catered by Middlebrook Mercantile Bring a friend(s)

Any questions call or text Stephanie Rivers (540)-849-9839 or Beth Miller (540)-255-1940 Sign up deadline is September 15



ANNUAL HARVEST PARTY: ALL AGES!

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12 5:00PM - 8:00PM

Every child gets a Pumpkin to Carve or Decorate

Refreshments • Costume Contest Music • Candy Stations



If you can help gut pumpkins, please let Dale Thompson know.
If you'd like to donate snacks or candy, please leave in the kitchen by Sunday, October 6.

Trunk or Treat will be at Pines Chapel this year on Saturday, October 26 • Details to come!



Upcoming events, pictures of church family, anything of interest, birthdays or anniversaries that have been missed, etc, email, text or call Penny Lee — plee@bethelpcva.org · 540.416.8996

11 WEEK SMALL GROUP STUDY VIA ZOOM



EVER WONDER?

Where do I belong? *What if my life had meaning? Where do I fit in?* Is there more to life than this?

Come join us for the Alpha Film Series. It's a series of conversations, based on a provocative film series about things we all question in life. Meet some new people Share your opinion. Explore life, faith and meaning in a friendly, open setting.

We meet weekly for 11 weeks where we watch a video and then discuss in a small group. *All through Zoom*, from your own home.

Ask me about Alpha! Contact Beth: bethd.alpha@gmail.com

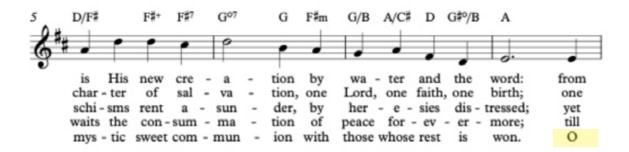
Tuesdays, September 24 to December 10, 2024 from 7:00 - 8:30pm



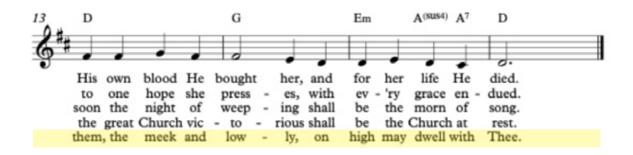
The Church's One Foundation

Samuel John Stone Samuel S. Wesley









Just as I AM, Without One Plea

Words: Charlotte Elliott, 1835; Music: William B. Bradbury, 1849



In the Sweet By and By



lift up in prayer

Bethel Leadership and Our Bethel Church Family

Cathy Bartley | Eddie Bartley | Bill Brubeck | Sally Brubeck Yvonne Eisenberg | Heather Gibson | Alma & Paul Harper | Hunter Harris Grayson Howell | Rhonda & Charlie Johnson | Jed Katt Jane Law | Ethan Mulcahy | Mary Ann Perry Preston Tommy Roadcap | John Ross | Eddie Sensabaugh | Dale Smith

sympathy & condolences

FAMILY and FRIENDS of:

Jesse Taylor



EAST CENTRAL PRESBYTERY MEETING HOSTED BY BETHEL

OCTOBER 18 & 19

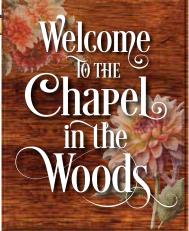
Bethel welcomes our friends of East Central Presbytery and Rev. Dr. Eric Laverentz coming to teach on elder leadership, which affects the whole of a congregation!

Rev. Dr. Eric Laverentz is the Lead Pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Edmond, part of the Oklahoma City metro area. He has been in the pulpit since the age of 13. He has an DMinn from Pittsburgh Theological Seminary (TS), an MA (Christian Ethics) from Vanderbilt, and a Master of Theology (Christian Ethics) and MDiv from Princeton TS. His BA is in Political Science from Truman State. Before coming to Edmond, he served churches in Tennessee, Ohio and Kansas.

Besides leading 1st PC of Edmond, Dr. Laverentz is the Director of the Elder Leadership Institute (ELI) of ECO. He is the author of two books, *Is Caesar Our Savior?* and *Driven: The Four Temptations of Every Leader.* He currently serves as a member of the board of the Oklahoma Christian School and was previously a member of the Kansas Human Rights Commission.

Eric is an avid reader, runner, hiker, and Kansas City sports fan. He is married to Jen and they have four school-age children: Calvin, Hank, Otto and Penelope.





ELDER ON CALL

Derek Almarode 540-280-4940

WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT

Estimated Weekly Budget \$3.127.00

Offering for September 1 \$3,745.00

Welcome to Bethel, our doors are always open!





WRE Praise Night · September 22 · 6:00pm

- · Hosted by Raphine Christian Church!
- · Faithful Men will be performing

Sunday, Sept 29 - Lemonade at the Pavilion

· Stacy Stevens will be providing music for worship

55th Annual Lord's Acre Day · October 5 · 11:00 - 4:00

· At Mint Spring United Methodist Church

Sunday, October 6 - World Communion Day

· Stacy Stevens will be providing music for worship

Saturday, October 12 - Harvest Party @ Bethel

· Pines will be joining us!

Friday & Saturday, October 18 & 19 - East Central Presbytery Meeting

· BETHEL IS HOSTING!!

Saturday, October 26 - Trunk or Treat at Pines

· We will be joining Pines

November 1 & 2 - Sight & Sound Bus Trip to See Daniel - Pines

· Flyers with details available in the Vestibule & Memorial Hall

Sunday, November 3 - All Saints Day

· Flyers with details available in the Vestibule & Memorial Hall

Sunday, November 24 - Christ the King Sunday

· We'll share in a king's table (refreshments) after worship

Friday, November 29 - Set up for Lights in the Park



YOUTH COMMITTEE

Meets the last Sunday of each month.

Meets the 3rd Sunday of each month.

ELDERS

Cindy Almarode

YOUTH CHAIR MODERATOR, WOMEN OF THE CHURCH

Derek Almarode

LAY PASTOR MODERATOR

Tammy Barbour WORSHIP CHAIR

Wade Cash

PROPERTY & MAINTENANCE CHAIR CHAIRMEN OF THE DEACONS

STEWARDSHIP & FINANCE CHAIR SECURITY

Penny Lee OUTREACH, EVANGELISM & COMMUNICATIONS CHAIR

Betty Schooley WITNESS & MISSION CHAIR

Dave Schooley PERSONNEL CLERK OF SESSION

Tim Turner CHRISTIAN ED CHAIR

Mark Wade

CONGREGATIONAL CARE CHAIR

- DEACONS

Mitch Lathrop

Harleigh Rahnavard-Tehrani

Katie McElveen

Beth Miller

D.W. Miller

John Ross

TRUSTEE COMMITTEE

Guy D. Brooks

Ginny Gano

Charlie Johnson

Mo Kyle

Dale Thompson

Billy Wade

Treasurer, Dale C. Smith

CHURCH STAFF

JoAnn Pendley PIANIST, ORGANIST BELL CHOIR AND CHOIR

Kay Thompson RECEIVING TREASURER

Donna Bush CUSTODIANS