

**Seventh Sunday after Pentecost.
Homecoming. First Sunday of Camp Meeting.**

*The floral display under the arbor is given to the Glory of God in honor and memory of the many friends and family who have been a part of Homecoming and Camp Meeting at Bethlehem over these many years.
To God be the Glory!*

Attendance Last Sunday:

In-Class Sunday School **60**
In-Person Worship **98**

Greeters Today: OPEN

Next Sunday: Susan Coward

Ushers this Month: David Fields, Todd Garrett, Bud Lauder, Barry Norris

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: **\$7,500.01**

Total Deposits: **\$170,047.91**

Sunday School Collection Last Sunday: Stays with classes.

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BETHLEHEM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH CLIMAX, NORTH CAROLINA



Welcome!

Homecoming 2022
Camp Meeting 2022
July 24, 2022
11AM Under the Arbor

Greeting and Announcements		
Prelude	<i>Holy Ground</i>	
Lighting of the Candles		
*Call to Worship	<i>This is the Day</i>	Reverse of Prayer List Insert
*Affirmation of Faith	<i>The Apostle's Creed</i>	Reverse of Prayer List Insert
*Opening Prayer		
*Opening Hymn	<i>When the Roll is Called Up Yonder</i>	No. 77
Joys and Concerns		
Pastoral Prayer		
The LORD'S Prayer		
Offertory	<i>Cornerstone</i>	
*Doxology	<i>Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow</i>	No. 1
Infant Baptism	<i>Luke Andrew Young</i>	Reverse of Prayer List Insert
Children's Message		
Choral Anthem	<i>Standing on the Promises/Higher Ground</i>	
Scripture	Luke 15 (Selected Verses)	
Sermon	"Head Home"	Rev. Joseph Fulk, III
*Closing Hymn	<i>Love Lifted Me</i>	No. 73
*Benediction		
*Benediction Response	<i>God Be with You Till We Meet Again</i> (vs.1)	No. 142
*Postlude		
*Please stand as you are able.		

WELCOME TO CAMP MEETING 2022! (See insert for this week's schedule.)
TODAY IS HOMECOMING AT BETHLEHEM!
PLEASE PLAN TO STAY FOR A COVERED DISH LUNCH IN THE FH FOLLOWING WORSHIP.

NO UMYF TODAY

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*. **Meets today at 5:30PM (FH).**

CAMP MEETING PRAYER MEETING will be held tonight through Friday evening at 7PM **in the Sunshine Class.**

CHILDREN'S COMMITTEE will have a "Called Meeting" on Wed., July 27th at 6:30PM **in the Conference Room.**

COMMUNION STEWARDS NEEDED – If you are interested, please contact Fran Getner (336) 685-2086.

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.

BETHLEHEM UMC BLOOD DRIVE: The Big Red Bus will be here on **Tues., Aug. 2nd (2-7PM.)** Signup sheet on table outside of office or signup online at www.oneblood.org -- Click *Donor Log In--Donate--* Fill in date range and zip code and our drive will populate-- select the 2nd choice drive and sign up. Be sure you include your email address so you will be able to redeem your e-gift card. If you prefer to sign up with me, please include your email address so I can put you on the electronic schedule. Be sure to print legibly as well. You may also call me at 336-404-6803. Thank you in advance for donating, Susan Coward

BLESSING OF THE BACKPACKS – Will be during worship on **Sun., Aug. 28th.** Students, please remember to bring your backpack to church for this special ceremony. (Adult students and teachers are encouraged to participate by bringing what you carry to work.)

PROMOTION SUNDAY – Bibles will be given to our rising third graders on **Sun., Aug. 28th.** If you are the parent or grand-parent of a BUMC rising third grader, please let Phyllis Wicker know. (We don't want to miss anyone.)

BACK-TO-SCHOOL FEST – **Sat., Sept. 10th** (Rain date Sept. 17th) **from 11AM-1PM.** Activities will include fun, food, and freebies. Please continue to drop-off your donations of school supplies in drop-off box at the church office entrance. Thank you!

BUMC CHURCH PICNIC - **Sun., Sept. 18th** right after morning worship (here, at BUMC) at Hagan Stone, Shelter # 5. Bring a covered dish and yard games. This event is sponsored by BUMC's Children & Family Ministries.

