

## 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 & center yourself for worship.

\*\*There are large print hymnals available for those who need one.  
Please ask an usher to bring you one.

### Welcome, Announcements, and Celebrations

#### \*Moment of Fellowship

#### Chiming of the Hour

**Prelude** *Let Us Be Glad and Rejoice!* Bechler

## WE PRAISE GOD

**\*Call to Worship** *They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love*

*We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord,  
We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord,  
And we pray that all unity may one day be restored.  
And they'll know we are Christians by our love, by our love;  
Yes, they'll know we are Christians by our love.*

Roy Canty

#### Lenten Moment

**\*UMH #92** *For the Beauty of the Earth*

#### \*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.**

#### \*Gloria Patri #70

*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.*

**Offertory** *Communion* Matthews

### Ministers: Bethel Congregation Members and our Church Staff

J.B. Barnett, Custodian

Jason Barrs, Director of Family Ministries & Contemporary Worship

Rev. Julie Belman, Minister

Carol Burger, Preschool Director

Sylvia Hulbert, Director of Handbell Choir

Marian Scullion, Director of Music Ministries

Bill Webb, Organist

Elizabeth Yarbrough, Administrative Assistant

I delivered two boxes and a bag full of puzzles to Dorn VA Medical Center. The veterans are grateful for the donation from Linda Howell. Thank you! -Dave Barnes

### Easter EGGstravaganza Candy Donations Needed!

Our Easter EGGstravaganza will be on Saturday, April 20th from 11:00-1:00. We will have inflatables, games, and an egg hunt! We are currently in need of individually wrapped candy for the egg hunt. Some examples include Starburst, Tootsie Rolls, Double Bubble gum, and Smarties Please consider donating a bag or two. *No chocolate please!* There will be donation baskets in the church office, PAB, Education Building, and the Narthex. Thank you! Contact Jason if you have any questions!



### United Methodist Men Club—Boston Butt Fundraiser



UMM is excited to announce its Boston Butts fundraiser is set for pick-up on Saturday, April 13th from 10:00-12:00! Tickets may be purchased from Men's Club members for \$30. All ticket purchases must be made in advance by April 7th (**TODAY**) in order for the club to make its order.

### Memorial Garden Plots are Available

Our Memorial Garden (phase 2) plots are available for purchase. You can choose from a single plot to a multi-family area. The total cost per plot is \$1,000 (single and/or family). The cost includes the vault, urn and granite marker. Please see Chuck Ward, Memorial Garden chairperson or contract him at 803-315-7904.

### Easter Drive Thru Drama—April 12-13 from 7:00-8:30

There will be a reenactment of the last week of Jesus's life, "The Week That Changed The Whole World", on April 12th & 13th at Rehoboth. If you would like to volunteer to be a part of a this Easter community event, please contact Jason.

## Serving the Congregation Today

**Greeters:** Anne & John Mathis, Iva Dell Griffin

**Sound System Operator:** Jack Bonnaville

**Acolyte:** Emily Rose Walker/Hannah Curran

**Ushers:** Tom Elliott, Furman Porter, Jim Wilson, Lee Wilson

**Offering Counters:** Sharon Bonnaville & Sue Ward

**Sanctuary Lock Up :** Fred & Kate Brown

**Sanctuary Preparation:** Mike Ward & Chuck Ward

### Memory Verse for April 7, 2019

*"Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice!"* Philippians 4:4

**The flowers on the altar are given in honor of our faithful members, Bill & Anne Hynds, by their Bethel church family.**



### Calling all BUMS—Thursday, April 18th

The BUMS will be going on a guided tour of the Carolina Pride Pastures. This is an Alpaca farm. The fee is \$5.00. Please meet in the PAB parking lot at 10:15 to leave at 10:30. We will have lunch at The Grille on Main in Newberry prior to arriving at the farm for our 1:00 tour. Please let Mary Ott (787-3103, [ott@sc.rr.com](mailto:ott@sc.rr.com)) or Brenda Harper 603-5932, [lembrenda@yahoo.com](mailto:lembrenda@yahoo.com) if you plan to attend.

## BETHEL AND YOUTH NEWS

### No Youth Today!

### Fireflies Baseball Game Outing—May 3rd

The cost is \$15 and includes a \$5 voucher for food. We would like for at least 20 people to attend! Sign-up by Sunday, April 28th.



### Upper Room Prayer Requests

Dianna, NY; Ward, Kelly, OH; Iris, FL; Susan, PA; Dorothy, IL; Phillip, VA; Ramona, IN; Tom, IL; Lynn, CA; Barbara, PA; Dorothy, RI; Ivory, NC; Angelina, NJ; Eugene, GA; Christine, MO; Sandra, TX; Wade, SC; Mabel, LA; and David, LA

### Special Prayers for Bethel Friends and Family

Margaret & David Hinze, moved to GA; Nancy Johnson, The Blake; Mary Kirby, Waterford; Claude Murphy, Forest Pines; Betty Onley, Carman Pool, Rice Estates; Harold Nally; Harry & Sarah Parker; Irene Boyd; Connie Fowke, NHC; Martie Funderburk, Herman Berry, Joe Kendall, Gloria Pruett, home; Kay Fraiser, Gail Price, Lurekus Davis, Betty Goins, Clara Hunsucker,.

