

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Submissions for the May issue of *Bethany Banner* are due now.** Please send your information to the church office no later than Tuesday.

**GNMCS Committee** will meet this **Wednesday (4/19) at 6:00 p.m.** in the Mary Lotsey classroom.

**HOUSE OF PRAYER** will meet this **Thursday at 6:30 p.m.** as scheduled.

**Bethany Bible Study** will **NOT** meet this week, since **Pastor Paul** will be away.

**Abingdon Woman's Club** will have a **Yard Sale** this **Saturday (4/22) from 7:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.** in the Warren Belvin Fellowship Hall. Come check it out – you are bound to find a treasure or two!

**United Methodist Men** will meet at Nick's Spaghetti & Steakhouse on **Tuesday, April 25 at 6:30 p.m.** All men are welcome!

**Homebound Ministries** will meet on **Thursday, April 27 at 9:30 a.m.** to cook and deliver meals to our shut-ins. Cooks and drivers are needed. Come join us – you will be blessed!

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR



**THANK YOU** for the prayers, cards, calls and food during my surgery and recovery and during the loss of Grady's brother. You have welcomed us into the Bethany family and made us feel a part of your wonderful and caring congregation. We are thankful we walked into your doors!  
— *Gwen and Grady Wesson*

**Upsy Daisy - VOLUNTEERS NEEDED** - Can you help? The store hours are Tuesday through Saturday from 10 am to 4 pm. Shifts can be 10 am to 1 pm or 1 pm to 4 pm OR any time you can give to help out. **Training is provided.** Thanks in advance for your help! Call 757-940-3261 or email [Cathy@upsydaisy.org](mailto:Cathy@upsydaisy.org).

THIS WEEK AT BETHANY		
<b>TODAY</b>	8:30 & 11:00 a.m.	Worship (8:30 Informal, 11:00 Traditional)
	9:30 a.m.	Celebrations and Fellowship (WBFH)
	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School & Confirmation Class
<b>Tuesday, April 18</b>	8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	River Country Quilters (WBFH)
	6:00 p.m.	York River Villas (Lacey Martin)
<b>Wednesday, April 19</b>	6:00 p.m.	GNMCS Committee (Mary Lotsey)
	7:00 p.m.	Chancel Choir (Sanctuary)
<b>Thursday, April 20</b>	10:00 a.m.	Music Camp Committee (WBFH)
	10:30 a.m.	Naomi Circle (Mary Lotsey)
	5:00 p.m.	Media Upgrade Team (Mary Lotsey)
	6:30 p.m.	House of Prayer (Sanctuary)
<b>Friday, April 21</b>	1:00 p.m.	WBFH Reserved for Abingdon Woman's Club
<b>Saturday, April 22</b>	7:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.	Abingdon Woman's Club Yard Sale (WBFH)

**Pastor Paul and Kim** are away enjoying a well-deserved time of rest and relaxation with their family. Pastor Paul will be back in the office on Tuesday, April 25.

Thanks to Doe Breen for leading our services and sharing God's message today.

Pastor Art Wolz will handle any pastoral emergencies while Pastor Paul is away. Pastor Art can be reached at 804-824-4978.

## CELEBRATIONS THIS WEEK

### Birthdays:

4/16 Robert Blackwell  
4/18 Rudy Shackelford  
4/19 Crystal Thompson  
4/20 Jon Kent

### Anniversaries:

4/20 K.D. & Kelly Cooper (27)

**NURSERY is available for infants to 3-year-olds during the Sunday school hour and 11:00 service.**

The nursery is located in the main hallway between the office and fellowship hall.

**Nursery volunteers are needed. WILL YOU HELP?** Sign-up sheet is outside the nursery.