

Have you ever considered being in leadership? The nominations committee is looking to have new folks come on board. Please see Pastor John if you would like to be in a leadership position at our church.



The Youth Group at Congregational Church invites you to come to their meetings every Sunday from 4:00pm-6:00pm. All Middle and High School youth are welcome. If you have any questions please contact Ashley Adams at fccbyouth@firstchurchbethel.org

The Sunday School needs items for the Incentive Store. Each Sunday children earn stickers during class and can "spend" them after church on Family Sunday. We like religious themed items as well as others, but no logo items. Stuffed animals, small games, items for teens are welcome as well. Please no activity books as we have many. Thank you in advance



Sunday school Wish List

Stickers, Annie's animal crackers, glue sticks, markers, crayons, small Dixie cups, small dessert size plates, small bottles of water, Please leave any donations in the church office. Thank you for your donations

We are still looking for volunteers (All kinds of talent is needed from babysitting in the nursery, teachers, assistants to subs) High school to adults. Please e-mail Wendy Williams at williamsBUMC@gmail.com

Pasta Dinner

October 12th

Bethel United Methodist Church

Serving 5:30 – 7:30 pm

Adults \$10, Seniors & Students with

College ID \$8, Kids \$5 (under 5 eat free)

Family max price \$25 (parents & kids)

Dinner includes: Salad, Pasta with marinara or meat sauce,

Homemade meatballs .50 ea. (Gluten free option available) Our

wonderful Dessert table. Dinners also available to go! Call BUMC

203.743.6835 the day of dinner to place your order



Needed:

People to sponsor the Pasta dinner. A full sponsorship is \$300. or you can do 1/2 sponsorship. Gift cards to Caraluzzi's or other grocery stores in any amount are always appreciated.



Desserts needed for our October 13th Pasta Dinner. Home made or store bought. All donations appreciated. Email Ann if you can help out or have any questions at ann_mc_lellan@sbcglobal.net

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



UMW CORNER



TODAY—First Soup sale of the 2019 season!

Mission Pin for outstanding service to others to be presented at the 10:00am service.

October 8th— 7pm general meeting and Bazaar workshop. Due to FPU meeting in Mitchell Hall, UMW will meet in the Johnson Building Alcove. Cones will be removed for handicapped parking by the front door.

October 10th—Second meeting of the Thursday afternoon Bible Study 2-3:30pm in the Family Room. Study guides for this 7 week study (ending before Thanksgiving) are available from Ann McLellan. Open to all women.

October 27— Days for Girls Sunday—a focus on this amazing mission project and giving opportunity.

Welcome Ted Hartlett



BUMC is pleased to welcome Ted to our music program. Ted will be playing guitar and leading worship at our new 8:30 family blended service beginning Sunday October 20. Ted has many years of ministry experience including serving on the board of Elders at Walnut Hill Church, Director at Chaplain Services of CT, as well as leading men's ministries and serving as worship leader in various churches. Ted has also been on mission trips to Russia, Trinidad, Guatemala, Costa Rica and Kenya. We are very excited to welcome Ted to our team!

Community Bible Study Evening Class

Our local CBS (Community Bible Study) class is beginning...at the beginning...We are studying Genesis this year!

CBS is an international, interdenominational ministry. CBS classes meet in local host churches throughout the world, and Ridgefield Baptist Church (325 Danbury Road) has graciously welcomed our local evening class to use its facility. Approximately sixty men and women attend the class on Monday evenings, from 7:30 to 9:00, September through April. Anyone interested in looking into the Bible in a friendly, caring atmosphere is invited to visit or become a member of the class. Beginners, as well as more experienced Bible students, are always welcome.

The book of Genesis is all about relationships. We will learn how much He cares for His people. God wants to have a relationship with you

This class will be especially relevant for all of you baseball fans out there since we're learning together about the Big Inning!

