

UPCOMING EVENTS

(RE)NEW CHALLENGE OF THE MONTH: NOVEMBER

Find a friend in the church or someone you know who might be interested in learning about Jesus with you who may not know Him fully and read through 1 John together (perhaps a chapter or two per week). I encourage you to set up a weekly time to talk (phone, over coffee, video chat, etc.) and discuss these questions together after you read the different chapters:

- (1) *What stood out to me in my reading this week? Why?*
- (2) *What does God want me to do with what I've read?*
- (3) *What truth from this reading does God want me to share with someone else? With whom will I share it?*

You will notice that these questions are to help us go both **DEEP** and **WIDE** with God's Truth. May God bless your reading, discussing and journeying together as you grow deeper in your "WHY" for following Jesus.

NARRATORS FOR CHRISTMAS CANTATA First practice will be tomorrow evening, Nov 19 from 7-8:30pm.

NO ADULT CHOIR OR PRAISE TEAM PRACTICE Due to the Thanksgiving holiday, there will be no Adult Choir practice on Wednesday, November 21 or Praise Team practice on Thursday, November 22.

NEW SERMON SERIES: Advent (December)

In a world marked with so much loss, loneliness and despair the idea of joy seems improbable, if not impossible. But the arrival of Jesus changed everything! Join us as we countdown to Christmas together and discover the overwhelming joy available for the hurting, the wandering, the outcast, the lonely, the scholar and the saint.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS Submit announcements for the church bulletin to Daryl at wearebethany@gmail.com or by via form in the church office. Please submit by Wednesday at 5pm. Be sure to include a description of your announcement, including times, location, and contact information. Thank you!

NO REGULAR REFUGE TONIGHT Students meet at the FLC at 6pm to participate in Project: Shoebox! Bring your friends.

AWANA IS ON TONIGHT!

Clubbers will rotate in to participate in Project: Shoebox. Check-in at the same place, then we will have our open gym time in the courtyard by the Bell. Wear your coats!

PROJECT: SHOEBOX is TONIGHT!

This is a special church-wide event where the Bethany family works together to assemble and pray over shoeboxes packed and then send them to children across the globe, through Samaritan's Purse for Operation Christmas Child. **Invite friends to join you!** Sunday, November 18 at 6pm. There IS AWANA tonight. Clubbers will rotate in to help pack some shoeboxes. Refuge teens meet in FLC. For those interested in helping sponsor some boxes to pay for shipping we will have a place for you to drop off.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD MISSION TRIP

Bethany men and women ages 13+ will be working with Operation Christmas Child (OCC) in Boone on Friday, 11/23 from 5-10pm and Saturday, 11/24 from 7-10pm. Hotel info will be sent. Deadline to sign-up was 11/3.

PACK A SHOEBOX! OCC SHOEBOX MINISTRY

Today is the deadline to bring in your boxes.

CHRISTMAS GIVING TREE

Our angel tree is empty and that means smiles for our friends at the Broyhill campus. If you were hoping to participate but didn't have a chance to get an angel from the tree, that's okay. Donations can be made in any amount to: Brookie's Children's Christmas Foundation P.O. Box 221 Swansboro, NC 28584



THIS WEEK @ BETHANY

Sunday, November 18, 2018

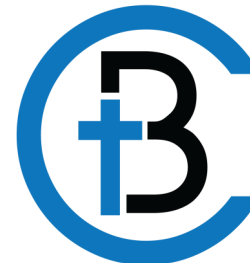
9:00am Breakfast (**Free!** In the Family Life Center)
9:30am Morning Assembly (Family Life Center)
9:45am Sunday Small Groups (All Ages)
10:45am Morning Worship Service
5:30-6:00pm Bethany Kids' Choirs (Cherub & Junior)
6:00-7:45pm AWANA CLUBS (ages 2—grade 5)
6:00-8:00pm PROJECT: SHOEBOX

Wednesday, November 21, 2018

NO Adult Choir Practice

Thursday, November 22, 2018

NO Praise Team Practice



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GIVING FROM NOVEMBER 4 **TITHE**: \$7,088.93 // GIVING FROM NOVEMBER 11 **TITHE**: \$3,035.99

