

Judges 6:11-18 NRSVUE

¹¹ Now the angel of the Lord came and sat under the oak at Ophrah, which belonged to Joash the Abiezrite, as his son Gideon was beating out wheat in the winepress, to hide it from the Midianites. ¹² The angel of the Lord appeared to him and said to him, “The Lord is with you, you mighty warrior.” ¹³ Gideon answered him, “But sir, if the Lord is with us, why then has all this happened to us? And where are all his wonderful deeds that our ancestors recounted to us, saying, ‘Did not the Lord bring us up from Egypt?’ But now the Lord has cast us off and given us into the hand of Midian.” ¹⁴ Then the Lord turned to him and said, “Go in this might of yours and deliver Israel from the hand of Midian; I hereby commission you.” ¹⁵ He responded, “But sir, how can I deliver Israel? My clan is the weakest in Manasseh, and I am the least in my family.” ¹⁶ The Lord said to him, “But I will be with you, and you shall strike down the Midianites, every one of them.” ¹⁷ Then he said to him, “If now I have found favor with you, then show me a sign that it is you who speak with me. ¹⁸ Do not depart from here until I come to you and bring out my present and set it before you.” And he said, “I will stay until you return.”

*This is the Word of God, for the people of God!
Thanks be to God!*

July 5, 2026



*Mission Statement
Knowing Christ, Growing in Faith, and Showing God's Love*

*Vision Statement
Bethel United Methodist Church continues its unchanging heritage of faith, striving to be a sacred place to know Christ fully, grow spiritually, and show God's love through compassion, service, and generosity.*

Worship

Celebration of

July 5, 2026
8:00 & 11:00a.m. Service

GATHER IN GOD’S NAME

Prelude: “The Gift to Be Simple” arr. Wood

Greeting & Announcements

GIVE PRAISE TO GOD

*Opening Hymn: “Rejoice, the Lord Is King”.....#715

Opening Prayer: *Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hidden. Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

Invitation: Christ our Lord invites to his table all who love him, who earnestly repent of their sin and seek to live in peace with one another. Therefore, let us confess our sin before God and one another.

Confession: *Merciful God, we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart. We have failed to be an obedient church. We have not done your will, we have broken your law, we have rebelled against your love, we have not loved our neighbors, and we have not heard the cry of the needy. Forgive us we pray. Free us for joyful obedience, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

Words of Pardon

Leader: Hear the good news: Christ died for us while we were yet sinners; that proves God’s love toward us. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.

People: *In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!*

All: Glory to God. Amen.

JULY 5—JULY 12

Sunday	8:00 a.m.	Traditional Worship Live - Sanctuary
	9:15 a.m.	Contemporary Worship -Come Alive Time - BFH
	9:30 a.m.	Summer Sunday School - Various Rooms
	11:00 a.m.	Traditional Worship Live - Sanctuary
Monday		Joyce Mentzer’s Sabbath
Tuesday	7:00 p.m.	Tuesday on the Town - Midway Movie Night
Thursday	6:00 p.m.	Miracle Singers - BFH
Friday	9:00 a.m.	Lewes Antiques & Home Décor Show & Sale
	9:00 a.m.	Priceless Curiosity Show & Yard Sale
		Pastor Jim’s Sabbath
		Ray Davis’s Sabbath
Saturday	9:00 a.m.	Lewes Antiques & Home Décor Show & Sale
	9:00 a.m.	Priceless Curiosity Shop & Yard Sale
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	9:15 a.m.	Contemporary Worship -Come Alive Time - BFH
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BFH - Bethel Fellowship Hall
PMH - Parsonage Meeting House



66th Annual LEWES

ANTIQUE & HOME DECOR SHOW & SALE

Discover. Decorate. Be Inspired.

SHOP
Quality Antiques
Vintage Treasures
Home Decor & More!

JULY 10 & 11, 2026

FRIDAY 9 AM – 5 PM
SATURDAY 9 AM – 3 PM

BETHEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
125 W. 4th St.
Historic Lewes, Delaware

Visit the Bethel Deli
serving lunch from 11-2 PM
Delicious desserts can be
purchased at the Deli-Sale Booth

Admission \$5.00

20 DEALERS

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HOME DECOR

FURNITURE

ART, JEWELRY & MORE!

