

BETHLEHEM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH CLIMAX, NORTH CAROLINA

Ninth Sunday after Pentecost. The liturgical color is green.

Flowers this morning have been given to the Glory of God

and in memory of Mildred Hackett Beeson and Liz Beeson Floyd by Francis and Lois Snow.

August Opener: Phyllis Wicker

August Closer: Mark Wilkinson

Greeters: 1st Worship - Deena King; 2nd Worship - Andrew & Susan Coward

August Ushers: Earl Fields, Tim Fields, Doug Garrett, Leo Kirkman, Bob Norris

Audio/Visual Tech: Gene Flinchum, Terry Franklin, Wayne Moser, Denny Spencer, Justin Windsor

2019 Camp Meeting Attendance

Sun., 7/28	2PM - 36	7:30PM - 133
Mon., 7/29	2PM - 32	7:30PM - 118
Tues., 7/30	2PM - 25	7:30PM - 148
Wed., 7/31	2PM - 36	7:30PM - 151
Thurs., 8/1	2PM - 44	7:30PM - 149
Fri., 8/2	2PM - 29	7:30PM - 116
Sat., 8/3	-----	7:30PM - 110

Sun., 8/4 Worship (Combined 11AM) 138

Sun., 8/4 Sunday School Attendance 98

Your Gifts-----

Amount Collected to Date	\$203,821.57
Worship Service (8/4/19)	\$7,174.86
Camp Meeting	\$1,307.08

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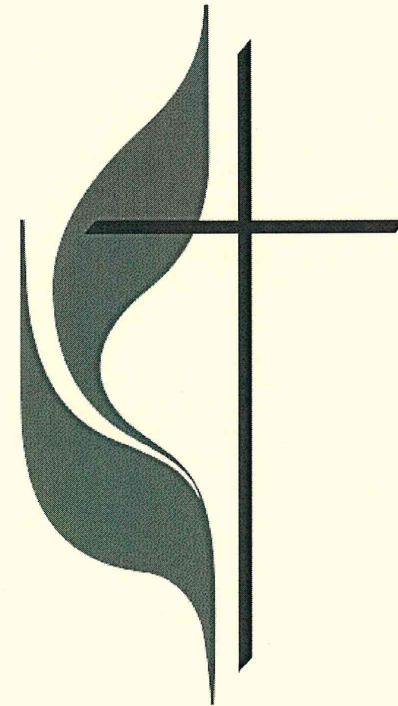
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Vickie Flinchum
Jane Reddick
Laura Cranfill
Debbie Brady
Jackie Smith
Ovido Sorbito



August 11, 2019

10:55AM

Welcome all who worship here! We pray you experience God's Holy Spirit in a new way as we worship together. Visitors, please be sure to fill out the visitor card and place it in the offering plate.

ENTERING INTO FELLOWSHIP

Greeting and Announcements

Prelude *Let It Breathe on Me*

*Call to Worship Hymn *There's Something About That Name* No. 171

*Morning Prayer

*Opening Hymn *God of Grace and God of Glory* No. 577

SHARING OURSELVES WITH GOD

*Passing of the Peace

Children's Message

Joys and Concerns/Pastoral Prayer/ The LORD'S Prayer

Choir Anthem *I Want to Be Ready*

THE WORD OF GOD CHANGING OUR LIVES

Scripture Luke 12:35-40

Sermon "Preparedness Brings No Fear" Rev. Short

OUR THANKSGIVING AND RESPONSE

The Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Prayer

Offertory *There is a Balm in Gilead*

*The Doxology *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* No. 95

GOING FORTH FOR GOD

*Closing Hymn *Hymn of Promise* No. 707

*Benediction

*Benediction Response *In His Time* On Screen

*Postlude

*Please stand as you are able.

EVANGELISM COMMITTEE will meet Mon., Aug. 12th @ 7PM.

FRIENDLY CLUB WILL MEET TUES., AUG. 13th @ 10:30AM Our guests and speakers will be young men from the Greater Piedmont Teen Challenge. We have had speakers from this group before, and their presentation is inspiring and challenging! Join us! Bring a dish for lunch and some friends!

MEMBERSHIP UPDATE COMMITTEE will meet on Thurs., Aug. 15th @ 2PM in the conference room.

MISSIONS will meet Thurs., Aug. 15 @ 6:30PM @ the Dahl's.

REMINDER - CHURCH COUNCIL will meet on Sun., Aug. 18th @ 3PM. Please note earlier meeting time.

BLESSING OF THE BACKPACKS & PROMOTION SUNDAY – Aug. 25. Students, remember to bring your backpacks with you to church! Blessing of these will take place during both worship services.



