

THIS WEEK AT BFUMC

- Today** 12:00 p.m. Hand and Foot Card Playing (128)
3:00 p.m. Handbell Practice (119)
The N.T. You Never Knew (124)
The Travel Club (101)
4:00 p.m. F.A.M. Mtg. (FH)
Handbell Practice (119)
5:00 p.m. Band of Brothers Men's Group (123)
BFUMC 101 (127)
Faith Over Fear (128)
Kidz Club (Chapel)
Rooted Youth Night (130)
- Monday** 2:30 p.m. Blood Drive (FH)
4:00 p.m. Book Art (128)
- Tuesday** 6:30 p.m. Lay Leadership (1114)
6:00 p.m. Disciple 1 (127)
6:30 p.m. Church Council (128)
Handbell Practice (119)
Prayer Group (121)
- Wednesday** 7:00 p.m. Young Adults (130)
9:00 a.m. Crochet Group (128)
6:00 p.m. Honeysuckle Drive (123)
6:30 p.m. Chancel Choir (119)
Crochet Group (128)
Transformation: A Life Group (124)
- Thursday** 9:00 a.m. Ladies Bible Study (124)
6:00 p.m. Faith Over Fear (128)



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RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE | SEPT. 25 | 2:30 - 7:00 PM

To make an appointment, call 1-800-773-2767. We need volunteers to help with registration/canteen setup & observation. **Volunteer slots are available from 2:00-4:00 p.m. and 6:00-7:30 p.m. If you can't give blood yourself, this is a great way to give back!**

LOVELIGHTS 2023 | SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5 | 7:00 PM

Please take note of the new date for our LoveLights Service. Order forms are now available in the Narthex and the Stars Café if you would like to purchase a LoveLight (\$5/name) in honor or in memory of a loved one. All proceeds go toward missions. Complete details/instructions can be found in this week's Happenings on page 5.

Complete details are printed each week in The Bethlehem Happenings.

Copies are available in the Stars Café, Narthex, and side Vestibules. The Happenings is also emailed church-wide on Friday of each week. To receive this email, please contact the church office at info@bethlehemfirstumc.com.

September 24, 2023 | 9:30 am Casual/Contemporary Worship
17th Sunday after Pentecost



We are called to serve the Lord by serving one another and serving our neighbors. We serve with the power of the Holy Spirit. The Spirit gives spiritual gifts to us to use with others in the body of Christ to share the love of God with the world starting with our neighbors closest to us.

God has given Bethlehem First UMC a distinct gift mix to use for spreading Jesus Christ to the world. It is up to us to discover where we fit in the body of Christ and how we can use our gifts best. We are to use our gifts together, in unity. We have been placed here together for such a time as this to reach out into the community with the heart, hands, feet, and voice of Jesus Christ.

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Welcome!

Welcome! Thank you for joining us this week as we worship together in-person and online. We are glad that you are with us and hope that you find the service engaging and encouraging.

If this is your first time with us, please take a moment to fill out the Connection Card and visit the welcome booth for a red bag.

If you have any prayer requests to share with the church, you may write that on your Connection Card, or email us at info@bethlehemfirstumc.com.

Our staff is available by phone anytime. We hope you are blessed by your time with us this week.

Our Clergy

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9:30 CONTEMPORARY SERVICE

IN THE WORSHIP CENTER

Welcome and Praise

House of the Lord

Here For You

Reckless Love

Greeting | Rev. Megan Gomez

Pray and Give

Time of Prayer | Rev. Frank Bernat

Giving Back | Video

Listen to the Word of God

“Saved People Serve People: Where Do It Fit In?”

1 Corinthians 12:4-7, 11-31 | Rev. Beth Dickinson

Cornerstone

Sanctuary

Ministry Opportunities

WINGS Highlights | Rev. Bernat

Depart and Serve God

Send Off | Rev. Bernat

WE ARE A PRAYING CHURCH

Please email your prayer requests to info@bethlehemfirstumc.com and they will be emailed out Monday in the weekly PrayerNet. You may also contact the church office, 770-867-3727.