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WORSHIP SERVICE

WORSHIP IN SONG
Blessed Be Your Name
Counting Every Blessing
Give Thanks

Offertory Prayer

Adult Choir
Blessings

WELCOME and PRAYER

WORSHIP IN SONG
We Gather Together

Bethany Kids' Church
(Ages 4 thru Grade 5 dismissed**)

SERMON
re:Disciple Sermon Series
Part 7: reLive (Titus 2:1-10)
Pastor Christian Bonham

WORSHIP IN SONG
Holy, Holy, Holy

Bethany Kids' Church is a time of worship for children ages 4 thru Grade 5. Children study the Bible, sing, play games, make friends and much more. Have a shy child? Parents are welcome to accompany a child new to Bethany or BKC and can stay for part or all of the children's service, as their child needs. **BKC meets in our Family Life Center. Children may be picked up by their parent at that location.

WELCOME TO BETHANY

We are glad you are here this morning! As His church, we exist to see individuals and families **ENCOUNTER God** and see that He is good, **EQUIP People** to grow in faith and because we believe God planted us in Raleigh for His purpose we want to intentionally **ENGAGE Our City**. Enjoy your time with us this morning and we hope to see you again.

FIRST TIME VISITING WITH US?

Visitor Cards are a great way to let us know who you are and how we can serve you. You can find one marked "Welcome to Bethany" in front of you on the back of the pew. Complete the card and **put it in the offering plate** as it comes around, or feel free to **bring it by our Connection Center** in the Foyer so we can meet you!



WORSHIP IN COMMUNITY

Worshiping together through song, Scripture and prayer are both corporate and private acts. Feel free during these moments to worship as you feel led. Standing, kneeling and sitting are all appropriate forms of worship and are all welcome. Should you need to sit for health reasons, please feel free to do so.

SMALL GROUPS MATTER

Jesus had 12 close friends with whom He shared life and had a lot of spiritual conversations. We believe authentic relationships are the best context to grow in faith and understanding of Jesus. To learn more about finding a Small Group for you or a member of your family, complete a Visitor Card or stop by our Connection Center. Small Groups meet here at Bethany Sundays at 9:45am.

NURSERY

We have a free nursery available during our Small Groups and Worship Service. It is open to children ages infant through 3 years and is located in the Education Wing.



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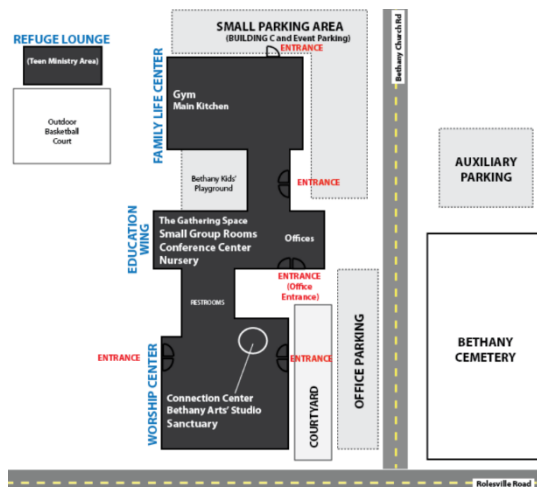
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MINISTRY SCHEDULE

1st Sunday – November 4

Counting Committee - Jo Tidwell, Jack Denton & Terri Ballard
Ushers - George Puryear, Chuck Jones, Shane Ballard & Randy Denton

2nd Sunday – November 11

Counting Committee - Jo Tidwell, Paula Perry & Clyde Williford
Ushers - Mike Strickland, Lee Perry, Allen Moody, Jimmy Hamlet

3rd Sunday – November 18

Counting Committee - Jo Tidwell, Randy Denton & Rhonda Richardson
Ushers - George Puryear, Jimmy Brown, Randy Jones & Carl Ray, Sr.

4th Sunday – November 25

Counting Committee - Jo Tidwell, Wendy Smith & Moryah Geib
Ushers - Doug Watson, James Duncan, Mike Richardson & Jack Denton