AGAPE SHOEBOX MINISTRY – Many items for this shoebox ministry will be on sale during the summer months. Pick up copies of the packing list now (outside of church office.) You may drop off your donations of these items in the box outside of the church office. Stay tuned for more information on this outreach. Thank you for supporting Project Agape.

BRADSHAW VETERAN'S MEMORIAL PAVERS - Honor or memorialize special veterans in your life by purchasing one or more pavers. Cost per paver is \$100.00. Veterans **do not** have to be members of Bethlehem UMC. Purchase forms available on table outside of the church office. Return completed forms to the church office.

HAPPENING THIS WEEK

Sunday 8/11 9th Sunday after Pentecost

8:50AM 1st Worship
10AM Sunday School
10:55AM 2nd Worship

Monday 8/12

7PM Evangelism
7:30PM Exercise

Tuesday 8/13

10AM StoryTime (Library)
10:30AM Friendly Club
6:30PM Line Dancing (FH)
7PM Women in Christ
7PM Cub/Boy Scouts

Wednesday 8/14

3-4PM Food Pantry Open
7PM Choir Practice
7:30PM Exercise

Thursday 8/15

2PM Membership Committee (conf. rm.)
6:30PM Missions (Dahl's)

Friday 8/16

Church Office Closed.

Saturday 8/17 FH in use 8-5PM ("On Boarding" Event)

Church Office Closed.

Sunday 8/18 10th Sunday after Pentecost

8:50AM 1st Worship
10AM Sunday School
10:55AM 2nd Worship
3PM Church Council

COMING UP

Mon., 8/19 NEWSLETTER DEADLINE
Mon., 8/19 @ 7PM SPRC
Tues., 8/20 @ 7PM Nominations Committee Meets
Thurs., 8/22 @ 7PM Bradshaw/Vet. Mem. Committee Meets
Sun., 8/25 Blessing of the Backpacks & Promotion Sunday
Mon., Aug. 25 @ 7PM Arlene Stokes
Sun., 9/1 Communion Sunday, Pnut Butter/Oatmeal Sunday
Mon., 9/2 Labor Day. **CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED.**
Tues., 9/3 @ 8AM Breakfast Club (Backyard Grill)
Thurs., 9/5 @ 7:30PM Trustees

PRAYER CONCERNS

Please keep these friends in your prayers.

Ongoing Prayer Needs

Vicky Alexander
Jack Bowman
Peggy Bowman (home)
Tommy Bowman (Deena's
Bro in law)
Suzie Branch
Edna Coble (Morningview)
Thomas Dills
Jane Dunham
Cletis Fields (Clapps)
Kelsey Garrett (home)
Allen Kidd (acquaintance of Sheila M.)
Dicky Parks
Mike Underwood (home)
Nancy Golden
Melvin Hinshaw (surgery/now home)

Ongoing (Cont.)

Ruby Hockett (assist. living)
Betty Hull (Wellington Oaks)
Carlton & Carolyn Johnson
Wayne & Ruby Kirkman
Clyde Land
Marjorie Mabe
Dennis McGee (Melanie
Robb's Step-father)
Mildred Moser (Clapp's Assist.)
Jamie O'Daniel (home)
Preston Ryan
Francis Snow
Sharon Thornton
Bruce Wall (Sheila Moser's dad)
All of our homebound

Immediate Prayer Needs:

Wayne Cable (Terry Franklin's friend)
Ashley Fields
Brad Fields (treatment regimen)
Cory Fields
Noel Loftus (Pastor Debra's mom)
Cindy Noell (Abby Windsor's mom)
Ernest Wicker
Betty Wilkins
Vivian Wilkinson

Remember BUMC family serving in the military - Jeffrey Welker. Also, prayer is requested for Robert Russell, Kylie Spencer's boyfriend, who will be deployed soon.

Please help us keep this list up-to-date. (Without updates, names may be removed.) If someone has been omitted who should be on our prayer list, or you know of changes in the prayer needs of anyone we list, please let the church office know. Thank you.

A big thank you to everyone who donated blood and came to donate. Also, thank you to those who brought snacks, worked the canteen and helped clean up. Our goal was 30 units and we were able to collect 24 full units. 24 units will help many people. We'll try again on January 21st, 2020. Susan Coward

I would like to thank everyone for all the kindness shown during my sudden illness - prayers, cards, food, visits, all the hands and feet of Christ. God Bless, Vivian Wilkinson

A heart-felt thank you to everyone who helped make Camp Meeting 2019 such a wonderful, faith-filled event. May God Bless Each of You, Ruth Rowland, Camp Meeting Chairperson

*He who refreshes others will himself be refreshed.
Proverbs 11:25 NIV*