Find the perfect piece for your home and heart!

A Tradition You Love in a Town You Love!

Thank you for supporting the missions & ministries of Bethel UMC



Priceless Curiosity Shop

AND

Yard Sale

BETHEL PARSONAGE MEETING HOUSE
130 W. 4th Street, Lewes, Delaware

July 10 & 11

TREASURES ARE WAITING FOR YOU!

ITEMS WILL NOT HAVE A PRICE TAG
PAY WHAT YOU WOULD LIKE

EVERY FIND, SUPPORTS WOMEN AND CHILDREN THROUGH BETHEL WOMEN'S MINISTRY LOCALLY & ABROAD

COME CURIOUS LEAVE BLESSED

FRIDAY JULY 10
9 AM - 4 PM

SATURDAY JULY 11
9 AM - 2 PM

In Conjunction with the
Lewes Antiques & Home Décor Show & Sale

COME BROWSE, DISCOVER & SAVE!

PRAYER LIST 7/5/2026

Key: ***Bold, Italicized & Underlined*** type indicates a request new this week

Rehabilitation: David Hurlock, Paul Webb

Hospital: *Rosalba Bellen (Friend of Kathy Engel)*, Rev. Sterling Green, John Horne, Trent Prechatka, *Jodie Reynolds*

Hospice: Norah Atkins, Rosemary Bouvier, Brenda Keith, Mrs. Sample, Barbara Starkweather, Jim Willhite

General Concerns: Andy Baker, Mike Bakker, *Chris Clark*, Brett Conaway, Scott Dailey, Daniel, Ruth Dougherty, Bridget Fowler, Chandler Fox, Joan Fox, Bill Gibbons, Giovanna, Gus Jack Harrison, Connie Hearn, Jim Holt, *Bob Hunsberger*, Ida, Mason, Ginny Mitchell, June Myers, Tammy Myers & Family, Bob Nicholson, Brody O'Neill, Kelly Pinsky, Margaret Quillen, Bruce Sheppard, Steven, Danny Summers, Debbie Summers, Helen Walter

Long Term: Ansalvish Family, Bryan Attix, Rev. Gloria Attix, Fran Baker, Ruth Ann Baker, Ginny Barney, Wesley Beam, Mike Beaucheman, Dave Beddle, Nancy Bektolino, Daryl Bradley, Elaine Bramante, Inez Brengle, Dale Buckwalter, *Dan Carrier*, Liz Carrier, Janette Clavette, Victor Colon, Rev. Charles Covington, Jay Dentino, Bob Dickey, Jim & Marilyn Emanuel, Pat Emmett, Tom Engel, Olga Fitch, Frank Fitzgerald Sr, Michael Gallagher, *Peggy Gastner*, Gayle Gibbons, Danny Gillespie, Hazel Gillespie, Jude Gray, *Jeanne Hafer*, George Hammond, Kelly Harp, Heather & Indy, Nancy Hecker, Jack Henriksen, Jim Hooban, David Jones, Erika Jones, Chubby Joseph, Deb Kellenbenz, Adam Kent, Faye Kintz, Norm Kugel, Janice Kulp, Donna LaValle, Paulette Lazarro, *Nancy Logan*, Bill Lyons, Rob MacArthur, Dr. Jim Marvel, *Patty Marvel*, Medhi, Claranne Meitrott, Stephen Metler, Stephanie Miller, Rev. Charles Moyer, Nancy (Friend of Janine Phillips) Chuck Naspinsky, Ted Niemczyk, Ray Norris, Lori O'Day, Brian O'Dell, *Mike & Sallee O'Neill*, Peter (Brother of Pauline Powell), Earl Peters, Dick Plambeck, Ray Quillen, Beth Rampson, Beth Rinker, Carla Robinson, Martha Rougeux, Tom Schaich, Mary Louise Scott, John Schulze, Bill Seitz, Denny Shultz, Logan Smith, Tricia(Spangler)Gracey, Chet Sprague, Judy Stevenson, Bonnie Stevlingson, Margaret Stockslager, Dale Stough, James Taylor, Peggy Thomas, Dave Trout, Dawn Vandegrift, Kathy Watson, Kathy Wetherhold-Parrott, Hilda Williams, Trish Wilson, Woody Wilson, Theresa Wise, Lucretia Y., Marge Zayatz

Up Coming Procedures: *Carol (Sister of Marilyn Emanuel)*

Recovering From Procedures: Fred Billings, Ellie Colon, Sandy Donis, Olga Fitch, Pat Kearns, Patty Marvel, Ralph Scott, Dale Stough, Kevin Toohey

Other:

- Mother African Union Church North, Wilmington, DE sanctuary destroyed by fire
- The people of Iran and Venezuela.
- All those caring for family and friends, especially spouses and those that have lost a child.
- Delaware Firefighters, EMS, and State Troopers.
- For racial justice in the United States.

