



Bethany United Methodist Church
The Church with Open Hearts, Minds, and Doors
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BETHANY
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

July 17, 2022
10:00 a.m.

6TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

WELCOME, GUESTS! We're glad you are worshiping with us today!
CELL PHONES: Please remember to silence your cell phone before the service begins. Thank you.
HEARING DEVICES: Need to hear the service better? See one of our ushers for a hearing device.
**Please stand as you are able. And it's okay to sit.*

— As the music begins, please quiet your hearts in preparation for worship. —

Intrada *If Thou But Suffer God to Guide Thee* UMH No. 142

Welcome and Announcements, Sharing Joys, Concerns and Updates Judy Burner, Lay Leader

***Call to Worship** Kevin Kiley

Leader: Prophets, what do you see?
People: We see the many ways we distract ourselves.
Leader: What else do you see?
People: We see the good and the bad fruits we have produced.
Leader: What do you see today?
People: We witness and worship God today, grateful for love and forgiveness.
AMEN.

***Hymn** *Amazing Grace* UMH No. 378
***Affirmation of Faith** The Apostles' Creed, Ecumenical Version UMH No. 882

Opening Prayer Kevin Kiley

Creator God,
Today, we think of your creation. We think of the ground beneath us, the air surrounding us, the water that flows through us. We are in awe of the way a seed can grow into nourishment for our bodies, the way life comes forth from what seems so small. Draw our attention to your creation, so that we might praise you for your incredible gifts! Amen.

Anthem *Come and Find the Quiet Center* Shirley Erena Murray
Dolores Breen, soloist

Children's Church Kris Kent
(Children 4 yrs. old through 3rd grade are dismissed as congregation sings "Jesus Loves Me.")

Concerns and Prayer of Intercession, Petition "Lord, hear our prayer." Rev. Hugh Harris

VOLUNTEERS SERVING TODAY

Acolyte:	Christian Martin
Media:	Jeremy Nardozi, Beth Cook, Susannah Hogge, Cathy Raines, Kirk Bell
Altar Guild this month:	Peggy Lewis, Laura Glaze, Laura Vaughan
Liturgist:	Kevin Kiley
Trustee Contact this week:	Diana Simmons
Ushers:	Milton Hudgins, Jon Kent
Greeters:	Jane Sterling, David Ayers
Counting Team:	Charlotte Cecil, Betty Durette, Clair Hillard

STEWARDSHIP	Last Sunday
General Fund (\$25 M. Lewis memorial)	4927.00
Capital Improvement Fund	250.00
Pastor's Discretionary Fund	5.00
Youth	50.00
Music Camp	100.00
ATTENDANCE	
In-person Worship	87
Online Worship (Facebook/YouTube/Drive-In)	39
Total in Worship	126

UPCOMING COUNTING TEAMS	
7/24	Team 1: Mary Kaylor, Ann Byrd, Pat Hasty
7/31	Team 2: Bernard Robins, Fred Niethamer, Sandra Harvey
8/7	Team 3: Al Burner, Judy Burner, Donna Andersen
8/14	Team 4: Doris Luther, Debbie Robins, Susan Rollins

BUMC STAFF DIRECTORY

Rev. Moonsup "Paul" Song, Pastor	call/text 703.625.8025, office: 804.642.2110 email: pastor@bethanyumc-gp.org	Tues.-Fri., 8-4 For pastoral emergencies, call/text cell
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Dr. Rudy Shackelford, Organist	home 804.642.5938, cell 804.413.0211	By appt.
Kris Kent, Director of Children & Youth Ministries	office 804.642-2110, cell 804.815.4246 email: youth@bethanyumc-gp.org	Office hours: Tues.-Thurs., 9-1

The Lord’s Prayer		UMH No. 895
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.		
Meditation	Consolation No. 3 Transcribed for organ by Rudy Shackelford	Franz Liszt (1811-1886)
“Consolation is not what you need. Weep and be not consoled, but weep...and your bitter tears will be only tears of tender sorrow that purifies the heart.” --Fyodor Dostoyesvsky, <i>The Brothers Karamazov</i>		
Offertory Music	Trumpet Tune in D Major Theme music for “With Heart and Voice,” a program of sacred choral and organ music broadcast every Sunday at noon on WHRO-fm (90.3)	David N. Johnson (1922-1987)
*Doxology		UMH No. 95
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.		
Prayer of Illumination		Kevin Kiley
Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of the Holy Spirit, that, as the Scriptures are read and your Word proclaimed, we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen.		
Old Testament Reading	Exodus 4:1-17	Kevin Kiley
*Gospel Reading	Luke 9:10-17	
The Word of God for the people of God. Thanks be to God.		
Sermon	“You Already Have Everything You Need”	Rev. Hugh Harris
*Hymn	Trust and Obey	UMH No. 467
*Benediction		Rev. Hugh Harris
*Closing Chorus	Shalom to You Shalom to you now, shalom, my friends. May God’s full mercies bless you, my friends. In all your living and through your loving, Christ be your shalom, Christ be your shalom.	UMH No. 666
Exodus	The Day Thou Gavest, Lord, Is Ended	UMH No. 690