For more information about CBS go to [http://](http://RidgefieldEve.cbsclass.org)

RidgefieldEve.cbsclass.org<<http://RidgefieldEve.cbsclass.org/>> or call (203) 431-9491. If anyone has any questions about this Bible Study opportunity, please also feel free to call Peter Eckert of BUMC who has been involved with CBS for about 20 years.

Bethel

United Methodist Church



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

Prelude: Come Christians, Join to Sing...arr. B. Mayo
Introit: Festive Praise...A. Pote Chancel Choir
Call to Worship:
 L: Praise be to God who has called us together.
P: We come here seeking healing and hope.
 L: Open your hearts to God's redeeming love.
P: Help us to hear your words, O Lord, and follow your ways.
All: AMEN.

Hymn of Praise: #415 Take Up Thy Cross v. 1,2,4
 #370 Victory In Jesus

Welcome & Announcements

Mission Pin Presentation

Pastoral Prayer

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

The Offertory Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee...arr. L. Shackley 8:30 a.m.
 The Lord Is My Shepherd (Psalm 23).....H. Goodall Chancel Choir

94 Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow

Scripture Reading: James 1:13-18 New International Version (NIV) pg. 214

* **Hymn of Preparation** #2071 Jesus, Name Above All Names

• **Passing of Greetings & Peace**

Sermon Temptation: more than just Chocolate Cake **Pastor John Parille**

Holy Communion *All are Welcome!*

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.

#644 Jesus, Joy Of Our Desiring Chancel Choir

***Hymn of Response** #3106 Your Grace Is Enough

Choral Benediction The Peace of the Lord...N. Grant Pfeifer Chancel Choir

• **Benediction & Closing Prayer**

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

Bethel United Methodist Church



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.

Nursery Care & Sunday School: 10:00 am. Nursery is available for **babies and children through age 2**, located in room 203 (next to the Men's room) It is staffed every Sunday except Family Sunday when it is open for parents to use. Sunday School begins at 10am. All but the PreK should go directly to their class before service begins

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.

We are happy to provide anyone who needs to step out of service for any reason our "Family Room" located in the Narthex.

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



Satan gives Adam an apple and takes away Paradise. Therefore, in all temptations let us consider not what he offers, but what we shall lose. - Richard Sibbes

Readers & Communion Stewards

8:30am: Maureen Raftery

10:00am: Call to Worship: Peter Philip

Scripture: David McClain

Counters: Janette Blackstock & Dave Albin

Greeter 8:30am: Marty Bishop

Greeters 10:00am: Betty Lepus & Linda Bruce

Ushers: Team D: Tracy Brown, Fran Bartholomew, Jim & Laurie Fernandez



We want to thank Victor and Wendy Holomakoff for hosting the Brotherhood/Sisterhood picnic at their farm. What a wonderful day to see God's beauty!

This Week's BUMC

Calendar:

Sun. 10/06 8:30am & 10:00am Worship
 Sunday School
 UMW Soup Sale

North Campus Gaylordsville
 10:00am Worship

Mon. 10/07 Brotherhood & Sisterhood of Christ

Tues. 10/08 7:00pm Financial Peace University
 7:00pm UMW

Wed. 10/09 7:00 pm RECHARGE
 Speaker: Peter Eckert

Thurs. 10/10 2:00pm UMW Bible Study
 6:30pm Bells
 7:30pm C.S. Lewis Book Study
 7:30pm Choir

Fri. 10/11

Sat. 10/12 5:30pm Pasta Dinner

Sun. 10/13 8:30am & 10:00am Worship
 Sunday School

North Campus Gaylordsville
 10:00am Worship

Upcoming Events:

11/10 Charge Conference

SIGN UP TODAY FOR THE BAZAAR!!!!!!!!!!!!

To work, to bring, to do what you can.

The flowers on the altar are for sale after the service. They are \$7.00 or \$10.00 with the vase. Please see Alice. The proceeds this year will go toward outreach projects during the year.



VOLUNTEER **Volunteers needed for Pasta Dinner**
 Contact Dawn Johnston at 203-744-1361 about helping at the pasta dinner.

