### Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost. Liturgical color is green. In-Person Attendance: Sun., 7/25 (Homecoming/Camp Meeting Begins) - SS 12; Worship 163 Sun., 7/25 7:30PM 152 Mon., 7/26 7:30PM 141 Tues., 7/27 7:30PM 143 Wed., 7/28 2PM 45 Wed., 7/28 7:30PM 142 Thurs., 7/29 7:30PM 146 Fri., 7/30 7:30PM 144 Sat., 7/31 Ice Cream/Singing 90 Sun., 8/1 Combined Sunday School 26 Sun., 8/1 Closing Service 94 Attendance Last Sunday: In Class Sunday School 53 In-Person Worship 65 Greeters Today: Susan Coward Next Sunday: Desi Williams Security Team: Ron Bazhaw, Michael Brady, Jim Holt, Sandie Harris, Barry Norris, David Robb, and Desi Williams Sound: Denny Spencer Facebook Live Stream: Kylie Spencer

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\$172,282.37

Last Budget Deposit: \$5,279

Total:

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# BETHLEHEM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH CLIMAX, NORTH CAROLINA



August 15, 2021

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 one of the offering boxes.

## ENTERING INTO FELLOWSHIP

Greeting and Announcements

Prelude

Lighting of the Altar Candles

\*Call to Worship Holy Ground Screen

\*Opening Prayer

\*Opening Hymn All Creatures of Our God and King (Vs. 1, 4, 5, 7) No. 62

SHARING OURSELVES WITH GOD

Children's Message

Joys and Concerns/Pastoral Prayer/ The Lord's Prayer

THE WORD OF GOD CHANGING OUR LIVES

Scripture Revelation 5:11-14 and Isaiah 6:1

Series: "Worship Is a Heart Affair"

Sermon "The Awe of Worship" Rev. Debra Short

OUR THANKSGIVING AND RESPONSE

Offering Prayer

GOING FORTH FOR GOD

\*Closing Hymn How Great Thou Art No. 77

\*Benediction

\*Benediction Response Alleluia No. 186

\*Postlude

\*Please stand as you are able.

**FROM ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL**— Guilford Co. Board of Commissioners has issued a Mask Mandate for public indoor facilities until the county has reached a 70% vaccination rate or when the case positivity rate drops to 5%. This is for all persons regardless of vaccination status. **We have also voted to discontinue the church choir for a period due to mask requirements from the Bishop and Cabinet.** Thank you all for your support and continue to pray for our church.

SUNDAY SCHOOL - SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES MEET AT 9:15AM IN SUNDAY SCHOOL ROOMS.

**NEWSLETTER DEADLINE IS MONDAY, AUGUST 16**<sup>th</sup> – Please submit your newsletter items to the church office via email, if possible. Email to bethumcclimax@gmail.com Thanks.

**CHANGE OF MEETING DATE** - The Administrative Council Meeting, which had been scheduled for this week, has been postponed until a later date.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES PICK-UP & BLESSING OF THE BACKPACKS, Fri., Aug. 20<sup>th</sup> from 4-6:30PM – Children & Family Ministries invites kids/students to bring their backpacks, and come out for the Blessing of the Backpacks and for free school supplies.

ARLENE STOKES – Meets Mon., Aug. 23rd @ 10AM under the Arbor.

**THANK YOU TO ALL** who donated blood, as well as all who help set-up, clean-up, etc. during the Blood Drive. A total of 24 units was collected.

**ATTENTION COLLEGE STUDENTS** – If you plan to participate in the *Secret Pals*, please return your completed info forms to Fran Getner ASAP. You can mail them to her at: 2728 Briar Oak Dr., Climax, NC 27233. Also, Sponsors **continue to be needed for Secret Pals.** Please contact Fran if you wish to become a sponsor (412) 334-5193.

ALTAR FLOWER SCHEDULE & GREETERS - now available for sign-ups. The sign-up list is available in the foyer outside of the church office. You may also call Robin in the office to schedule. LOTS of openings!

**BETHLEHEM CHILD CARE** – Two Part-time teachers needed (Infant Room & Pre-K.) Hours, 2-6PM. If interested call Erica at (336) 674-9879 or email her at <a href="mailto:bethchild91@gmail.com">bethchild91@gmail.com</a>

## **Prayer Concerns**

Please keep these friends in your prayers.

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Ongoing	Ongoing Cont.	Immediate Cont.
Vicky Alexander	Bob Norris	Wayne & Ruby Kirkman
Martha Boren	Jamie O'Daniel	Nancy Kivett (see new address below)
Suzie Branch	Donny Short	Mike McClintock (Jan Toler's brother)
Edna Coble	Our Homebound	Dickie Parks
Jane Dunham	<u>Immediate</u>	Jimmy Pugh
Cory Fields	Gale Berke (Kidney stones)	Barbara Riddle
Elaine Flinchum	Floyd Cook	Sandy Russell (Friend of Londa Parks)
Melba Fulghum	Fred Cook	Preston Ryan
Kelsey Garrett	Rev. Lee Ellis	Francis Snow
Ruby Hockett	Phillip Grubbs (Brooke Byrd's bro)	Judy Strickler (Friend of Phyllis Dahl)
Bill Jones	R.W. Hinshaw	James Surratt (Sandi Harris' dad)
Janet Mathis	Betty Hull	Wes Taylor
	Jimmie Jones	Barbara Westmoreland
		Julia Willis

Address Change - Nancy Kivett has a new address: 3540 Wildflower Dr., Apt. 618, Greensboro, NC 27410