Bethany UMC Prayer List		BETHANY FAMILY	7.17.22
CANCER/CHEMO: Darlene Bauschatz, Krista Chase, Carol Johnson, Linwood Rowe, Bob Wharen			
GRIEVING: Families of Marshall Lewis, Matt Shackelford, Isabella Wheat			
HEALTH ISSUES: Cliff Beach, Charlotte Cecil, David Chapin, Bessie Conner, Billy Davis, Jimmy Greene, Sandra Hollins, Bonnie Lewis, Sue Morecock, Peggy Peterman (NC), Debbie Robins, Rosemarie Tong, Sandie Wharen			
HOMEBOUND: Linda Booth, Sid Dixon, Alice McGee, Jack Wallace			
PARKINSON’S: Mike Andersen, Chuck Ashe, Doris Courtney, Kathleen Greene, Fred Townsend, Yvonne White			
RECOVERING FROM SURGERY: Darlene Bauschatz, Jeannie Harrell, Joy Long, Jeannie Meisner, Jim Stevens			
RECUPERATING AT HOME: Judy Vaughan, Ruth Wallace			
BETHANY FRIENDS			
CANCER/CHEMO: Kyle Cooper, Barbara Crim, Wanda Dowell, Roger Ferguson, Jackie Gibbs, Traci Greene, Zachary Hoover, Jeff Leiffer, Sissi Mise, John Rhoades, Randy Riffe, Angie Williams (NY), Susan Williams, Sabrina Wikle			
GRIEVING: Families of Mike Harrison, Naomi Hogge			
HEALTH/OTHER ISSUES: Charles & Mary Black, Connie Bowler, Cathie Brown, Esther Dawson, Herbert Paul Edwards (FL), Dewayne Haywood, Matt Iddings (PA), Mathew Reviere, Tim Sullivan, Mildred Townsend, Tene West, Betty Wilson			
HOSPICE: William Ervi			
PARKINSON’S: Janet Burch (KY)			
RECOVERING FROM SURGERY: Juanita Duncan, Boone Kohen, Sue McCloy (WV), Dottie Myers (PA), Sandy Taylor, Larry Wilkinson			
PRAYERS: Randy Wilson, Kwame & Juliet Annorbah-Sarpei, Alli Razzaghi, Kasie Hall			
BUMC’S ACTIVE MILITARY AND THEIR FAMILIES (<i>italics—Bethany friends</i>)			
Michael Brown, Peter Demetriades, Meagan Demetriades, Kevin Jacobs, Cory Long (Okinawa), Will Neikirk, Bowdy Schrader, Jim Minor, all members of the military.			
ASSISTED LIVING (<i>italics-Bethany friends</i>)			
Gloucester House, 7657 Meredith Dr., Gloucester 23061		Lorraine Brown, Rm 107 Doris Courtney, Rm 105 Jean Heywood, Rm 110 Bessie Conner, Rm 113	
Sanders Assisted Living, 7407 Walker Ave., Gloucester 23061		Carolyn Scott, Rm 206A	
Sunrise Senior Living, 2015 Cranbeck Rd., Richmond 23235		Pauline Harris, Apt. 130	
Riverside Rehab, 672 Gloucester Rd., Saluda, VA, 23149		Jennie Lipscomb	
Heron Cove, 7409 Heron Cove Way, Gloucester 23061		Ellis Hall, Rm 20 Bonnie Lewis, Rm 13	

Christian love and sympathy are extended to the family of **Marshall Lewis**, who passed away on July 6. Please continue to remember Bonnie and their family in your prayers.

Please contact the church office (804-642-2110, admin@bethanyumc-gp.org) with your prayer updates or requests. We are happy to pray for you & appreciate your help updating our list.

