

Updates and Announcements

Thank you for worshipping with us at Bethel United Methodist Church! Our worship service is broadcast via live stream on our Facebook page.

Please sign and pass the attendance pads located at the end of your pew. If you are a guest today, please leave your contact information so we can extend a fuller welcome! If you have a prayer request, please place a prayer card in the offering plate or contact the church office. Prayer requests will remain on the weekly emailed prayer list for 3 weeks. If you want to subscribe to the Bethel UMC Weekly Emails, please contact the church office at bethelrockhill@gmail.com or 803.327.4881.

This Week

- **Today** – Children’s Sunday School at 10:15 am.
- **Today** – “Making Sense of the Bible” - 10:00 am in the Upper Room.
- **Today** – Yoga at Wesley at 2 pm.
- **Wednesday** – Church Council meeting at 6:30 pm in the Upper Room.
- **Wednesday** – AA Meeting in the church library from 7-8:00 pm.

Upcoming

- **11/2** – Tri-District gathering with Bishop Fairley at 10:00 am at Trinity UMC Blythewood. Online registration is required to attend.
- **11/3** – All Saints Sunday – We want to remember the church saints and your family members. Please bring in a framed photo by Thursday 10/31 if you would like a family or friends’ picture to be placed on the altar.
- **11/3** – Charge Conference Meeting at 1:30 p.m. – Sanctuary.
- **11/10** – Laity Sunday – If you would like to participate in our lay led worship service, please contact Rev. Sutton.
- **11/13** – BLT at 11:30 am at Eggs Up Grill located on 2732 Celanese Road.

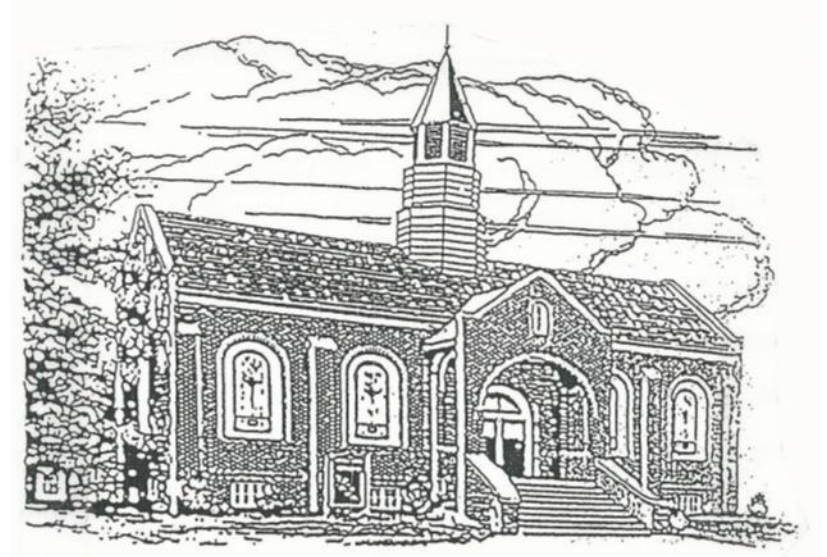
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| | 10/27/24 | 11/3/24 | 11/10/24 |
| Liturgist | Gabrial Wade | TBD | Angie Price |
| Children's Time | Will Shelton | Michaela Sanford | Jaye Grayson |
| Nursery | Marc Sutton | Cindy Day | Allyson Reid |
| Counter | Margaret McCarter | Tim Smith | Margaret McCarter |
| Counter | Debbie Harris | Sherl Drawdy | Cindy Day |
| Usher | Isabella Sutton | Margaret McCarter | Marc Sutton |
| Usher | Donna Hatfield | Sherl Drawdy | Bud Smith |
| Communion | N/A | Cynthia Bickel | N/A |

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| | Month of | September |
| | September 2024 | Year-to-date |
| Tithes and Offerings | \$10,369.75 | \$80,263.29 |
| Expenses | <u>(8,439.51)</u> | <u>(103,655.57)</u> |
| | <u>\$1,930.24</u> | <u>(\$23,392.28)</u> |

October 20
In-person Attendance 38
Plate Budget Received \$885.00
Scan the QR code to give electronically.



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October 27, 2024

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| Pianist | Dena Wade |
| Administrative Assistant | Becky Moon |
| Music Leader | Chris Wade |
| Pastor | Emily Sutton |

ORDER OF WORSHIP

October 27, 2024

GATHERING

WORDS OF WELCOME

RE-ORIENTATION

CALL TO WORSHIP

**Christ has broken down the wall.
Christ has broken down the wall.
Let us join our hearts as one,
Christ has broken down the wall**

Interlude with an opening prayer.

**We're accepted as we are.
We're accepted as we are.
Through God's power, all is reconciled;
we're accepted as we are.**

**Cast aside your doubts and fears.
Cast aside your doubts and fears.
Peace and love freely offered here;
cast aside your doubts and fears.**

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you.
People: **And also with you.**

*OPENING HYMN

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

UMH #384

*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

UMH #70

PROCLAMATION

HYMN

Where Children Belong

TFWS# 2233

CHILDREN'S TIME

Will Shelton

SCRIPTURE

Matthew 22:34-40

Rev. Emily Sutton

L: The Word of God for the people of God.

P: Thanks, Be to God.

SPECIAL MUSIC

Gift of Love

Chris Wade

MESSAGE

Malice Toward None: Love

Rev. Emily Sutton

RESPONSE

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

L: Lord in your mercy,

P: *Hear our prayers.*

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 and ever. Amen.**

OFFERING

*DOXOLOGY

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

UMH# 95

SENDING FORTH

*CLOSING HYMN

They'll Know We are Christians by Our Love

TFWS# 2223

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

**Please stand as you are able*