



FATHERS DAY · SUNDAY, JUNE 8TH 2025 · 11:00 AM

Welcome & Announcements Mark Wade

WE APPROACH GOD -----

Invocation Mark Wade

Call to Worship Mark Wade

Leader: Friends, the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

People: And also, with you.

Leader: Friends be satisfied in the love of the Lord that comes this morning.

People: We should sing for joy and be glad in all of our days.

Leader: At Bethel, surrounded by your friends who are fellow believers, you have hope. This hope is immersed in our Father's love, in the strong hands of our earthly fathers, Lord help us to recognize it and share it this morning.

Everyone: Thanks be to God!! Amen!

†Opening Hymn *Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing* Pre-Recorded

†Call to Confession Mark Wade

†Prayer of Confession Mark Wade

Gracious and Merciful God of life, we confess this morning that we desire for Your will to be all pleasure and prosperity. We have great difficulty accepting suffering and challenging times. We reject these things and fail to recognize that nothing is beyond Your power of redemption. Forgive our doubts Father, forgive our unwillingness to serve You and others unless it benefits our own desires. In these things we are unlike our Savior, your Son, Jesus Christ who suffered with us, and for us. Be with us now, Father, as we beg of your forgiveness.

Moment of Silent Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness Mark Wade

HEARING GOD'S WORD -----

Time with Young People {Proverbs 22:6}. *Direction* Pastor Derek
Scripture Reading {Ephesians 6:1-4} Pastor Derek
Sermon *Memories of Our Dads Are Cherished Souvenirs.* Pastor Derek

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD -----

†Hymn of Reflection *Good, Good Father.* Pre-Recorded
†Affirmation of Faith - The Apostles Creed Mark Wade

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ, His Only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried. He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead.

He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy Christian church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Joys & Concerns Mark Wade

RECEPTION OF TITHES & OFFERINGS -----

Offertory *Chain Breaker.* Pre-Recorded
Prayer of Dedication/Prayers of the People. Pastor Derek Almarode

SENDING -----

†Closing Hymn *Great is Thy Faithfulness.* Pre-Recorded
†Charge & Benediction. Pastor Derek Almarode
Postlude Pre-Recorded

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!

4th of July Parade

JOIN US TO RIDE OR WALK IN THE PARADE AT GYPSY HILL PARK ON THE 4TH AND/OR THE MIDDLEBROOK PARADE ON THE 5TH

PLEASE LET PENNY OR CINDY KNOW IF YOU PLAN TO PARTICIPATE!

Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing

Come Thou Fount of every blessing
Tune my heart to sing Thy grace;
Streams of mercy, never ceasing,
Call for songs of loudest praise
Teach me some melodious sonnet,
Sung by flaming tongues above.
Praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it,
Mount of God's unchanging love.

O to grace how great a debtor
Daily I'm constrained to be!
Let that grace now like a fetter,
Bind my wandering heart to Thee.
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it,
Prone to leave the God I love;
Here's my heart, O take and seal it,
Seal it for Thy courts above.
Here's my heart, O take and seal it,
Seal it for Thy courts above.

Great is Thy Faithfulness

"Great is Thy faithfulness," O God my Father,
There is no shadow of turning with Thee;
Thou changest not, Thy compassions, they fail not
As Thou hast been Thou forever wilt be.

"Great is Thy faithfulness!" "Great is Thy faithfulness!"
Morning by morning new mercies I see;
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided—
"Great is Thy faithfulness," Lord, unto me!

Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest,
Sun, moon and stars in their courses above,
Join with all nature in manifold witness
To Thy great faithfulness, mercy and love.

"Great is Thy faithfulness!" "Great is Thy faithfulness!"
Morning by morning new mercies I see;
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided—
"Great is Thy faithfulness," Lord, unto me!

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide;
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!

"Great is Thy faithfulness!" "Great is Thy faithfulness!"
Morning by morning new mercies I see;
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided—
"Great is Thy faithfulness,"
"Great is Thy faithfulness," Lord, unto me!



Send uplifting messages and cards to
Lincoln Hines and the Hines Family!

14 Hull Hills Lane
Staunton, Virginia 24401

LET'S CONTINUE TO SHOW
LINCOLN & HIS FAMILY OUR LOVE
AND LIFT THEM IN PRAYER!

Good, Good Father

CHRIS TOMLIN

Oh, I've heard a thousand stories of what they think You're like
But I've heard the tender whisper of love in the dead of night
And You tell me that You're pleased and that I'm never alone

You're a good, good Father — It's who You are, it's who You are, it's who You are
And I'm loved by You — It's who I am, it's who I am, it's who I am

Oh, and I've seen many searching for answers far and wide
But I know we're all searching for answers only You provide
'Cause You know just what we need before we say a word

You're a good, good Father — It's who You are, it's who You are, it's who You are
And I'm loved by You — It's who I am, it's who I am, it's who I am

Because You are perfect in all of Your ways — You are perfect in all of Your ways
You are perfect in all of Your ways to us
You are perfect in all of Your ways — Oh, You're perfect in all of Your ways
You are perfect in all of Your ways to us

Oh, it's love so undeniable — I, I can hardly speak
Peace so unexplainable — I, I can hardly think
As You call me deeper still — As You call me deeper still
As You call me deeper still into love, love, love

You're a good, good Father — It's who You are, it's who You are, it's who You are
And I'm loved by You — It's who I am, it's who I am, it's who I am

And You're a good, good Father

It's who You are, it's who You are, it's who You are

And I'm loved by You — It's who I am, it's who I am, it's who I am

You're a good, good Father — It's who You are, it's who You are, it's who You are
And I'm loved by You — It's who I am, it's who I am, it's who I am

(You're a good, good Father)

You are perfect in all of Your ways (it's who You are, it's who You are, it's who You are)

(And I'm loved by You)

You are perfect in all of Your ways (it's who I am, it's who I am, it's who I am)

Baptisms, Worship, Picnic & Fellowship at **THE RIVER**



Sunday, August 17, 2025
Shenandoah Campground
Verona, VA

WORSHIP WILL BE HELD AT THE RIVER!
We will not meet at Bethel.

