

Church Calendar

Sunday, May 29

8:45 AM Worship Service
10:00 AM Sunday School
11:00 AM Worship Service
No Jr. UMYF or UMYF

Monday, May 30

Memorial Day holiday – church office closed

Tuesday, May 31

Wednesday, June 1

10:30 AM Pastor's Bible Study
6:00 PM Pastor's Bible Study
6:00 PM Choir

Thursday, June 2

Friday, June 3

Saturday, June 4

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THE REVEREND DR. SCOTT H. WACHTER, PASTOR

Guests Welcome	Members Expected
8:45 AM and 11:00 AM	May 29, 2022
Enter to Worship	Depart to Serve

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CHIMING OF THE HOLY TRINITY

*INTROIT “Christ We Do Adore Thee” by Dubois **(11:00)**

*BRINGING OF CHRIST’S LIGHT INTO WORSHIP **(11:00)**

*HYMN OF PRAISE “God of the Ages” **#698**

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Nicene Creed **#880**

*GLORIA PATRI “Glory Be to the Father” **#70**

CHILDREN’S MOMENTS

(The children are dismissed at this time for Children’s Church.) (11:00)

ANTHEM “America the Beautiful” by Bates and Ward

The anthem is dedicated to the military men and women from Bethel who lost their lives in service to our country.

PASTORAL PRAYER, SILENT PRAYER, AND THE LORD’S PRAYER
Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come; thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY “Songs of the Armed Forces” arr. Mary K. Sallee **(11:00)**

*DOXOLOGY **(8:45) #95**
(11:00) #94

*HYMN OF PREPARATION **“Breathe on Me, Breath of God” #420**

*GOSPEL LESSON **John 17:20-26**
Leader: The Word of God for the people of God.
Congregation: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON **“BEING PERFECT” Pastor Scott**

*HYMN OF INVITATION **“Jesus, Thine All-Victorious Love” #422**

*BENEDICTION

*CHORAL RESPONSE “God Be with You Till We Meet Again” by Tomen **(11:00)**

*POSTLUDE

God’s People Go Forth to Serve

*If Able, Please Stand

The beautiful flowers that grace our sanctuary are given to the glory of God and in honor of Lucille Culpepper on her 94th birthday, by her family.

Guests – 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.

A LOOK AT OUR FAITHFULNESS: As members of this congregation, we will faithfully participate in the ministry of the church by:

OUR PRAYERS Jane Bell, Steve Crosby, Terri Crosby, Eric Culpepper, Lucille Culpepper, Blair Deichman, Barbara Estes, Frankie Evans, Lynn Harrison, Eunice Howard, Linda Hudson, Skottowe Ilderton, Ted Kinard, Noah Lutz, Ed Newington, Tyler Pope, Beverly Ritter, James Skardon, Mark Stone, Henry Webber (Adkins), Carol Winn

Nursing Homes/Shut-Ins/Distant Members: Mary Lee Armentrout, Frances Beach, Travis Beeson, Jackie Bennett, Doris Bone, Carroll Brown, III, Jane Brown, Mary Esther Crook, Nina Crosby, Sarah Anne Dean, Joyce Gentry, Caroline Johnson, Joy Lawson, Millie Murray, Jeanine Price, Dorothy Reeves, Rusty Riddle, Miriam Westbury, Bill Wilson, Betty Sue Wilson.

Military Service: Christian Beasley, Caleb Blankenship, Elijah and Kaeleigh Forni, Matthew Mangum, Edward Phillips, Jordan Ray, Tristan Ray, Blake Rhodes, Erin P. Walters.

OUR PRESENCE: 05/22/2022

Church School: 22

8:45 AM: 23

11:00 AM: 104

OUR SERVICE AND WITNESS:

8:45 AM Worship Service

Audio/Video Technician

Sarah Lee White

11:00 AM Worship Service

Audio/Video Technician

John Thomas

Epworth Children’s Home it is not too late to give to the Epworth Mother’s Day Offering. Give by using the offering envelope provided in the pews, make checks to Bethel UMC and mark your offering envelope for “Epworth”. You may also give online with a designated gift.