

*Sixth Sunday of Easter.* Liturgical color is white.

**Attendance Last Sunday:**

In-Class Sunday School	70
In-Person Worship	116

**Acolyte This Morning:** Braxton Wall

**Greeters Today:** OPEN

**Next Sunday:** Susan Coward

**Ushers this Month:** Dale Austin, Tim Fields, Glenn Getner, and Greg Wicker

**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

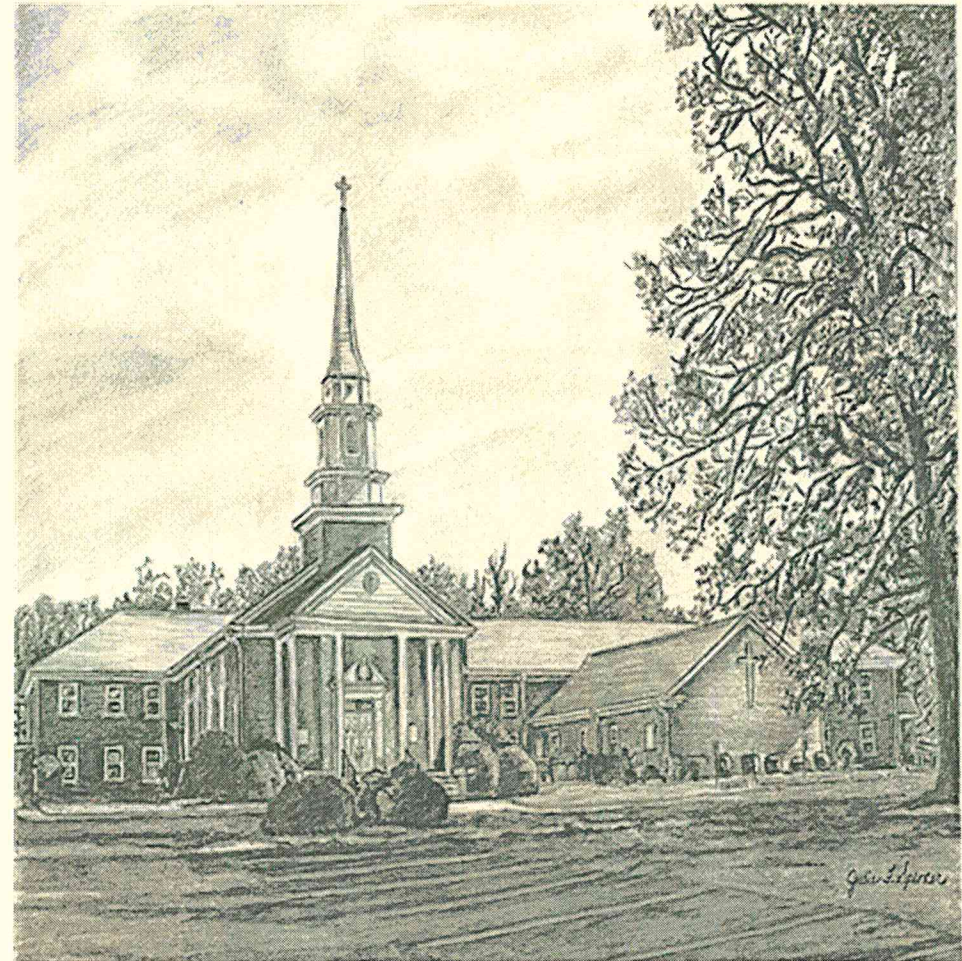
**Your Gifts**

**Last Budget Deposit:** \$3,825.00

**Total Deposits:** \$121,824.98

**Sunday School Collection Last Sunday:** Stays with classes.

# BETHLEHEM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH CLIMAX, NORTH CAROLINA



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May 22, 2022  
10AM Worship

**Greetings! Welcome to worship! Please be sure to sign the pew register and pass it down the pew to neighbors worshipping with you. A very special welcome to our visitors! Visitor cards are in the backs of the pews and can be dropped into the offering plate.**

Greeting and Announcements

Prelude *The Savior Is Waiting*

Lighting of the Candles

\*Call to Worship *This is the Day* No. 657

\*Affirmation of Faith *The Apostle's Creed* No. 881

\*Opening Prayer

\*Opening Hymn *Leaning on the Everlasting Arms* No. 133

Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

The LORD'S Prayer

Offertory *I Need Thee Every Hour*

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

Children's Message

Special Music

Scripture Luke 5:12-16 NIV

Sermon "Fresh Air" Rev. Joseph Fulk, III

\*Closing Hymn *Take Time to Be Holy* No. 395

\*Benediction

\*Benediction Response *God Be with You Till We Meet Again* (vs.1) No. 672

\*Postlude

\*Please stand as you are able.

**Guilford County has lifted the mask mandate, requiring folks to wear a mask indoors. We as the Administrative Council strongly encourage folks to prayerfully wear the mask, especially the unvaccinated, in consideration of those who are more susceptible.**

UMYF meets today at 5PM in the Youth Room.

**GriefShare** – We have all experienced loss & the grief that accompanies it. It is a difficult walk, especially without love & support. If you have experienced loss & are dealing w/ grief, come join us at **GriefShare**, starting **TODAY at 6PM** here at Bethlehem in the fellowship hall.