Covered dish picnic,
bring a side or dessert.

Fried chicken is supplied.

**as I went down
in the river to pray**



TODAY!!!

KEEPERS of the CROSS

will meet today

4:00pm at the Pavilion for

Cookout & Cornhole

Burgers & dogs are provided

Bring a side dish.

This is open to all fellas!

**Come! Bring a friend, a neighbor, a son, a
father, a father figure, a granddad...**

Fellowship for all the Fellas!



SALTY & SISTERS

A SISTERHOOD THAT IS AUTHENTIC, THAT TRUSTS GOD'S WORD & GIVES STRENGTH & COURAGE.

Matthew 5:13-16 ¹³You are the salt of the earth. But if the salt loses its saltiness, how can it be made salty again? It is no longer good for anything, except to be thrown out and trampled underfoot. ¹⁴You are the light of the world. A town built on a hill cannot be hidden. ¹⁵Neither do people light a lamp and put it under a bowl. Instead they put it on its stand, and it gives light to everyone in the house. ¹⁶In the same way, let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven."

Matthew is sharing the message Jesus delivered in the Sermon on the Mount. Jesus used salt as an example of the way he wanted his followers to act in the world. He wants us to be a positive influence on others and let our faith and goodness shine bright. People will not thirst for Jesus if we don't stay salty and let our light shine!

STAY TUNED FOR UPCOMING PLANS!

STAY SALTY SISTERS!

lift up in prayer

Bethel Leadership and Our Bethel Church Family

Ronnie Armstrong | Dale Burke | John Davis | Daniel Duff | Wilma Graves
Nathan Grimm & Family | Chris & Sandy Harris | Lincoln Hines
Ron Jennings | George Kinch | Mitch Lathrop | Jane Law
Chris & Jessie McDaniel | Amanda Miller | Laura Mish | Dillon Moran
Amanda Morgan | Jackie Morgan | Duane Persinger | Dale Pickett
Pat Quick | Anita Ratcliffe | Butch Rohrbaugh | Libby Smith
Cathy Ward | Ivy, Harvey & Henry Wheeler | Jack Zimmerman

sympathy & condolences

FAMILY and FRIENDS of:

Albert Conner

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



KEEPERS OF THE CROSS

will meet
today at 4:00pm

Cookout & Cornhole at the Pavilion.
Burgers & dogs provided - bring a side

Mailing address for Mitch Lathrop

Spring Arbor of Salisbury
14001 Turnberry Lane, Apt. 410
Midlothian, VA 23113-6415

Mailing address for Sarah Frances Ralston

The Legacy
1410A N Augusta Street | Apt 3008
Staunton, VA 24401



8th

JUNE

ATTENDANCE

65

STAFF ON CALL

Derek Almarode
540-280-4940

WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT

Estimated Weekly Budget
\$3,127.00

Offering for June 8
\$4,477.00





UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

INCLUDING OUR
COMMUNITY FAMILY OF FAITH

Sunday, June 15 - Keepers of the Cross will meet today at 4pm

- Cookout and Cornhole at the Pavilion!

July 4 - Parade - Gypsy Hill Park - Stay tuned for details!

July 5 - Parade - Middlebrook

July 6 - BBQ after Worship - Meal provided!

June 28 - Fellowship Hall Reserved

July 27 - Fellowship Hall Reserved

August 17 - The River!! Church Service, Baptisms & Covered Dish Picnic

August 24 - Homecoming! Worship Inside

- Covered Dish Meal, Celebrating Meg Haislip's 100th birthday!

October 4 - Church & Chapel Reserved

Youth Bible Study
Held at Pines
Every other Sunday: 2:00 - 4:00

Bible study with
the Waymakers
6:30 Thursdays at Bethel - Join Us!

YOUTH COMMITTEE
Meets the last Sunday of each month.

SECURITY COMMITTEE
Meets the 3rd Sunday of each month.

ELDERS

Cindy Almarode
YOUTH CHAIR

Derek Almarode, Pastor
MODERATOR

Wade Cash
PROPERTY & MAINTENANCE CHAIR
CHAIRMAN OF THE DEACONS
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& COMMUNICATIONS CO-CHAIR

John Ross
OUTREACH, EVANGELISM
& COMMUNICATIONS CO-CHAIR

Betty Schooley
WITNESS & MISSION CHAIR

Dave Schooley
PERSONNEL
CLERK OF SESSION

Mark Wade
CONGREGATIONAL CARE CHAIR

DEACONS

- Mitch Lathrop
- Harleigh Rahnvard-Tehrani
- Jim Gibson
- Charlie Johnson
- Katie McElveen
- Beth Miller
- D.W. Miller
- Kent Wheeler

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

Marsha Sensabaugh
DISBURSING TREASURER