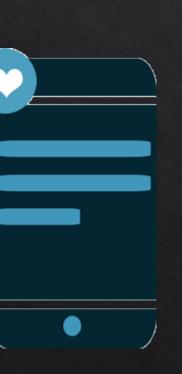
SATISFYING OUR REAL HUNGER JOHN 6:24-35

Welcome

We would like to welcome any Guests who are worshiping with us today. We are glad to have you! Please notice the bright green visitor cards in each pew. We encourage all Guests to fill out a card and place it in the offering plate so that we may know who visited with us. You may also use these cards to request information or to submit a prayer request.

How can you participate in Worship at Bethel?



The worship service at Bethel is being videoed for live broadcast on social media. You can watch the service from your smart phone, tablet, computer or laptop Facebook Live. The link to our Facebook page can be found on our website:

https://www.walterborobethelumc.org/



OUR PRAYERS:

Ellison Young, Hayes Harris, Joey McLaine, Allie Utsey, Devin Crosby, Vera Newington, Gertha Stackley, Bill Howell, Lad Howell, Ed Newington, Carrie Fender, Mike Fanchette, Bobbie McLaine, and Debra Smith.

Nursing Homes/Shut-Ins/Distant Members:

Jane Brown, Nina Crosby, Sarah Anne Dean, Lynn Harrison, Joy Lawson, Jeanine Price, Rusty Riddle, Kay Speaks, Miriam Westbury.

Military in Our Prayers

Cody Keeney, Caleb Blankenship, Elijah and Kaeleigh Forni, Matthew Mangum, Jordan Ray, and Tristan Ray

PRAYER LIST UPDATES: We need your help with updating our lists of those Bethel members, their families, and others in the Bethel extended church family who are in need of our prayers. If you know of someone who needs to be added to our prayer list or if some of those on our list, no longer wish to be, please let us know so we can update our list.





For the week of August 3 – August 9

August 3 – Kristen Murdaugh

August 4 – Alta Mae Marvin

August 6 – Chris Rowe

August 9 – Karan Ott

Tom Whitacre

August 6 - Seth & Kristy Harris

August 7 – Bill & Beth Boineau

Duncan & Cindy Hunt

August 9 – Leon & Bonnie Langley



Bobbie and I would like to thank all of our family, friends, and Church Family for the prayers, warm wishes, delicious food and kind thoughts during this time of my accident. Thank you to everyone. It really means so much. May God Bless you all.

Thank you, Joey.



Bethel United Methodist Men will meet Tuesday, August 12, at 6:00PM in the Fellowship Hall. This is an important meeting as the fate of the men's fellowship and the Taste of Bethel will be decided. Due to lack of support from the church's membership, it is hard to function with only 5 active participants. We have also been contacted by Coach Riley regarding our support of FCA dinners for the Colleton County High School varsity and junior varsity football teams along with the CPA football team. Will we support these youth in their quest for a closer relationship with God???

In order for the Men's Fellowship to continue serving our church and community, we need your support in both your presence and your willingness to serve. All men, to include youth, of the church are invited to join our **FEW GOOD MEN**. Please give your prayerful consideration to attending this upcoming meeting. It will include dinner, devotion, and a short business meeting along with good Christian fellowship.

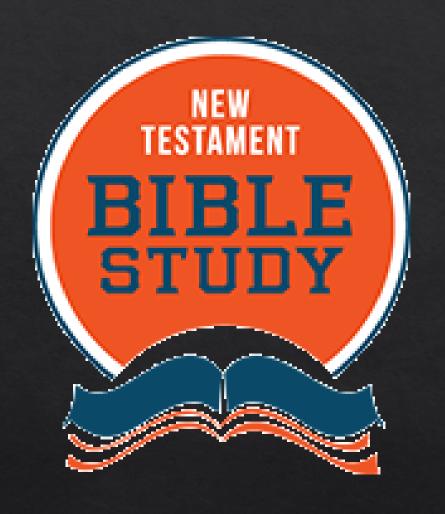
Praying that we will see you on the 12th of August.

Yours in Christ,

Mike K



Our Back to Bethel luncheon is Sunday, August 17 and will be our formal "welcome" to Pastor Shannon. The church will provide fried chicken and ham. Come and bring your favorite dish and join in wonderful fellowship.



New Bible Study Led by Pastor Shannon Begins September 3

Join us for an ongoing study of the New Testament, beginning with the Gospel of Mark. Two sessions are available to fit your schedule: Wednesdays at 10:30 AM and 6:00 PM. Come grow in faith and fellowship as we explore God's Word together. All are welcome!

Women' Bible Study

The Ladies Bible Study will start back on September 21 for 7 weeks. We are doing First Corinthians by Melissa Spoelstra. We started this one last fall but did not finish it, so some of you already have the book. If so, you do not need to pay. If you're joining us new, the cost of the book is \$20. Please sign up in the church office by the end of August.—Sharon



Help Make the 2025–2026 School Year Great!

Our Bethel Preschool is growing—and we need your help! As we celebrate the blessing of a new classroom, we're in need of a few items to help our little learners thrive. If you'd like to support our preschool, please consider donating any of the following:

· Play-Doh toys and rollers · Uncoated paper plates · Coffee filters · Glue sticks · Play kitchen food · Dress-up clothes · Baby dolls

Every donation, big or small, makes a difference. If you'd prefer to give a financial gift, monetary donations are also greatly appreciated and will go directly toward supporting our expanding program.

Thank you for helping us nurture and guide the next generation with love and joy!



If you are not currently receiving the newsletter and would like to, please email the church office or text/call Mary Wynn at 843-909-0941. You can opt to receive it via email or as a hard copy.

There are still spots available for sign up for 2025 altar flowers.





AED on Site at Bethel

Bethel now has an AED (Automated External Defibrillator). Several people have been trained to use the device. Another class will be held in January. If you are interested in the class, please let the office know. The AED and a first aid kit are located in the hallway behind the sanctuary near the fellowship hall.

Three Ways to Give



- **♦Online** at <u>www.walterborobethelumc.org</u>
- **♦ Text** "bethelwboro" to 73256

Mobile by using our QR code

You may call the church office for assistance with using these methods or setting up recurring gifts to auto-draft on a variety of frequencies.