

#### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16<sup>TH</sup> 2025 , 11:00 AM

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WE APPROACH (	GOD
Invocation	
Call to Worship	
Leader:	Friends, give praise and thanks to the Lord for He is good.
People:	Yes, the Lord is good, for his steadfast love endures forever.
Leader:	Friends, give praise and Glory to the God of Gods.
People:	God, we give You immense thanks, for your love endures forever.
Leader:	Friends, today is a day for which God has made,
	rejoice and be glad in it.
Everyone:	Today we rejoice for God has made this day and this day is good
	because God is good every day and everyday God is good. Amen!
†Opening Hymn	
†Call to Confession	
†Prayer of Confession .	
Forgive what o	s are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and certainly too deep to undo.  our lips tremble to name, what our hearts can no longer bear, and what has a consuming shroud of judgement. Father, please set us free from the past

what things we face in this broken world.

we have no power to change, in doing so Father, we ask you to open our futures so that we can be changed in you. Father grant us Your grace so that we can grow more in likeness to Your image. And as we do, remind us Father that all things are possible with you no matter

† Please stand - in body or spirit Mark Wade, Worship Leader Pastor: Derek Almarode

HEARING GOD'S WORD	
Time with Young People {Ephesians 2:5}	
5¢ for BERF Offering (Bethel Emergency Relief Fund)	
Prayer of Illumination	
Scripture Reading {Ephesians 2:1-10}	
Sermon	
WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD	
†Hymn of Reflection	
Receiving of New Covenant Partners	
†Affirmation of Faith – The Apostles Creed	
Joys & Concerns	
Prayers of the People	
RECEPTION OF TITHES & OFFERINGS	
Offertory	
†Doxology #606	
†Prayer of Dedication	
†Closing Hymn <i>Insert</i>	
†Charge & Benediction	
Postlude	

# THE OUTREACH AND YOUTH COMMITTEES PRESENT WINTER GAME NIGHT | FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21 @ 7:00 TABLE NACHOS FOR SUPPER | ALL AGES

Join us for fellowship, fun, & some friendly competition! Bring your favorites and we'll supply some! Wii, Cards, Board Games, whatever you like!



### ATTENTION GUYS 15 & UP

Fellas! ...we hope you'll take part in this new program to mentor young men on their faith journey. This is for men that are young at heart as well!

We will plan gatherings and outings or sometimes just hang out at the pavilion or a mentors backyard around a campfire.

This is for our Men of Bethel to guide and offer help to grow faithful young men.

Brian & Derek will lead this group. If you are interested, please talk to one of them. You can catch them here at church or call/text Brian @ 540-649-3020 or Pastor Derek @ 540-280-4940.

Plans will be made based on your suggestions and ideas. Golfing, hiking, restaurants, men's conferences, pick-up games, or weekend getaways focused on friendship, life, fun and serving the Lord all the while.

We will follow your lead - this is truly a program custom built for you!

### EASTER SCHEDULE

### Ash Wednesday Service

LOCATION TBD | WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5, 2025 | 7:00PM

### Behold the Darkness

A TENEBRAE SERVICE

BY BENJAMIN HARLAN

GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 18, 2025 | 7:00PM

## Easter Sunday, April 20

SUNRISE SERVICE AT THE CHAPEL IN THE WOODS | 7:00AM

COVERED DISH BREAKFAST AFTERWARD, FELLOWSHIP HALL

WORSHIP WITH COMMUNION | 11:00am | SANCTUARY



# lift up in prayer

### Bethel Leadership and Our Bethel Church Family

Bill Brubeck | Dale Burke | John Davis | John Dawson | Danny Duff Yvonne Eisenberg | Amber Gregory & Chad Wilfong | Donnie Harris Misty Kyle & Michael Evelsizer | Jane Law | Amanda Morgan Jackie Morgan | Judy Norris | JoAnn Pendley | Lucy Sproul Dale Thompson | Cathy Ward | Ivy, Harvey & Henry Wheeler

# sympathy & condolences

#### **FAMILY and FRIENDS of:**

Maylee Wilfong | Rodney Cullen Debbie Miller Fitzgerald | Theresa Davis

#### PRAYER REQUESTS OR CHANGES

If you have any changes, additions or updates to the Prayer List please contact:
Tammy Barbour @ 540-471-0450 or Penny Lee @ 540-416-8996

Triends We are so glad you joined us for worship this Sunday! It was so great to have you with us in our time of fellowship, and we hope that you leave feeling encouraged, blessed, and welcomed. Please come see us again, our doors are always open. We love when you join our family here at Bethel, as we worship and celebrate our Lord.







Monday, February 17 - WRE Council Meeting - 7pm

· WRE Classroom

Friday, February 21 - Game Night at Bethel - 7pm

· Table Nachos for Supper!!

Saturday, March 1 - Pines Chapel Dinner & Movie Night

· 4:00pm - Lasagna & Salad and the movie is The Forge

Wednesday, March 5 - Ash Wednesday Service - 7pm

· Tentatively at Mt. Tabor

Saturday, March 15 - WRE Cake Walk

· Mint Spring Ruritan Building - 6pm

Good Friday, April 18 - Tennebrae Service - 7pm

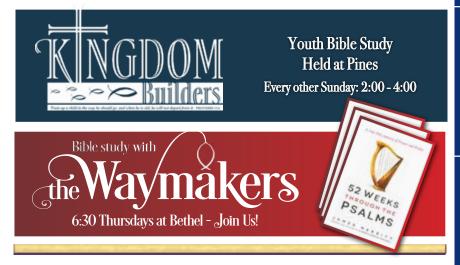
Sunday, April 20 - Easter Sunday

· Sunrise Service @ 7am

Covered Dish Breakfast immediately after in Fellowship Hall

- Worship with Communion @ 11:00

June 14 - Church & Chapel Reserved



### YOUTH COMMITTEE Meets the last Sunday of each month.

SECURITY COMMITTEE
Meets the 3rd Sunday of each month.

#### **ELDERS**

Cindy Almarode YOUTH CHAIR MODERATOR, WOMEN OF THE CHURCH

Derek Almarode, Pastor

Tammy Barbour WORSHIP CHAIR

Wade Cash
PROPERTY & MAINTENANCE CHAIR
CHAIRMEN OF THE DEACONS

Brian Lee 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 Iohn Ross

### -TRUSTEE COMMITTEE

Ginny Gano Charlie Johnson Mo Kyle Dale Thompson Billy Wade Treasurer, Dale C. Smith

Guy D. Brooks

### - CHURCH STAFF

JoAnn Pendley
PIANIST, ORGANIST
BELL CHOIR AND CHOIR

Kay Thompson RECEIVING TREASURER

Marsha Sensabaugh DISBURSING TREASURER

Donna Bush CUSTODIAN