Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost. Children's Sabbath. Liturgical color is green.

The altar flowers this morning have been given to the Glory of God in honor of all children and in memory of Cletis Fields by the Wicker family.

Attendance Last Sunday:

In-Class Sunday School 61 In-Person Worship 125

Greeters Today: Susan Coward

Next Sunday: The Austins

Rev. Joseph Fulk, III

Pingyi (Lesley) Song

Robin Bunton

Jane Reddick

Laura Cranfill

Debbie Brady

Erica Shanahan

Ovido Sorbito

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

Your Gifts

Last Budget Deposit:

\$4,338.00

Total:

\$214,999.95

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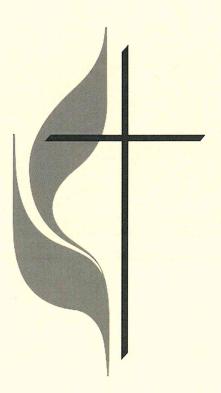
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BETHLEHEM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH CLIMAX, NORTH CAROLINA



October 17, 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

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

No. 349

*Opening Prayer

*Opening Hymn

'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus

No. 462

SHARING OURSELVES WITH GOD

Children's Message

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

THE WORD OF GOD CHANGING OUR LIVES

Scripture

Matthew 14:22-33 NIV

Sermon

"The Church's ADHD"

Rev. Joseph Fulk, III

OUR THANKSGIVING AND RESPONSE

Offering Prayer

GOING FORTH FOR GOD

*Closing Hymn	Trust and Obey	No. 467

*Benediction

*Benediction Response Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus No. 349

*Postlude

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.

ROOTS TO BRANCHES (ages Middle School, High School, High School Graduate, 20's & 30's) Come by Pastor Joseph's office to share some quick info.

NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER DEADLINE IS TOMORROW. Please send your newsletter items to the church office at bethumcclimax@gmail.com Thanks!

SECURITY (TEAM) MEETING - Thursday, October 21st at 6:30PM in the Parlor.

YARD SALE/FUNDRAISER FOR DONALD'S FIRE HAVEN MUSEUM – Our friends at Pleasant Garden Fire Dept. are holding this event on Sat., Oct. 23rd from 7AM-1PM. \$10 per space and \$5 per table. Call Terry Bradley (336) 707-5887 for info or to reserve your space.



THE BOO BASH/TRUNK OR TREAT is coming Sunday, October 31st! Candy donations still needed.

Please see the special insert flyer for event details!

ALL SAINTS SUNDAY IS Nov. 7th – During worship we will remember and celebrate the lives of those church members we lost in 2021. We hope you can attend this special worship.

MEMORIALS FOR VETERANS DAY – The Young-at-Heart SS Class is preparing a special bulletin to honor/memorialize Veterans on Sun., Nov.14th. Donations are \$5 per name. Please use a separate envelope for each Veteran's name (available at each entrance & in the SS Classes.) Make checks payable to Young-at-Heart SS Class with Veterans Memorial on the memo line. Give envelopes to Judy Fields or Karon Monnett or place in an offering box. Deadline is Mon., Nov. 8th. Thanks for your participation!



LAYING OF THE WREATH CEREMONY in recognition of Veterans Day will be held in the Memorial Garden on Sunday, November 14th immediately following worship. If any members would like to contribute to the cost of the wreath, please contact David Cranfill (336) 509-5994.

MASCOT PECANS HAVE ARRIVED! They are selling for \$10 per pound bag. Call Shirley Hackett @ (336)676-0485 or Phyllis Wicker @ (336)685-9322 to place your order, or check by our local beauty shops — Lyn's, Londa's or Margaret's to stock up for holiday cooking.



BETHLEHEM CHILD CARE – Continues to need two Part-time teachers (Infant Room & Pre-K.) Hours, 2-6PM. If interested, call Erica at (336) 674-9879 or email her at bethchild91@gmail.com

REMINDER – Lesley Song is not currently receiving a salary. If you feel called to give her a financial gift, there is a box in the narthex where your love offering gifts may be left.

^{*}Please stand as you are able.

Prayer Concerns

Please keep these friends in your prayers:

OngoingImmediateVicky AlexanderDaryl Bowman (Elaine Bowman's son)

Martha Boren Kathy Welborn Harrison (Myra Massaroni's sister)

Suzie Branch Todd Holloman Edna Coble Jimmie Jones Jane Dunham Sara Kauzlick

Cory Fields Wayne & Ruby Kirkman

Elaine Flinchum Nancy Kivett
Kelsey Garrett Dickie Parks
R.W. Hinshaw Barbara Riddle

Ruby Hockett Sandy Russell (Friend of Londa Parks)

Betty Hull Preston Ryan

Bill Jones Ann Shoemaker (Friend of Londa Parks)
Mary May Judy Shreve (Friend of Phyllis Dahl)

Mike McClintock Francis Snow

Jamie O'Daniel

Our Homebound

Julie Strickler (Friend of Phyllis Dahl)

James Surratt (Sandie Harris' dad)

Joyce Tate (Nancy Golden's sister)

Wes Taylor (Home)

Amber & Brandon Thompson

Julia Willis



The bud vase in the sanctuary this morning is in honor of Luke Andrew Young, brand new baby son of Jennifer and Dale Young, grandson of Deena and Jerry King. Luke was born on Friday, September 3rd.

He came a little bit early and spent time in the NICU. He was welcomed home by his big sister, Jenahlee and his big brother, Matthew.



Now we ask you, brothers and sisters, to acknowledge those who work hard among you, who care for you in the Lord and who admonish you. Hold them in the highest regard in love because of their work.

1 Thessalonians 5:12-13

BOO BASH TRUNK OR TREAT
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 31st
6-8 pm



PLEASE CONSIDER DECORATING YOUR TRUNK AND JOINING US OR

We would appreciate candy donations!

Drop them into the

"Children and Family Ministry"

box located in the vestibule

THANK YOU FROM THE CHILDREN AND FAMILY MINISTRY COMMITTEE