

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

*Passing of the Peace

Chiming of Trinity

Prelude *I Love to Tell the Story* Fischer

WE PRAISE GOD

***Call to Worship** *Sweet, Sweet Spirit*

There's a sweet, sweet Spirit in this place, and I know that it's the Spirit of the Lord; there are sweet expressions on each face, and I know they feel the presence of the Lord. Sweet Holy Spirit, sweet heavenly Dove, stay right here with us, filling us with your love; and for these blessings we lift our hearts in praise; without a doubt we'll know that we have been revived when we shall leave this place.

***Opening Scripture** Matthew 10:40-42

*Opening Prayer

***UMH #64** *Holy, Holy, Holy*

*Expression of Faith: Apostles' Creed #881

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and 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, dead, and buried;* the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick 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 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.*

Anthem *In Praise of the Trinity* Carter
Flute—Nancy Burkhalter

I rise today in the power of God, the High and Holy One,
Whose throne is the whole of creation's span, whose eye is the face of the sun.
Whose heart is love unmeasured, pure, whose power will evermore endure;
Our Rock and Refuge, Great I Am. Alleluia! Alleluia!

I sing today of the power of Christ, God's true and only Son,
whose life and death are the cornerstone of the race we all must run.
The Prince of Peace, the Apple Tree, a Lamb of perfect purity.
The Shepherd, Healer, Bread and Vine. Alleluia! Alleluia!

I live today by the Spirit's power, a Flame of faith and love;
A recreating Wind that blows, a heaven descended Dove.
A Well of Wisdom deep and wide; a Friend, a Teacher, Witness, Guide.
The Song of Silence deep within. Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

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

VBS June 20-22—5:30-8:00



It is not too late to register! Dinner will be provided each night! Then we will have a celebration Sunday, June 23 at the 11:00 Worship Service. Registration is open online through our website! So, mark your calendars and bring your family, friends and neighbors. Contact Jason Barrs, Martie Walker or Jenny Curran for any questions!

Crafts Wanted for Mission U!

Attention all you talented ladies and gentlemen. Mission U will be here before we know it—July 18th - 20th. Last year we took numerous craft items to be sold in their craft shop. We would love to do this again this year. So, any items that you would like to donate would be greatly appreciated. There will be a box in the hall by the office to put the items in. - Sandra Wayson

June 30th—Fifth Sunday Breakfast & Service

We will join together for breakfast and fellowship at 9:00 in the PAB. After we eat, we will all make our way to the sanctuary to have a blended worship service at 10:00. The service will have music from both our REACH band and our adult choir. Please remember there is no Sunday School on 5th Sundays!

Bethel's Oldest Member is Turning 101!

One of our oldest members, Millie Lemond, is turning 101 on June 28th! While she no longer lives in Columbia, receiving a birthday card would be a wonderful gesture! Her mailing address is posted below.



Mrs. Millie Lemond
Sunrise at Ivey Ridge
Room 204
2950 Old Alabama Rd.
Alpharette, GA 30022

Serving the Congregation Today

Greeters: Sally & Frank Hafner, Dale Eaddy

Sound System Operator: Jack Bonnaville

Acolyte/Crucifer: Will Barrs

Ushers: Debbie Carter, Diane Roddey, John Mathis, Ken May

Offering Counters: Dianna Elliott & Janis Lawther

Sanctuary Lock Up: Dianna Elliott & Charles Byrn

Sanctuary Preparation: Ken & Pat Wood

May Working Circle (Flowers): Lina Ott

Memory Verse for June 16, 2019

"Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me." Matthew 10:40

BETHEL AND YOUTH NEWS

No Youth Today!

June 19—Lunch & Devo @ Five Guys

June 23—Swim Day at Price's

June 30—Canoeing & Cook-Out - Cost is \$25.00

Sponsor a Youth for Salkehatchie

This year we will have 4 youth going to Lake Murray Camp July 20-27. The total cost for the week of camp is \$250. Salkehatchie Summer Service is a ministry that has been making an impact on our youth and adults every year. If you would like to contribute please see Jason. You can also indicate on your envelope for the offering how much you would like to give towards "Youth Salkehatchie". Thank you in advance for your continued support for our Youth Ministry here at Bethel!

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, Fran Love, Rice Estates; Harold Nally; Harry & Sarah Parker; Irene Boyd; Connie Fowke, NHC; Herman Berry, Joe Kendall, Gloria Pruett, home; Kay Fraiser, Clara Hunsucker, Anne & Bill Hynds.

"But Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me..." Matthew 19:14

We welcome all persons in worship and rejoice in the sounds of God's little blessings in our sanctuary! For our youngest worshippers, we offer nursery care in our Christian Education building. Our paid and background checked staff would be honored to care for your children (aged 6 weeks to 3 years) for the duration of the service. Please ask an usher or greeter for directions. They would be happy to escort you if you don't know the way! A room is available in the back of the sanctuary for crying babies, nursing or pumping mothers at any time.

Children's Moment

Bonnie Lutz

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 the Bible tells me so.*

***TFWS #2237**

As a Fire Is Meant for Burning

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.

Offertory

Meditation

Dixon

***Doxology**

*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.*

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Scripture

Romans 6:12-23

The Word of God for the people of God

Thanks be to God!

Sermon

The Church of Ejector Seats

Rev. Julie Belman

WE ARE SENT FORTH TO SERVE GOD IN THE WORLD

***TFWS #2223**

They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love

***Benediction**

***Choral Response**

***Chiming of the Trinity**

***Postlude**

A Joyful Song

Hutson

Would you like to participate in worship? We'd love to have you read scripture, say a prayer, lead the children's moment, or sing in the choir! Please speak with Pastor Julie if you are interested!

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, June 16

Father's Day

- 9:00 REACH (PB)
- 9:45 Sunday School (EB)
- 11:00 Traditional Worship (S)

Monday, June 17

- 9:30 Holy Yoga (S)
- 6:00 Staff Parish Meeting (NJ)

Tuesday, June 18

- 9:30 Preschool Chapel (S)

Wednesday, June 19

- 1:30 Prayer for Bethel (S)
- 6:00 REACH Band Rehearsal (PB)
- 7:00 By Signs & Wonder Study (NJ)

Thursday, June 20

Vacation Bible School Begins!

- 2:30 Kitchen Committee (PB)
- 5:30 VBS

Friday, June 21

- 5:30 VBS

Saturday, June 22

- 5:30 VBS

Sunday, June 23

- 9:00 REACH (PB)
- 9:45 Sunday School (EB)
- 11:00 Traditional Worship (S)

VBS Celebration

- 12:00 Holroyd SS Class Luncheon (PB)

Monday, June 24

- 9:30 Holy Yoga (S)

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

Ways to Connect



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KNOWING, LOVING, SERVING
...so the world will experience Christ's love!



Trinity Sunday

June 16, 2019

The Color is White

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.