Sympathy to:

- *Family & Friends of Ashley Wagamon King, who passed on June 25th.*

LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD

Joys & Concerns and Pastoral Prayer

God's Tithes and our Offerings

Offertory: *"This Is My Song"* arr. Wood
presented by Steve Coats

*Doxology:.....#94

Scripture Lesson: Judges 6:11-18

Message: *"Gideon the Doubtful Judge"* Pastor Jim Penuel

CELEBRATE THE SACRAMENT

Service of Word and Table 1.....Page 9

The Lord's Prayer (sung)

Hymns for Communion: *"Come, Sinners, to the Gospel Feast"*#616
"Draw Us in the Spirit's Tether"#632

Prayer After Communion: *Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, to give ourselves for others, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen*

GO FORTH IN GOD'S NAME

*Closing Hymn: *"God Be with You till We Meet Again"*#672

*Benediction & Final Blessing

Leader: As we depart, may the Peace of Christ be with you.

People: *May the Peace of Christ be with you.*

(All are invited to pass the Peace of Christ to all as you exit during the Postlude)

*Postlude: *"America, the Beautiful"* arr. Lanier
John Roman Nehrbas, saxophone

**Those who are able, please stand.*

The flowers on the altar are given to the Glory of God

Hearing assistance devices are located at the sound booth.

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Bethel One License (with Podcasting) #A-73619

Come Alive Time WORSHIP

July 5 2026
9:15 a.m. Service

GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

Gathering: *(Please watch the screen for upcoming events)*
Greeting and Opening Prayer

GIVE PRAISE TO GOD

*Opening Song of Praise & Worship: *"Something Good"*
Children's Message: *"God Meets Us Where We Are"*
Blessing of the Clothing for Steps of Hope
Joys & Concerns and Pastoral Prayer
Offering: *"America, the Beautiful"* arr. Lanier
John Roman Nehrbas, saxophone

LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD

Scripture Lesson: Judges 6:11-18
Message: *"Gideon the Doubtful Judge"* Pastor Jim Penuel
Commissioning of the Fuel Mission Trip to Washington, DC

CELEBRATE THE SACRAMENT

Holy Communion
Song for Communion: *"Remembrance"*

GO FORTH IN GOD'S NAME

*Closing Song: *"Good, Good Father"*
*Benediction & Final Blessing
Leader: As we depart, may the Peace of Christ be with you.
People: ***May the Peace of Christ be with you.***
(All are invited to pass the Peace of Christ to all as you exit during the Postlude)

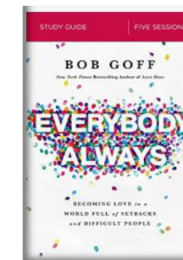
**Those who are able, please stand.*

Bethel UMC Men's Ministry Opportunities!

Are you looking for a way to deepen your faith and connect with other men from Bethel UMC? Two opportunities are offered each month to gather and grow:

Second Sunday of each month, 8:00-8:45am in the Parsonage Meeting House

- Upcoming dates June 14 and July 12

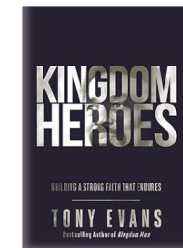


Everybody Always by Bob Goff

In *Everybody, Always*, Bob Goff's joyful New York Times bestselling follow-up to *Love Does*, you'll discover the secret to living without fear, constraint, or worry. Bob teaches you that the path toward the outsized, unfettered, liberated existence we all long for is found in one simple truth: love people, even the difficult ones, without distinction and without limits. Light reading – great discussion!

