

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 *Rejoice, the Lord Is King* arr. Lowe

WE PRAISE GOD

Call to Worship *Jesus, United by Thy Grace* ST. AGNES

Opening Prayer

*UMH #400 *Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing* NETTLETON

*Expression of Faith #884

We believe in the one God,
Creator and sustainer of all things, Father of all nations,
The source of all goodness and beauty, all truth and love.
We believe in Jesus Christ,
God manifest in the flesh,
Our teacher, example and Redeemer, the Savior of the world.
We believe in the Holy Spirit,
God present with us for guidance, for comfort, and for strength.
We believe in the forgiveness of sins,
In the life of love and prayer,
And in grace equal to every need.
We believe in the Word of God
Contained in the Old and New Testaments
As the sufficient rule both of faith and of practice.
We believe in the church,
Those who are united in the living Lord
For the purpose of worship and service.
We believe in the reign of God
As the divine will realized in human society,
And in the family of God,
Where we are all brothers and sisters.
We believe in the final triumph of righteousness
And in the life everlasting. Amen.

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

Preschool Fundraiser

The Baked Potato and Salad Supper was a success! We served 60 people and made \$540.00. Thank you to everyone who supported us!
Carol Burger

Altar Flowers

The altar flowers today are provided by Frank and Sally Hafner in love of Pastor Julie Belman and appreciation of all she does.



Bethel will host a Trunk or Treat on Sunday, October 30th, 5:00-7:00 p.m. in the back packing lot. Pastor Reggie will be providing hot dogs and the Boy Scouts will be making yummy smores on their fire pit.

Please contact Pastor Julie (jdsonger@umcsc.org) or Martie Walker (mdtwalker@yahoo.com) if you are interested in participating. Also, if you would like to donate some individually wrapped candy for this event, please drop it off in the basket on the bench outside the church office.

Save the Date - All Saints Sunday

All Saints Sunday will be held on Sunday, November 6th at 11 a.m. We will celebrate the saints in our church who have gone on to eternal life.

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: Bella Moore

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

In Hospitals, Assisted Living, Rehab:

Carolyn Bowers (Encompass)
Nancy Burkhalter (Atria)
Connie Fowke (NHC)
Bill and Sylvia Hulbert (Laurel Crest)
Mary Kirby (TerraBella Windsor Lake)
Mac Marshall (Prisma Richland)
Frances May (Generations of Irmo)
Mary Ott (Pruitt Ridgeway)
Sarah Parker (Still Hopes)
Carmen Pool (Rice Estates)
Adelyn Price (Still Hopes)
Sandra Wayson (TerraBella Windsor Lake)
Roberta Yount (Atria)

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

Out-of-Town: 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), Joshua Furr (Karen Furr's son, deployed to Syria)

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.

***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

Debbie Carter

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.*

Anthem

What a Friend!

Price / Besig

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

His Eye Is on the Sparrow

Gabriel

***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

1 Peter 4:8-11

The Word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God!

Sermon

Be The Church, week 3: Be Helpful

Rev. Julie Belman

WE ARE SENT FORTH TO SERVE GOD IN THE WORLD

***UMH #560**

Help Us Accept Each Other

AURELIA

***Benediction**

***Postlude**

Sent Forth by God’s Blessing

THE ASH GROVE

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, October 23

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

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

Monday, October 24

10:00 Staff Meeting (CR)

Wednesday, October 26

09:30 Preschool Chapel

Saturday, October 29

10:30 Choir Rehearsal (CR)

01:00 Baby Shower for friend of JB
Barnett’s daughter (PAB)

Sunday, October 30

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

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

05:00 Trunk or Treat (BPL)

Wednesday, November 2

09:30 Preschool Chapel

Thursday, November 3

10:30 UMW Executive Committee
Meeting (CR)

Saturday, November 5

10:30 Choir Rehearsal (CR)

**Sunday, November 6 - All Saints
Sunday - Daylight Saving Time Ends**

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

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

02:00 Nominations Committee
Meeting (PAB)

Tuesday, November 8

Preschool Student Holiday / Election
Day

Wednesday, November 9

09:30 Preschool Chapel

Saturday, November 12

10:30 Choir Rehearsal (CR)

CR - Conference Room
EB - Education Building
PAB - Pool Activities Building
S - Sanctuary
BPL - Back Parking Lot

Ways to Connect

Website: www.bethelmethodistcolumbia.com

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Youtube: [Bethel UMC Columbia](https://www.youtube.com/BethelUMCColumbia)

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KNOWING, LOVING, SERVING
...so the world will experience Christ’s love!



Sunday, October 23, 2022
Twentieth 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.*