

49th ANNUAL COUNTRY BAZAAR



ONLY 26 DAYS AWAY

Theme Baskets

The Theme Basket booth is a favorite of many who attend the Bazaar. At this booth you purchase tickets for \$1.00 each. There are many baskets with varying themes to choose from. There will be a bag attached to each basket where you put your ticket if you hope to win that basket. You must write your name and phone number on the ticket. You can put all your tickets in one bag or one ticket in each bag or however you want to do it! The winning ticket will be drawn at the end of the Bazaar. You do not need to be present to win. You will be called if you are not there and a time will be arranged for you to pick up your basket.



Theme baskets can be created by anyone. While we appreciate donations from local businesses, our goal is to have more members of the congregation participate by making their own unique basket. Here are a few ideas: Kids crafts, games, chocolate or food, garden, bird, toys, baby, or your favorite hobby or interest. Baskets should be dropped off Friday, November 16th before 3:00.

Simply choose a theme, collect the items, wrap up the basket and it's done. Gather your family, your kids, your friends, your church committee or go solo! Be creative and have fun.

Calico Crafts

The Calico Crafts Booth features non Christmas hand-made items. We have some great knitted/crocheted items already done by some church ladies. We can use any wooden items such as small plaques w/ sayings, things made with shells, items made from material such as aprons, tote bags, purses, wine bags, placemats. Other good selling items: greeting cards, handmade soap or bath salts, sets of place cards etc. Please price your donated items.



Holly Hearth Booth



Holly Hearth Booth is a Christmas themed booth. We have handmade Christmas items and decorations, along with some craft items that can be used as gifts. In addition, we have Santa's Bargain Basement featuring gently used Christmas items and decorations. Anything that you can donate either newly hand-crafted or for the Bargain Basement is welcome!!

The Bazaar Luncheon

Our talented kitchen crew prepares and serves a delicious lunch from 11:30am—2:30pm on Saturday. A lot of help is needed from setting up tables on Friday night to waiters to donations of food to defray the costs. The food list is downstairs in Mitchell Hall. Please sign up for what you can bring.

Luncheon



UPDATE:

In order for us not to duplicate, the following businesses have been approached and have given donations to date: My Place, Artistry of Hair, Molten Java, Peachwave, True Value, Silver Touch, Byrd's Books, Bagel Crossing, Bethel Photoworks, Bethel Cinema, O'Neil's, Ingersoll Auto of Danbury, Touch of Sedona, Whitlock's, Paul Morton Jewelers. Please let Mary Jane Strasser know of any donations you receive.

It takes all of us to make our Bazaar a success! Thank you. Chairperson of the Bazaar: Ann McLellan

All Saints' Day to be Observed

We will be observing All Saints' **Sunday on November 4th**. On that day we will be calling the roll of our saints who have passed away in the past year. Please give Cheryl the names of any of your loved ones who have gone on to glory in the past year if you would like them to be remembered at that service. Contact her at 203-743-6835 or bmethodistchurch@snet.net. There will also be a notebook in the back of the sanctuary.



Note from the Pastor: Please note that our time of Pastoral Prayer is a sacred moment where we share our joys and concerns. This is not a time to make any political themed statements or declare any personal views on matters that do not relate to God. We all know the sad state of our nation where people are so deeply divided. We do not want that negative spirit sneaking its way into our congregation.

Save the Date! Church Council Meeting with our DS, Monday November 19th @ 7:00pm at New Life Church in New Fairfield. We will be having a joint Charge Conference with 5 other churches this year. More info to follow.



Bethel

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

Prelude	Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing	(8:30am)	B. Mayo
	You've Got a Friend	(10:00am)	C. King
Introit	Humble Thyself	(10:00am)	B. Hudson

Call to Worship:

L: If you say, "The Lord is my refuge, no harm will overtake you

P: For he will command his angels concerning us to guard us in all our ways

L: "Because he loves me," says the Lord, "I will rescue him;

P: I will protect him, for he acknowledges my name.

L: He will call on me, and I will answer him;

P: He will deliver us and honor us.

All: With long life Our Lord will satisfy us and show us our salvation."

Hymns of Praise: #468 Dear Jesus, in Whose Life I See

#553 And Are We Yet Alive v. 1,2,6

Welcome & Announcements

Pastoral Prayer *a time to share our joys and concerns as a church family*

The Offertory	You've Got a Friend	(8:30am)	C. King
	Sing To The Lord D. Govenor	(10:00am)	Chancel Choir

94 Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow

Scripture Reading: Jeremiah 29: 4-17 (from the NIV Bible Translation)

* **Hymn of Preparation** #110 A Mighty Fortress Is Our God v. 1,2,4

* **Passing of Greetings & Peace**

Sermon: Voices **Bill Struth** Lay Speaker

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.

614 For The Bread Which You Have Broken

• **Hymn of Response** #378 Amazing Grace v. 1,2,3,6

Choral Benediction Go Forth For God J. Peacey (10:00am only) Chancel Choir

• **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



This week we want to recognize Ken Parks. Ken has only been attending for about a year but

has made such an impact on our church. His mechanical knowledge and heart for God is a blessing!

This Week's BUMC Calendar:

Sun.	10/21	South Campus Bethel 8:30am Worship 10:00am Family Worship North Campus Gaylordsville 10:00am Worship
Mon.	10/22	7:00pm Brotherhood in Christ 7:00pm Sisterhood in Christ
Tues.	10/23	2:30pm—5:30pm Food Pantry 7:00pm Financial Peace University 8:00pm Finance
Wed.	10/24	7:00pm Wednesday Night Recharge
Thurs.	10/25	6:30pm Bells 7:30pm Choir
Fri.	10/26	
Sat.	10/27	
Sun.	10/28	South Campus Bethel 8:30am & 10:00am Worship Sunday School North Campus & South Campus 10:00am Worship

Coming Events: Save the Date:
November 16th & 17th - Annual Country Bazaar
November 19th—Charge Conference



"Never lose an opportunity of seeing anything beautiful, for beauty is God's handwriting."
Ralph Waldo Emerson

Today's Team Ministry Members:

- Readers & Communion Steward 8:30am:** Peter Eckert
- Readers & Communion Stewards:** Family Worship
- Counters:** Linda Bruce & Betty Lepus
- Greeters 8:30am:** Peter Eckert
- Greeters 10:00am:** Family Worship
- Ushers:** Team F: Alan Brown & Family Worship
- Coffee Hosts:** Willa Philip

