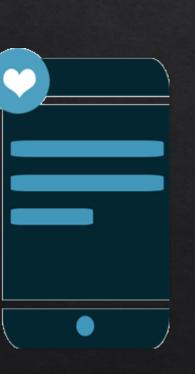


Welcome

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:

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

OUR PRAISES: Ellison Young

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 SERVICE

Cody Keeney, Elijah and Kaeleigh Forni, Matthew Mangum, Jordan Ray, 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.



Our Back to Bethel luncheon is immediately following the Worship Service today. Please join us for great food and fellowship as we officially welcome Pastor Shannon to Bethel!





For the week of August 10 – August 16

August 18th – Jeffrey Herndon

August 19th – Erin Johnston

August 20th – Sharon Courtney

Caroline Molinari

Marie Molinari

August 21st – Steve Crosby

August 22nd – Lisa Mitchell

August 23rd – Bill & Gail Howell



August 18th – Finance Committee 5:30PM

Trustees 6:30PM

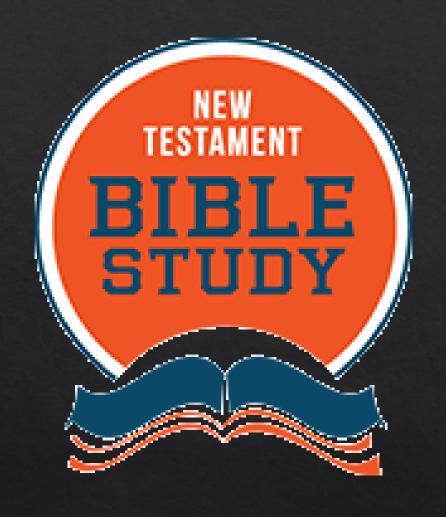
August 19th – Worship Committee 6:00PM

Staff Parrish Committee 6:30PM

August 25th – Church Council 6:00PM



Lay Servant classes will be held at Bethel August 23rd and 24th.



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!

Please sign up in the church office.

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!



Youth groups will begin meeting again Sunday, September 21st 5:30PM – 7:00PM



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.



The deadline for newsletter submissions is August 22nd.

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.