**\*Doxology UMH #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.*

**Children's Moment** Louise Davis  
As children return to their seat, please sing the chorus of:

**Jesus Loves Me**

*Yes, Jesus loves me. Yes, Jesus loves me.  
Yes, Jesus loves me for the bible tells me so.*

**Anthem** Break the Bread Sleeth

Break the bread, drink the wine, holy feast, sacred sign;  
Lamb of God, love divine, spent for me.  
Sorrow's cross now recall; Christ the Lord died for all;  
Faithful folk, great and small, thankful be.  
Bend the knee, sin confess, humble hearts now express;  
Mercy filled, God will bless graciously.  
Rise and go, born anew, purified thru and thru;  
Evermore good pursue joyfully.

**Prayers of the People and 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.**

**WE HEAR GOD'S WORD**

**Scripture** Philippians 4:1, 4-13  
The Word of God for the people of God  
**Thanks be to God!**

**Sermon** Rev. Julie Belman  
KonMari to the Cross: The Life Changing Magic of Following Christ  
From Discontent to Gratitude

**WE ARE SENT FORTH TO SERVE GOD IN THE WORLD**

**Solo** His Eye is on The Sparrow Marian Scullion

**Together at the Table**--Holy Communion UMH# 15-16  
Christ our Lord invites to his table all who love him, who earnestly repent of their sin and seek to live peace with one another. We will receive the elements by intinction (dipping the bread into the cup). The ushers will direct you forward to one of the stations.

**Prayer After Communion**  
**Eternal God, we give You thanks for this holy mystery in which You have given Yourself to us. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of Your Spirit, to give ourselves for others, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**\*UMH #383** This Is a Day of New Beginnings

**\*Benediction**

**\*Postlude** His Name Is Wonderful Mieir

**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 12:00 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, April 7**  
9:00 REACH (PB)  
11:00 Traditional Worship (S)  
12:30 Hynd's Farewell Lunch (PB)  
4:15 Handbell Rehearsal (CR)
- Monday, April 8**  
9:30 Holy Yoga (S)  
2:00 Lina Ott Circle (CR)
- Tuesday, April 9**  
10:30 Belle Dent Circle (NJC)  
6:45 Choir Rehearsal (CR)  
7:00 Sylvia Hulsey Circle (PB)
- Wednesday, April 10**  
9:30 Preschool Chapel (S)  
1:30 Prayer for Bethel (S)
- Friday, April 12**  
7:00 Easter Drama Drive-Thru (Rehoboth)
- Saturday, April 13**  
8:00 UMM Breakfast (PB)  
10:30 Sarah Califf Memorial (S)  
7:00 Easter Drama Drive-Thru (Rehoboth)
- Sunday, April 14**  
**Palm Sunday**  
9:00 REACH (PB)  
11:00 Traditional Worship (S)  
4:15 Handbell Rehearsal (CR)
- Monday, April 15**  
**Preschool Closed—Spring Break**  
**No Holy Yoga**
- Tuesday, April 16**  
6:45 Choir Rehearsal (CR)
- Wednesday, April 17**  
1:30 Prayer for Bethel (S)
- Thursday, April 18**  
10:15 BUMS Trip—Carolina Pastures  
2:30 Kitchen Committee Meeting (PB)  
7:00 Maundy Thursday Service (S)
- Friday, April 19**  
**Good Friday**
- Saturday, April 20**  
11:00 Easter Eggstravaganza
- Sunday, April 21**  
**Easter**  
9:00 Reach (PB)  
9:45 Easter Brunch  
11:00 Traditional Worship (S)

CR—Conference Room  
EB—Education Building  
NJ—New Journey  
PB—Pool Act. Building  
S—Sanctuary

**Ways to Connect**

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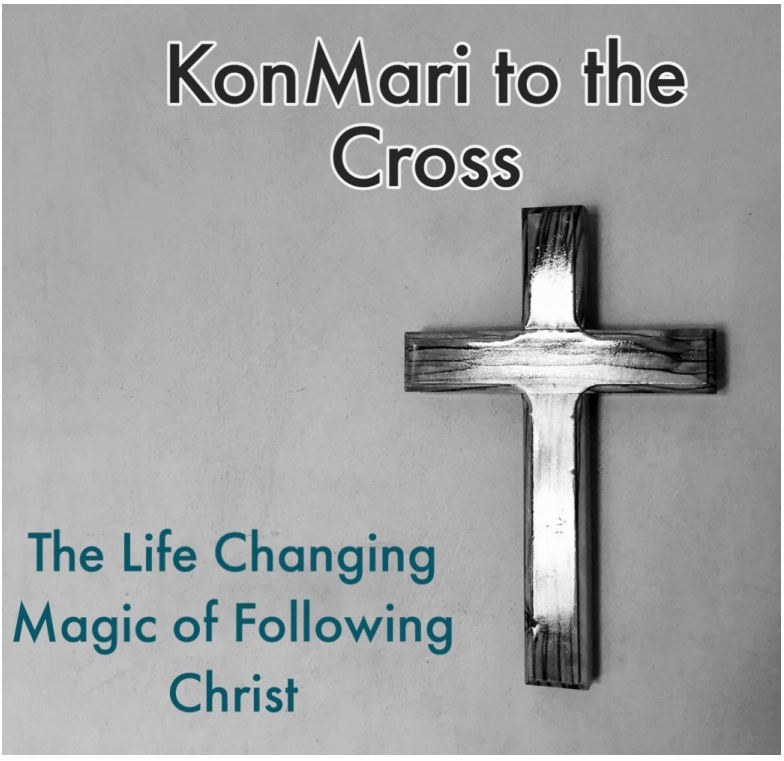
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...so the world will experience Christ's love!



**April 7, 2019**  
**The Color is Purple**  
**Fifth Sunday of Lent**

**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 a part of the Bethel Church family.*