

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

(*) The asterisk is to indicate that those who are able are invited to stand.
As the prelude begins, please take your seat and center yourself for worship.
**There are large print hymnals available for those who need one.
Please ask an usher to bring you one.

Chiming of the Trinity

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude *Allegro Maestoso* Handel

WE PRAISE GOD

Call to Worship

Opening Prayer

*UMH #138 *The King of Love My Shepherd Is* DOMINUS REGIT ME

*Expression of Faith Psalm 36:5-10
Your steadfast love, O Lord, extends to the heavens,
Your faithfulness to the clouds.
**Your righteousness is like the mighty mountains,
your judgments are like the great deep;
O Lord, humans and animals you save!**
O God, how precious is your steadfast love!
All people may take refuge in the shadow of your wings.
**They feast on the abundance of your house,
and you give them drink from the river of your delights.**
For with you is the fountain of life;
in your light do we see light.
**O continue your steadfast love to those who know you,
and your salvation to the upright of heart!**

*Gloria Patri
*Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the
beginning, is now, and ever shall be. World without end. Amen. Amen.*

Children's Moment Janel Bell
As children return to their seats,
please sing the chorus of *Jesus Loves Me*.

*Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me!
Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.*

Bethel Ministers and Church Staff

J.B. Barnett, Custodian
Rev. Julie Belman, Senior Minister
Carol Burger, Preschool Director
Sheryl L. Jones, Administrative Assistant
Rev. Reggie Rowell, Minister of Congregational Care
Bill Webb, Organist / Choir Director



The Annual Flu Shot Clinic is Back!

Our friendly CVS pharmacist, Sarah Swittenberg, is coming back to Bethel on **Thursday, September 29th**, starting at 10:00 a.m. She'll provide the following vaccinations:

- Flu shot
- Flu shot – high dose shot for those 65 and up
- Pneumonia
- Shingles
- Tetanus
- TDAP (tetanus, diphtheria and pertussis)
- MMR (measles, mumps and rubella)
- Moderna first and second doses, and
- Moderna first and second boosters

The pharmacist takes most every kind of insurance. She will be checking everyone's temperature, and everyone will be required to wear a mask. The shots are available for anyone 12 years old and up.

If you are interested in getting a vaccination, please contact Sheryl in the church office to reserve your time slot. (office@bethelmethodistcolumbia.com; 803-787-3058).

Save Those Pop-Tops!

Can tabs will be collected for The Ronald McDonald house until October. Please give them to either Karen or Bonnie.

Donations for the VA

Veterans at the VA need magazines for men and large print books for men. Please leave them at the church office and let Sheryl know. Thanks for your continued support of our veterans. Dave Barnes

Serving the Congregation Today

Greeters: Charles Byrn and Tom Elliott
Altar Stewards: Kimberly Wilson, Karen Stewart, and Dave Barnes
Livestream: Travis Belman and Karen Furr
Acolyte: Micaela McDonald
Lay Leader: Sally Hafner

Special Prayers for Bethel Friends and Family (in alphabetical order)

In Hospitals, Assisted Living, Rehab:

Connie Fowke (NHC)
Bill and Sylvia Hulbert (Laurel Crest)
Mary Kirby (TerraBella Windsor Lake)
Frances May (Generations of Irmo)
Mary Ott (Atria)
Sarah Parker (Still Hopes)
Carmen Pool (Rice Estates)
Adelyn Price (Still Hopes)
Sandra Wayson (Rice Estates Rehab Center)
Roberta Yount (Atria)

At home: Eugene and Joyce Appleman, JB Barnett, Jack Bonnaville, Carolyn Bowers, Ann Christopher (Julie Narang's mother), Sara Derrick, Jo Dowdey, Margie Jackson, Ronald Jordan, Bill Lucas, Bonnie Lutz, Mac Marshall, Margaret Marshall, Rosa Nichols, Evelyn Seay (Gail Lucas' 17 mo. old granddaughter), Brenda Shealy, Sibyl Staples, Verlon Stone, Donna Swygert (Velma Neeley's daughter), Jean Tolbert