Fourth Wednesday evening of each month, 7:00-8:30pm at Barry Eaton's home

- Upcoming dates May 27, June 24, July 22



Kingdom Heroes by Tony Evans

A six-session video study exploring the "Hall of Faith" in Hebrews 11. Filmed at the Museum of the Bible, it examines Old Testament figures like Noah, Abraham, and Rahab to teach how to build an enduring, trust-filled faith during difficult times. The series focuses on breaking cultural norms, navigating trials, and applying biblical principles for a lasting legacy. Are you living out your faith?

All men of Bethel are invited and encouraged to join us. Even if you haven't been before, we welcome you to check out either/both gatherings. Light refreshments.

Please contact Barry Eaton at 1785eaton@gmail.com or
Ray Davis at ray@bethellewes.org for more details.

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Bethel Golf Outings are Back

This golf season we still have 4 dates booked for Bethel Golf Outings at The Rookery in Milton. These outings are open to men, women and children alike. These outings are just fun ways for golfers in the church to connect and play together on Saturday afternoons. Our tee times start at 3:00 and we can accommodate up to 20 golfers for each date. You can play 9 holes or 18 and you can walk or ride carts and each outing will be at the twilight rate to be more affordable for everyone. All you need to do is email or text Ray and he will coordinate the details with everyone the week of. ***The next date we have on the books is July 11th*** so let Ray know if you will be joining. The other dates are August 22nd , September 19th and October 17th. Please reach out to Ray with any questions. ray@bethellewes.org

Kitchen Help Needed: We are in need of kitchen help for the Lewes Antiques Home Décor Show & Sale. We are looking for volunteers for a variety of jobs to make this event a success. The times need are listed below. Many hands make light work so if you are able to help out please contact Cathy Ferree at colonycat1226@gmail.com or 302-827-2499

PREP WORK PRIOR TO SHOW:

Wed • July 8 • 9 to 12 OR 12 to 3 pm • 6 needed per shift
Thurs • July 9 • 9 to 12 OR 12 to 3 pm • 6 needed per shift

PREP/SERVE DAYS OF SHOW:

Fri • July 10 • 9 to 12 OR 11 to 2:30 • 6 needed per shift
Sat • July 11 • 9 to 12 OR 11 to 2:30 • 6 needed per shift

SUNDAY SALE OF LEFTOVERS AFTER ALL 3 SERVICES:

Sun. July 12 • After 8 am service, about 8:30
Sun. July 12 • After 9:15 service, about 10:10
15 Sun. July 12 • After 11 am service, about 11:50

BETHEL INFORMATION

To our guests...

Welcome to Bethel! Thank you for worshipping with us. We invite you to experience the love and grace of God in Jesus Christ today. During the announcements we would like to give you a welcome packet—just raise your hand and an Usher will bring you one. We value your feedback. Please fill out the Information Card in the mug and place it in the offering plate. For more information about Bethel, visit our website at www.bethellewes.org or call the Church Office. Thank you.

Worship Opportunities

Traditional Sunday Worship in the Sanctuary, 8:00 a.m.
Contemporary Worship in Fellowship Hall, 9:15 a.m.
Traditional Sunday Worship in the Sanctuary, 11:00 a.m.
Church Livestream Watch Online Sundays @ 9:15 or 11:00
Or anytime after the services on YouTube

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Church Office Hours M-F 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. & 1:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m.

Leaders for Today's Service

Greeters:	8:00	Bill & Nancy Collick
	9:15	Kevin White
	11:00	Harriett & Curt Smith
Ushers:	8:00	Ernie Stanley, Head Usher Sandy Hunsicker, & Ron Smith Assistants
	9:15	Libby Gibson, Head Usher
	11:00	Joann Brittingham, Head Usher
		Jim Brown, Miguel Gomez, & Ralph Scott; Assistants
Liturgists:	8:00	Joan Williamson
	9:15	Ray Davis
	11:00	Marjorie Mounts
Audio Visual Techs:		Ray Davis, Ed Emmett, Drew Fyock, Norm Macturk, Mauro Medeiros, Lauren Mentzer, Todd Mentzer, John Roman Nehrbas
Miracle Singers:	9:15	Kim Edmonds, Joyce Famelio, Cathy Ferree, John Harris, Patty Marvel, Bill Powell

Weekly Statistics

Attendance: June 28, 2026: 279 (8:00-55; 9:15-150; 11:00-74)

Contributions for June 28, 2026

weekly deposit	\$ 13,663.01
weekly budget	\$ 16,915.18
YTD collection	\$ 502,084.50
YTD budget	\$ 439,794.68



To enroll, click on the "Giving" tab on the Church's website.

