

Bethel United Methodist Church

Updates and Announcements

Thank you for worshipping with us at Bethel United Methodist Church!
We are delighted you have chosen to worship with us this morning.

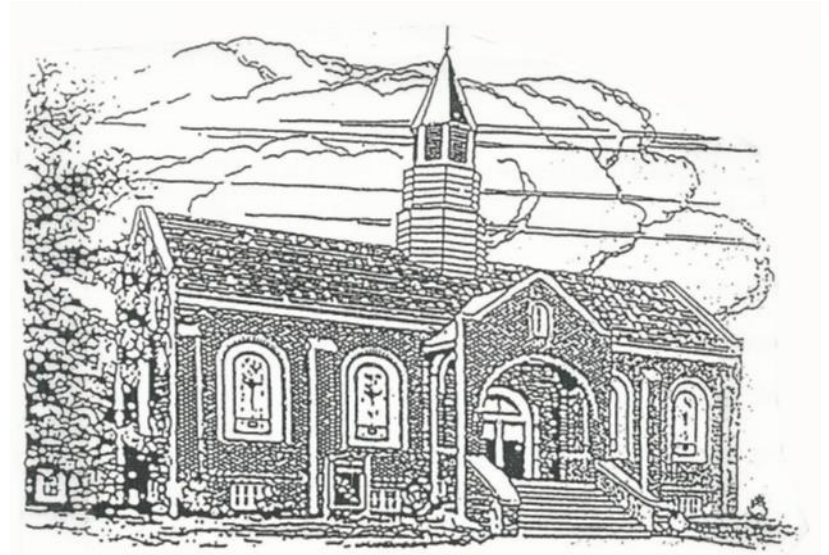
This Week

- Wednesday – Ash Wednesday service at 7:00 pm
- Thursday – Soup Kitchen 11:00 am – 1:00 pm

Upcoming

- February 9 – BLT will meet at The Flipside Restaurant at 11:30 a.m.
- March 6 - Book Study - "The Lord's Prayer" at 9:45 a.m. Books are available in the vestibule. Books are \$12.99, if you are able to help with the cost of the books please make a donation as a part of your offering. The church has purchased the books.

	February 27	March 6	March 13
Lay Liturgist	Becky Drawdy	Richard Murr	Margaret McCarter
Counters:	Brantly McNinch	Elizabeth McNeely	Brian Drawdy
	Becky Drawdy	Ruth Culp	Olivia Taylor
Children's Sermon	Olivia Taylor	Ruth Culp	Melissa Buddin
Ushers:	Olivia Taylor	Richard Bickel	Cameron Pike
	Chloe McNinch	Daryl Dornbush	Olivia Taylor



GIVING AND ATTENDANCE : FEBRUARY 20, 2022

Plate - Budget Received \$ 1,295.15

In Person Attendance - 40

Scan QR code to give electronically.



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ORDER OF WORSHIP

February 27, 2022

GATHERING

WORDS OF WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

L: We come together today in awe and wonder before the God we worship.

P: We also come burdened down with the worries of the world and the struggles of our individual lives.

L: But in the midst of the worries and the struggles is God, our radiant source of love and hope.

P: We worship together today in awe and wonder to worship the God who transforms our lives.

The Abingdon Women's Preaching Annual, Series 2, Year C, compiled and edited by Leonora Tubbs Tisdale, (Abingdon, 2000), 52-53.

OPENING PRAYER

O God, the Ruler of all the universe, we approach your throne with awe as we consider your majesty. You, the mighty sovereign of all the world, have established justice and righteousness. We worship at your footstool and praise your great and awesome Name. Guide us in our worship this day. In the name of our Almighty God we pray.

Adaptation of prayer written by Timothy J. Crouch, OSL, Nancy B. Parks, OSL, Chris E. Visminas, Mark R. Babb, OSL, And Also With You: Worship Resources Based on the Revised Common Lectionary Year C, (OSL Publications, 1994), 41.

*OPENING HYMN *Be Thou My Vision* UMH# 451

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

**I believe in God the Father Almighty, Creator of Heaven and Earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, His only son, our Lord,
Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
Born of the Virgin Mary,
Suffered under Pontius Pilate,
Was crucified, died and was buried;
He descended to the dead.
On the third day, He rose again; He ascended into Heaven.
Is seated at the right hand of the Father,
And will come again to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy catholic church,
The communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the
Resurrection of the body, and of life everlasting. AMEN.**

RESPONSE: *Gloria Patri*

PROCLAMATION

HYMN *This is Where Children Belong* TFW'S# 2233

CHILDREN'S TIME Olivia Taylor

SCRIPTURE *Psalm 99* Becky Drawdy

SPECIAL MUSIC *Great Is Thy Faithfulness* Chris Wade

SCRIPTURE *Luke 9:28-43a* Rev. Emily Sutton

SERMON *Transfiguration* Rev. Emily Sutton

RESPONSE

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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, for ever and ever. Amen.**

OFFERING

*DOXOLOGY

SENDING FORTH

*CLOSING HYMN *Praise to the Lord the Almighty* UMH# 139

*BENEDICTION

**Please stand as you are able.*