

A Night in the 50's

BUMC's annual fundraiser – Come be transported back in time! Saturday **January 26th** (snow date Feb.16th) from 6:00pm-9:30pm. There will be root beer floats, popcorn, classic tv dinner style buffet. A photo booth, costume contest, drive in style movies. Music from the 50's & Dancing.



\$35 per adult, kids under 12 just \$20! For tickets call 203-994-9717 or 203-297-4101

Tickets must be purchased beforehand and will be sold after church service on Sundays and from 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday Jan. 16 and Jan. 23 in fellowship hall or 6 to 8 p.m. Mondays Jan. 14 and Jan. 21 at the church and from 6 to 8 p.m Thursday, Jan. 17 at Molten Java.

VBS Director Needed:

Energetic, fun-loving person needed to be the Director for VBS this year. The position requires coordinating staffing, staff training and registration. The majority of the time requirement is in May - July as VBS is tentatively planned for July 29-August 2. The Director has input into the final dates. Please contact Wendy Williams: williamsBUMC@gmail.com or Ann McLellan: ann_mc_ellan@sbcglobal.net



Red Bird Mission

The UMW collects **Campbell's labels** and **Boxtops for Education** for the **Red Bird Mission School**. Please cut the bar code labels as we only need the bar codes. There is a Red Bird container in the Information Center.



Our Annual tag sale will be held this spring. As you start your spring cleaning or are trying to find homes for items you no longer need, please consider saving them



for our tag sale. Drop off dates will be announced soon. Proceeds from the tag sale help our UMW with their missions work! Any questions see Ann or Cheryl in the office.

OUTREACH REQUEST

Our primary focus has been to supply items that social services cannot. BUMC has always given generously! OUTREACH also wants to be in touch with our church family members who have some difficulty getting to church or are experiencing a challenging time in their lives. We send HANDMADE cards to the special people we are aware of at Thanksgiving, Christmas, Valentine's Day, and Easter. If you know of someone you think would appreciate a card please check with me to see if we have their name on our list. Thanks! Carol Morey [damorey@comcast.net]

SMALL GROUPS

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Brotherhood & Sisterhood of Christ meet Mondays at 7:00 pm.

We start with a core piece of scripture, some devotional time that speaks to our topic and then look at some pointed questions that will help us go deeper in our faith and get to know one another a bit better at each meeting.

You can talk or you can just listen. You can come every week or once in a while! We start on time and end by 8:15pm.

Questions? Men, see Pastor John. Ladies see Maria

Please remember the basket for food donations for the Bethel Community

Food Pantry located right here @ our church. The basket is in our Communications area downstairs outside the kitchen. Thank you in advance. Their phone number is 203-947-1754



A Note from the Pastor:

The various projects in the church are moving along quite well. The new security/fob system is close to completion. You may have notice lots of new steel tubing on the walls in the hallways.

We have to assign key fobs to individuals who need access to the church during non-service times, and also program the system so that doors are automatically opened as needed. We will keep you posted on the progress, but please don't worry, nobody will be locked out of church!

The new Pastor's office in the balcony area is completed and I'm officially moved in! The painting has begun this week. The two stairwells going up to the balcony are complete. Work will now begin on the Narthex and stairwell going down to Fellowship Hall. We will then begin renovations on the old pastors office and the church office. Just wanted to keep everyone up to speed on the progress. Peace

In Christ, Rev. John Parille

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Our Mission is all about Knowing Jesus & Making Jesus Known in the Heart of Bethel and Beyond

Prelude To God Be The Glory *arr. L. Shackley*

Call to Worship:

L: God is with us always and calls us each by name.

P: When we pass through difficulties and stress,

L: God is with us and calls us by name.

P: When we are discouraged and feel lost and alone,

L: God is with us and calls us by name, and heals us.

P: Blessed be God who knows us and calls us by name. AMEN.

Hymns of Praise: #383 This Is A Day Of New Beginnings v. 1-3
389 Freely, Freely

Welcome & Announcements

(Children are dismissed to Sunday School)

Pastoral Prayer

a time to share our joys and concerns as a church family

The Offertory Praise To The Lord, The Almighty *arr. J. Carter*

94 Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow

Scripture Reading: 2 Corinthians 5:16-20 (NIV)

* **Hymn of Preparation** #2164 Sanctuary

• **Passing of Greetings & Peace**

Sermon: Breaking the Circle of Mistakes **Pastor John Parille**

Holy Communion *All are Welcome!*

Communion is served at the altar. Please come down from balcony.

Lamb of God (sung in unison)

Lamb of God, You take away the sins of the world. Have mercy on us, mercy on us, mercy on us.

Lamb of God, You take away the sins of the world. Have mercy on us, mercy on us, mercy on us.

Lamb of God, You take away the sins of the world. Grant us peace, grant us peace, grant us peace.

#620 One Bread, One Body

***Hymn of Response** #2172 We Are Called

• **Benediction & Closing Prayer**

* Please stand if able. *Large print hymnals are available— please ask an usher.*

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Heartbeat News from the Pews

New to the church? Here is some helpful information!

Restrooms: The restrooms are located through the side door on the right of the sanctuary, go through both doors and make a left then a quick right. They are towards the end of the hallway on the right. Each restroom is equipped with a commode.

Nursery Care & Children's Church: 10:00 am. Children go to Sunday School directly after announcements. Nursery is available for ages 2 and under.

Information Center: Here you will find lost and found, upcoming event information as well as brochures and other pieces of information about our church. It is located just outside Fellowship Hall which is located on the lower level.

Safety: For the convenience of those who wish to cleanse their hands after exchanging signs of peace and before handling the communion elements, there are alcohol gel pumps available.

Office Hours: Monday office closed. Regular office hours are Tuesday through Friday 10:00am-2:00pm




We want to thank the team who came and took down the Christmas decorations this week. Steve Temple, Jim Hutchinson, Pat Deuschle, Lisa Delohery, Willa Phillip. Many hands make less work!

This Week's BUMC Calendar:

Sun.	01/13	South Campus Bethel 8:30am & 10:00am Worship ASP Bake Sale Sunday School 11:30am—Recycling Committee
		North Campus Gaylordsville 10:00am Worship
Mon.	01/14	7:00pm Brotherhood in Christ 7:00pm Sisterhood in Christ
Tues.	01/15	7:00pm Finance
Wed.	01/16	Wednesday Night Recharge
Thurs.	01/17	6:30pm Bell Choir 7:30pm Choir
Fri.	01/18	
Sat.	01/19	
Sun.	01/20	South Campus Bethel 8:30am Worship 10:00am Family Worship North Campus & South Campus 10:00am Worship

Coming Events: Save the Date:
February 2nd—Bloodmobile
February 26th—BUMC's Annual Fundraiser
—A Night in the 50's

Anyone who has never made a mistake has never tried anything new.
-Albert Einstein




Readers & Communion Stewards

8:30am: Peter Eckert
10:00am: Julien Schaad & Tom Wolff
Counters: Linda Bruce & Betty Lepus
Greeter 8:30am: Peter Eckert
Greeters 10:00am: Deb and Dave Albin
Ushers: Team D: Tracy Brown, Jim & Laurie Fernandez
Coffee Hosts: Angela Bassett

Bloodmobile—February 2nd

Our next BUMC Bloodmobile is Sat. 2/2. You can make an appt. @ Redcross.org.



Blood Mobile

If you can help @ registration or canteen please see Alice Mayer.