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Love Offering: The July Love Offering will benefit Harvest Outreach People's Project (HOPP). The HOPP began, birthed out of the United Methodist Movement, with a simple belief that every family deserves dignity,

stability, and hope. HOPPs is a community powered movement ensuring that every family across Delaware and parts of Maryland has access to fresh produce and lasting hope and dignity. Love Offerings may be given throughout the month in the "designated" plates found at the back of Fellowship Hall & the Sanctuary or online by clicking "Choose a Fund" and then by clicking "Communion/Love Offering" in the drop down menu. If donating by check please remember to make payable to Bethel UMC and note love offering.



Church Office Summer Hours: Monday, Wednesday & Friday from 9am to 11am with the balance of my hours working remotely. If you need assistance outside of the hours listed above please call the church office and I will call you back as soon as possible to assist you. Church Office will be open regular hours for the week of Lewes Antiques & Home Decor Show & Sale and will be open for Vacation Bible School.

Sunday School Update

Please join us this summer for Summer Sunday School. Ending on August 30th. We are looking for volunteers for 2 different classrooms; 2 years old to 1st Grade & 2nd to 5th Grade Curriculum and supplies are available. Please scan below to follow the link for a sign up or contact Katie Davis at kdavis4786@gmail.com. Thank you for a wonderful Sunday School year!

Scan



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Lewes Antiques & Home Décor Show & Sale Sponsorships Forms:

Sponsorships are now being accepted. Sponsorship forms can be found on the Bethel Website, LAHDSS Display Table in lobby, or by clicking on the QR Code. If you pay by check please make check payable to Bethel United Methodist Church and on the memo line please write LAHDSS. Thank you for supporting this very worthy ministry that supports missions and ministries of the church. This year a 10% pledge will go to our friends at

Clothing Our Kids and Family Promise.



Women's Ministry - Priceless Curiosity Shop & Yard Sale

Start gathering your gently used treasures! Donations will be collected every Sunday during the month of June at the PMH garage, immediately following the 8:00 AM and 9:15 AM services. Please note: we are unable to accept clothing, furniture, electronics, or artificial Christmas trees. The Priceless Curiosity Shop & Yard Sale will take place July 10th and 11th. All proceeds will benefit women and children in Sussex County and beyond. Thank you for your generosity and support! Janine R. Phillips 610-905-6674

Curiosity Shop Update: The Curiosity Shop will no longer be accepting books, CDs or VHS tapes on the collection days in June

Although we appreciate donations, it's only been one week, and we have more books, CDs, and VHS tapes than we can handle.

Thanks for understanding and your cooperation.

NOTE SHEET

Note Sheet

Gideon: The Doubtful Judge

Judges 6:11-18

7/5/26

1. What stands out to me in all this is that God sees something in Gideon that Gideon does _____.
2. When we don't believe in ourselves, God _____ us where we are.
3. God used Gideon _____ his character flaws.
4. Sin had a hold on God's people, but Jesus _____ us from it.

Three Takeaways from the life of Gideon:

1. When God has called us, God will _____ us when we have doubt.
2. When God has called us to do something big, _____ that God will give us everything we need to achieve it.
3. Stay _____ and _____, and don't let your success get to your head when God provides the victory.

Scripture reading for further reflection: Judges 6-9, Hebrews 11, Psalm 103.

Note: You may access the Digital Sermon Note

Page by scanning the QR Code



GIDEON THE JUDGE

Spot 8 differences between the two pictures.



Volunteers Needed the Week of the 66th Annual Lewes Antiques & Home Décor Show & Sale

• Kitchen Help for Bethel Deli

Prep Work Prior to the Show • 6 Needed per Shift

Wednesday, July 8, From 9 am – 3 pm

Thursday, July 9, From 9 am – 3pm

Prep/Serve Days of the Show • 6 Needed per Shift

Friday, July 10, From 9 am – 2:30 pm

Saturday, July 11, From 9 am – 2:30 pm

Sunday Sale Of Leftovers After All 3 Services

Sunday, July 12 • After each service: 8 am, 9: 15 am, 11 am



Use QR CODE
to Sign Up
for Kitchen Help or
Sign up ONLINE

<https://www.bethellewes.org>

• Calling all Bakers & Bake Sale Booth/Dining Area Volunteers

Asking for volunteers to bake those luscious pies, cakes, cookies and breads for the Bake Sale Booth. Also, requesting volunteers for the Bake Sale Booth. We have made it easy for you to sign up online!