Prayer List 7-24-22

Please keep these friends in your prayers:

Ongoing

Martha Boren
Suzie Branch
Edna Coble
Octavia Coward
Jane Dunham
Betty Fields
Cory Fields
Jerry Flinchum (Gene's brother)
Kelsey Garrett
R.W. Hinshaw
Ruby Hockett
Betty Hull
Della Kinney (Shannon Wicker's Aunt)
Wayne & Ruby Kirkman
Nancy Kivett
Mary May
Jimmy Pugh
Tommy (Little Tommy) Oliver
Jamie O'Daniel
David Robb
Sandy Russell (Friend of Londa Parks)
Ann Shoemaker (Friend of Londa Parks)
Bobby Tew
Julia Willis
Lorene Wells
Our Homebound

Immediate

Ray Allred
Jacob Bray
Camp Meeting 2022
Ricky Creech Family
Jennifer Chaisson

Celebrations:

- Today we will welcome **Luke Andrew Young** into the family of Christ through infant baptism. Luke was born on September 3, 2021. He is the son of Dale & Jennifer Young and the grandson of Jerry & Deena King. He has a big brother, Matthew and a big sister, Jenahlee.
- Congratulations to Daniel & Alex Lumpee on the birth of their (3rd) daughter, **Scottie Marie Lumpee**, born July 7th, 2022. Scottie was welcomed home by big sisters – Grayson & Cameron.
- We give praise & thanksgiving for the work of the many "church mice" who prepared the arbor for Camp Meeting 2022!

Immediate Cont.

Geraldine Clontz
Dianna Edwards (Friend of Londa P.)
Mallory Jane Evans
Judy Frye
Sid Fields & Family
First Responders
Luke Griggs (BUMC Child Care Child)
Turesa Kirkman
Lattero Family
Lisa McClintock
The United Methodist Church
Our Military
Murrell Family
Murphy Family
Rev. C.B. Owens
Dicky & Evonne Parks
Ragan Pate (daughter/Wanda Sheets)
Johnny Riddle Family
Lorrie Roth
Ruth Rowland (Home)
Jane Seagraves (friend/Jane Chamelin)
Sherone Shoffner Family
Francis Snow
James & Peggy Surratt
Joyce Tate
Bobby Tew (Wesley Long)
People of Ukraine
Beth Walton (Sister/Jane Reddick)
Eddie & Vivian Wilkinson
Frank Willis (Home)

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.

This is the Day

This is the day, this is the day that the Lord hath made, that the Lord hath made. Let us rejoice, let us rejoice and be glad in it, and be glad in it. This is the day that the Lord hath made; let us rejoice and be glad in it. This is the day, this is the day that the Lord hath made.

The Apostle's Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth;
And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried;*
the third day he rose from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic** church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

Infant Baptism Congregational Response:

We give thanks for all that God has already given you and we welcome you in Christian love. As members together with you in the body of Christ and this congregation of Bethlehem Church, we renew our covenant faithfully to participate in the ministries of the Church by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service and our witness, that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ.



**Bethlehem's 169th Annual
Camp Meeting**
6103 Appomattox Road
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July 24th - July 31st, 2022

Homecoming - Sun., July 24th

(Covered-dish lunch in FH follows worship.)

10AM Sunday School; 11 AM Worship (Under the Arbor)

Preaching: Rev. Joseph Fulk, III

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Sun., July 24th- Tues., July 26th (7:30PM)

***Preaching: Rev. Dr. Jeff Patterson
(from Wesley Memorial UMC)***

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Wed., July 27th at 2PM

Preaching: Rev. Joseph Fulk, III

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Wed., July 27th - Fri., July 29th (7:30PM)

***Preaching: Rev. Matt Morris
(from Tabernacle UMC)***

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Sat., July 30th

Ice Cream Social (7PM)

Singing Service (7:30PM)

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Closing Service - Sun., July 31st (11AM/Arbor)

with Sunday School at 10AM

Preaching: Rev. Joseph Fulk, III

Music

Line-up:

Sun., 7/24
Phil Herndon

Mon., 7/25
Rita Kivett

Tues., 7/26
Eric Eddins

Wed., 7/27
BUMC Choir

Thurs., 7/28
Stuart Moser

Friday, 7/29
*Gray & Jim
Boren*

Saturday, 7/30
*The Pioneers
Gospel Quartet*

PRAYER MEETING
*Sun.- Fri.
7PM
(Sunshine Class)*