NEEDED FOR BETHANY BAZAAR -- Canning jars, any size, are needed for our bazaar. Jars may be dropped off in the church office or kitchen – we’ll know what they’re for!

Please note: The Bazaar Workshop scheduled for July 21 has been canceled due to Music Camp. Come join us on July 28 from 9 a.m. til noon as enjoy a great time of fellowship and crafting.

135 Years of Bethany History

Did you know that between 1978 and 1980, Bethany embarked on an \$85,000 remodeling plan? The project included an enlarged chancel and sanctuary, narthex, pews, sconces, carpet, bell tower and steeple, aluminum siding, storm windows, enlarged front steps, and the blacktopping of parking lots and the entrance road. At the time, little did we know that Bethany would enjoy the completed renovations for only two years before tragedy would strike.

Reminder: Please give names and addresses of those you would like invited to our 135th anniversary celebration on 9/18/22 to either Judy Burner or Don Thomas, or place them in the HISTORIAN mail box outside the church office, as well as photographs of deceased members since our last anniversary (9/24/2017) for the memory book.

Thank you to those who helped with the Marshall Lewis funeral. We appreciate those who helped set up for the reception, the foods donated, and those who stayed to help with clean-up.
-- Hospitality Committee

Many thanks to my Bethany family for all the good wishes & prayers while I recovered from my fall. And special thanks to Dee Dee for sending the weekly bulletin and encouraging words.
-- Ruth Wallace

CONGREGATIONAL NEEDS -- Can you help?

Carol Johnson is looking for part-time work as a hospital, nursing home, or hospice chaplain. She is open to other part-time employment as well. If you know of a position that might be a fit, please contact Carol directly at 804-695-7726. Carol has 20 years’ experience as a chaplain, a great love for God and people, and the desire to make a difference in the lives of others.

Kathleen Greene is seeking transportation on Sunday mornings to attend worship, as well as the week of July 18-22, so she can serve as a Music Camp volunteer. We are trying to help her identify a pool of individuals who can help meet this need. Kathleen lives at 3978 Aberdeen Creek Rd., Gloucester (near Rosewell). If you can help, please contact Kathleen at 804-693-2557 for more information and to arrange transportation. Thank you.

We are blessed to have former Bethany pastor, Rev. Hugh Harris, as our guest preacher today. Thank you, Rev. Harris, for leading our service while Pastor Paul is away.

Hugh Harris served as pastor at Bethany Church from June, 1972 to June, 1975. In 1999 he retired from Ramsey Memorial UMC in Richmond. During retirement he has served three short-term interim pastorates, plus a five-year appointment to Willis UMC in Eastern Henrico County. He has also worked on various church staffs in the Richmond area.

A life-long artist, Hugh has continued to pursue this passion in retirement, currently having a gallery wall at Crossroads Art Center in Richmond. In addition, he has published several books, including three novels in his Dinkel Island Series. In 2013 he and his late wife, Sharon, published a book, “NPH: Journey into Dementia and Out Again,” about their experience with a debilitating cognitive condition.

Sharon died on September 4, 2021, after a ten-year struggle with various health issues. Hugh and Nancy Cunningham met in a widow/widowers Hospice support group and were married in January of this year. They live in retired clergy housing in North Chesterfield.

ALTAR FLOWERS

The flowers are given today by Nancy & J.J. (Robert) Orth in honor of Dee Dee Wike, Bethany’s Church Office Administrator, for her efficient and professional service to Bethany – which she performs with a smile – Thanks, Dee Dee!

THIS WEEK AT BETHANY		
Monday, July 18 thru Friday, July 22	9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.	Music Camp <i>Pray for all involved this week – students, teachers, leaders, and volunteers. Thanks for your support!</i>
Tuesday, July 19	7:00 p.m.	Administrative Council
Thursday, July 21	6:00-8:00 p.m.	Summer Scriptures and Fun (Offsite—see below)*

*We would like to hold our weekly “**Summer Scriptures and Fun**” on Thursday, July 21st from 6-8pm, yet due to the Music Camp, it should be held at another location other than the church. If you would like to host the event this week, please let me know! We generally have about 6 youth in attendance. Please contact me at 804-815-4246. Thank you! ~Ms. Kris



ALL ABOOAARRDD!! Registration is underway for Rocky Railway VBS August 7-11 from 5:30-8:00 p.m.

VBS is open to 4-year-olds through rising 5th graders. Register online at <https://vbspro.events/p/084703>, or pick up a registration brochure at church.