Use QR CODE
To Sign Up
To Make Baked Goods or
Sign up ONLINE

<https://www.bethellewes.org>



Use QR CODE
To Sign Up for the
Bake Sale Booth & Dining Area or
Sign up ONLINE

<https://www.bethellewes.org>

• Load in Load out & Security Watch Volunteers

Load In • Thursday, July 9, From 8 am - 3 pm ****Most Help needed in the morning****

Load Out • Saturday, July 11, From 3:30 pm - 7 pm ****approximate time****

Security Watch Times Needed

Thursday, July 9, 5 pm - 11 pm, Friday, July 10, 4 am - 9 am & 11 pm - 4 am, Saturday, July 11, 4 am - 9 am



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2026

66th Annual

Lewes Antiques & Home Décor

Show & Sale

Presented Annually Since 1959 by

Bethel United Methodist Church

Bethel Fellowship Hall • 129 W. Fourth Street

Lewes, Delaware

Two Day Event • July 10 & 11

Friday • July 10 • 9 am - 5 pm

Saturday • July 11 • 9 am - 3 pm

Decorator & Collector Items • Jewelry & Furniture

Lunch Served Daily • Questions: 302-645-9426

Air Conditioned • Handicapped Accessible

Admission \$5.00



JUDGES 6-8: GIDEON

T C A X V Z T U M L Z Z V O K N O
C W X Y M X A Y Y S W O A B N O W
G J G Y Z Y O S E T I N A I D I M
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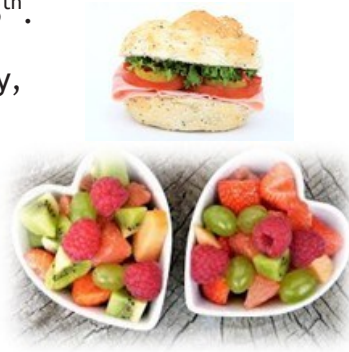
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Sandwich & Side for 18 for Tharros. Tharros is fully operational, with 18 residents. Bethel is one of several faith-based organizations that will be supplying a cold supper of a sandwich and a side for each resident. To sign up just go to bethellewes.org; click on the “Information” tab and select “Bethel Food Ministries” from the dropdown menu. Under the heading “Tharros Village - Sandwich and Side” there are instructions and a direct link to the *SignUp.com* signup page. Openings are available every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday through November 28th.

Deliver sandwiches and sides to 18006 Coastal Highway, Lewes between 6pm and 8pm.

Gate is kept locked: Detailed instructions are on the *SignUp.com* page. To view click on the words “Sandwich & Side for 18”, under any of the dates. Contact is Cathie Wagner ccwgr@aol.com.



Bethel Cookbooks Are Here!!!



The Elizabeth Circle continues to have Bethel Cookbooks for sale. They may be purchased online through the church website or by using the order forms in the lobby. Books may be picked up Sunday after services or by other arrangement. Contact Donna Fleischauer at djmarrin@yahoo.com with any questions

Cookbook Recipe Correction as of June 30, 2026:

Page 5 - Pimento Cheese Spread - Add 1 cup sharp shredded cheddar cheese to ingredients.

Page 102 - Southern Shores Cheesecake - Butter should be $\frac{3}{4}$ cup softened, not $\frac{1}{4}$ cup.

Priceless Curiosity Shop & Yard Sale

July 10 & 11

Friday: 9 am ~ 4 pm

Saturday: 9 am ~ 2 pm

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*In conjunction with the
Lewes Antiques & Home Décor
Show & Sale*

**Bethel Parsonage Meeting House
130 W. 4th Street • Lewes**

- Items **WILL NOT** have a price tag.
- Pay what you choose!

Every find supports women and children
through **Bethel Women's Ministry**
locally and abroad. ♥

Come curious • Leave blessed!