Out-of-Town: Brenda Biggin (Sarita Toma's friend), Irene Boyd, Josh Funderburk (Kathryn Emery's son), Wayne Hairfield (Debbie Carter's relative), Jake Lass (Debbie Carter's relative), Pat and Bethany Naser, Morgan Varn (Debbie Carter's relative)

The families of: Larry Cope, Betty Huneycutt, Claud Murphy, JoAnn Reiff, Helen Overstreet, Joyce Varn, Joey Turner, Harry Parker, Russ Pruett, David Hinze, Lucinda Miller, Fran Love and Ronald Gordon

Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me..." Matthew 19:14

We welcome all persons in worship and rejoice in the sounds of God's little blessings in our sanctuary! A room is available in the back of the sanctuary for crying babies, nursing or pumping mothers to use at any time.

Anthem *Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us* Hopson

Prayers of the People

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. Amen.

Offertory / Epworth Work Day Offering

Herzliebster Jesu Brahms

*Doxology *Praise God from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Scripture Luke 15:1-10
The Word of God for the people of God.
Thanks be to God!

Sermon *Lost and Found* Rev. Adrienne Fink

WE ARE SENT FORTH TO SERVE GOD IN THE WORLD

*TFWS #2171 *Make Me a Channel of Your Peace*

*Benediction

*Postlude *Let There Be Peace on Earth* Miller & Jackson

Church Office Hours

Monday-Thursday—9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Phone number—803-787-3058

Publication Submission Deadlines

The deadline for the *Bulletin* is 3:00 pm on the preceding Tuesday.
The deadline for the *Messenger* is 9:00 am on the 3rd Monday of month.
Please contact the church office as soon as possible to get your upcoming events on the calendar. Rooms are scheduled on a first-come basis.

Upcoming Events at Bethel

Sunday, September 11

09:45 Children, Youth, and Adult
Sunday School (EB)

11:00 Worship Service
(S / livestream on YouTube)

11:00 Worship Service,
Epworth Work Day Offering -
Guest Pastor Adrienne Fink
(S / livestream on YouTube)

Monday, September 19
06:30 Boy Scouts Court of Honor (S)
and (PAB)

Monday, September 12
10:00 Staff Meeting (CR)

Tuesday, September 20
07:00 Forest Acres Neighborhood
Association Meeting (S)

07:00 Scouts Board of Review PAB)

Wednesday, September 21
09:30 Preschool Chapel (S)

Wednesday, September 14
09:30 Preschool Chapel (S)

Thursday, September 22
06:00 SPRC Meeting (NJ)

Friday, September 16
04:00 Pick up Boston Butts (PAB)



Save the Date!
Fall Festival on
Sept. 24th

Saturday, September 17
09:00 Cosmetology Cont. Ed (EB)

10:30 Choir Rehearsal

Sunday, September 18
09:45 Children, Youth, and Adult
Sunday School (EB)

CR - Conference Room
EB - Education Building
PAB - Pool Activities Building
S - Sanctuary

Ways to Connect

Website: www.bethelmethodistcolumbia.com
Facebook: [bethelmethodistcolumbia](https://www.facebook.com/bethelmethodistcolumbia)
Youtube: [Bethel UMC Columbia](https://www.youtube.com/BethelUMCColumbia)
Instagram: [@wearebethelunited](https://www.instagram.com/wearebethelunited)
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KNOWING, LOVING, SERVING
...so the world will experience Christ's love!



Sunday, September 11, 2022
Fourteenth Week After Pentecost
The Color is Green.

Welcome!

*We are so glad you decided to join us for worship.
Our hope is that you will experience the love of Jesus Christ
while you are among us and join us in sharing God's Good
News with the world. If you do not have
a church home, we invite you to become part
of the Bethel Church family.*