**IF YOU KNOW OF SOMEONE WHO** would be willing to sit with adults who are homebound/convalescing, etc., please let Pastor Joseph know.

**PROVIDENCE GROVE BAND BOOSTERS** is collecting new or gently used shoes as a project to earn money for band projects. **Their goal – 2,500 pairs.** If you would like to help with this, you may drop-off your donations in the box outside of the church office. **DEADLINE IS TODAY!**

**SPECIAL FATHER'S DAY BULLETIN** - The Young-at-Heart Class is collecting names for a special Father's Day Bulletin (like the Mother's Day bulletin last month.) Entries are \$5 per name. Envelopes are available in Sunday school classes, on either end of the altar, and at each entrance. Only one entry's name on each envelope please. Turn your envelopes in to Phyllis Wicker or Judy Fields. **The deadline for names is Sun., June 12<sup>th</sup>.** Make checks payable to Young-at-Heart Sunday School Class.

**GRACE WILKINSON SCHOLARSHIP (GWS) FORMS** are available from the Narthex & the table outside of the church office. This scholarship is available for any institute of higher learning (trade school, vocational school, community college, college, or university - including Bachelors, Masters or Doctoral degrees). The completed forms are due back to the church office **no later than 4PM on Thurs., June 16<sup>th</sup>.** No forms will be received after June 16<sup>th</sup>. The scholarship will be awarded during worship on **Sun., July 17<sup>th</sup>.**

**BETHLEHEM CHOIR** – All those interested in future choir singing **meet on Wed. at 7PM in the choir room.** Come join us!

**TOMORROW - ARLENE STOKES at 10:30AM in the Young-at-Heart Room.** Our agenda - a baby shower for *Room-At-The-Inn*. **TODAY IS THE LAST DAY to drop off donations** under the arbor.

**NEXT SUNDAY - WREATH LAYING CEREMONY** will be held in the Memorial Garden immediately following worship. Veterans who would like to contribute to the cost of the wreath, please write ***Wreath Laying Ceremony*** on your offering envelope and/or memo line of check & drop your donation into the offering plate. Thank you in advance for contributing.

**FROM THE ACTIVE DISCIPLES' CLASS** – Our class is collecting toiletries & feminine hygiene products for the homeless. (Trial size and/or regular size – both are greatly appreciated!) You will find our CARE BOX in front of the church office.

**REMINDER** – The Church Office will be closed on **Mon., May 30<sup>th</sup> for Memorial Day.**

**COMING UP** – **Secret Pal Reveal** will be during worship on **Sun., June 5<sup>th</sup>.** A reception in the fellowship hall will follow. Questions - contact Fran Getner (336) 685-2086.

**SAVE THE DATES ... VBS, Great Bible Reef – June 10<sup>th</sup> Kick Off Night with movie @ 6:30PM; June 11<sup>th</sup> VBS 9:30AM-2PM; June 12<sup>th</sup> 10AM Church Performance of VBS Songs.**

**SAVE THE DATE** – CCC Parent Meeting on **Sun., June 12<sup>th</sup> @ 5PM** in the Youth Room.

## Prayer List 5-22-2022

Please keep these friends in your prayers:

### Ongoing

Martha Boren  
Suzie Branch  
Edna Coble  
Jane Dunham  
Cory Fields  
Kelsey Garrett  
R.W. Hinshaw  
Ruby Hockett  
Betty Hull  
Della Kinney (Shannon Wicker's Aunt)  
Wayne & Ruby Kirkman  
Nancy Kivett  
Mary May  
Jamie O'Daniel  
Jimmy Pugh  
Lorrie Roth  
Sandy Russell (Friend of Londa Parks)  
Ann Shoemaker (Friend of Londa Parks)  
Bobby Tew  
Bobbie Westmoreland (Home)  
Julia Willis  
Lorene Wells (Rm. 211, The Oaks,  
Burlington)  
Our Homebound

### Immediate

Ray Allred  
Beasley Family  
Bradford Family  
Reid Cook  
Octavia Coward  
Jennifer Chaisson  
Dianna Edwards (Friend of Londa P.)  
Mallory Jane Evans  
Marguerite Fields  
Sid Fields & Family  
Luke Griggs (BUMC Child Care Child)  
First Responders  
Tommy (Little Tommy) Oliver  
Lisa McClintock  
Morgan Mellette  
Our Military  
The National Tragedies  
Dicky & Evonne Parks  
Ragan Pate (daughter/Wanda Sheets)  
David Robb  
James & Peggy Surratt  
People of Ukraine  
Francis Snow  
Joyce Tate  
Frank Willis (Home)

## Bethlehem Choir Director



We are presently seeking a **Chancel Choir Director** - Approximately 15-20 hours per week. Must be a non-member of BUMC.

If you are interested, or if you know someone who would be interested, please contact the church office at (336) 674-0155; or submit resume to: [bethumcclimax@gmail.com](mailto:bethumcclimax@gmail.com)

*Thank you for your help in maintaining our prayer list. If you know of anyone we have omitted, please let the church office know. In addition, your help is requested in making sure we have the correct spelling of names we list.*

