

SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

All: 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 debts as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

PRESENTING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS TO THE LORD

OFFERTORY "Cry of My Heart"

* DOXOLOGY

* PRAYER OF DEDICATION

All: Lord, you take delight in us and fill us with every good thing so that all who hunger may share in our joy. Receive what we offer as testimony to your goodness and let these gifts lead to rejoicing in your church and all your world; in Jesus' name. Amen.

* CLOSING SONG

Hymn #535: "Go with Us, Lord" (Sing two times.)

* BLESSING

* **POSTLUDE** "For the Faithful Who Have Answered"

WORSHIP NOTES

LARGE PRINT BULLETINS AND HYMNALS, as well as audio listening devices, are available from the Worship Welcome Team.

MONTHLY CONGREGATIONAL LETTERS: On communion Sundays, five letters will be placed in the Narthex and then taken to Fellowship in Galbraith Hall. *Please add a quick note to each letter ... these letters provide an important link to those members unable to join us during worship each week.*

SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION: Will be observed on Sunday, July 7th, Team 4 – Angel Jackson.

MEMBERS IN SERVICE

LITURGISTS: Maria Jay; June 23rd Ann Lindsay

FELLOWSHIP HOSTS: No Fellowship for Father's Day; June 23rd Families I - L

CHILD CARE: Kasey Wilfong & Volunteer; June 23rd The Schultz Family

WORSHIP WELCOME TEAM: Team 5: Dave Long, Carl Parise, Nancy Carr* & Tom Hultz*; June 23rd - Team 6: Diane & Jack Miller, Barbara* & Larry* Jay (*Chairlift)

SANCTUARY COORDINATORS: Gary May; June 23rd Gary May

GRAPHICS TEAM: Larry Jay; June 23rd Robin Macherey

SOUND BOARD: Frank Jackson; June 23rd Steve Kloc

CHANCEL FLOWERS:

In Loving Memory of Raymond Malkmes, given by Cliff and Pam Decker & family.

PRAYER CONCERNS: Rob Backstrom, Hartley Baird, Hank Barr, Betty Bauer, Gary Bittner, Marilou Booth, Marina Bowser, Art Brandenburg, Pat Brown, Michele Cobb, Sueann DeFurio, Bob Dare, Linda Dermotta, Bob Ericson, Melanie Ericson, Cliff Fair, Jean Fishel, Ginny Flynn, Bettyjean Gamble, Linda Hackett, Dick Jones, Steve Kloc, Dick Kraft, Pat Kraft, Whitten Little, Russ Lautenschlager, Carol McDonald, Diane Miller, Jack Miller, Emily Parise, Donna Puglisi, Betty Ramsey, Dave Rawlings, Ann Reid, Sue Schoenberger, Joan Sherbak, Sally Sinatra, Jean Smith, Anne Unger, Sheila and Rich Vandevander, Ansley Virgin Basso, Kristi Wade, Edith Wallace, Russell York, Sam Zimmerman

Congregation Life Weekly Newsletter June 16, 2019

SOUTH HILLS INTERFAITH MOVEMENT FOOD PANTRIES: SHIM hosts Food Pantries at three sites. They are requesting donations of ketchup, canned pineapple and salad dressing, but any nonperishable food item is appreciated. Plastic grocery bags are needed so that produce from the gardens can be bagged for the clients. All donations can be left at the Marshall Road entrance. Thank you!

Saturday, July 13 2019



9:30am-1pm Mini-VBS
Children age 3 (potty trained)- 4th grade are invited to join us for a day of games, crafts, music, and fun as we learn about the wonderful way Jesus takes care of us! Lunch provided. \$8 per child. Children who attend receive food and game tickets for the Block Party. Register online or in the church office.

5:00-8:00pm Block Party
Families of all ages are invited to join us as we celebrate summer with games, food, and much more! Free admission— tickets available for purchase for food and games. Children who attend mini-VBS receive food and game tickets for the Block Party!

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SUMMER BLOCK PARTY!



**INFLATABLES
KONA ICE
FOOD AND DRINKS
CHILDREN'S GAMES
AND ACTIVITIES**

**Saturday, July 13
5-8 pm
Bethel Presbyterian Church
www.bethelpresby.org**

Summer Movie Sermon Series

Lessons in Faith from Pixar™ Films



June 16 TOY STORY Worthy	June 23 CARS Humble	June 30 FINDING NEMO Surrender	July 7 INSIDE OUT Joy
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Sundays at 9:30 am June 16-July 7 Bethel Presbyterian Church www.bethelpresby.org



seasonal
time change

**SUMMER
WORSHIP 9:30 am**

June 16-Sept. 1



Did you miss a sermon?
Past sermons are now
available to listen to on our
website!!

Recordings include music, prayers and other
parts of the worship service, too!

www.bethelpresby.org/sermons

UPDATE - RISE AGAINST HUNGER FOOD PACKING EVENT: We would like to thank our volunteers for their help at the food packing event last Sunday. Your support was amazing! Although the packing event is over, we still need help with the financial side of the project. You can donate using the envelopes on the bulletin board at the bottom of the Narthex stairs. Thank you for sharing the vision of a world without hunger.

UPCOMING EVENTS!

June 23 rd – June 29 th	Reach Mission Trip
July 2 nd	Youth at Sandcastle
July 13 th	One Day VBS and Block Party
July 27 th	Idlewild Day

Saturday, July 27

Only \$28.50 per person!
children 2 and under free

Reserve your tickets in the church office!

Park open 10:30-8:00 (Soak Zone 11:30-6:00)

We'll meet up at our own shelter for snack and dinner breaks and special treats throughout the day!
Bring a side, sweet, or snack to share- hotdogs and drinks provided!

MAY 2019 PLEDGES

Pledges YTD	\$80,876
Budgeted Pledges YTD	\$87,915
Difference	-\$7,039

The summer months are upon us, a season that for most churches means giving tapers off for a few months. This is the trend we have seen here at Bethel for many years. This trend always creates challenges for our church during the busy summer season. However, as we go into the summer months already over \$7,000 behind in our pledged giving for the year, the challenge is increased significantly. If you have missed your pledge in past months, please consider a catch-up contribution to help us begin the summer with a more stable foundation. And as much as you are able to, please continue faithful contributions through the summer months to assure that our summer ministries, programs, events and staff are fully funded.

CHURCH CONTACT INFORMATION

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CONGREGATIONAL CALENDAR

Sunday, June 16 (Daily Readings: Psalm 103, 150, Deut. 6:1-9, {10-15}. Eph. 4:1-16, John 1:1-18)

9:30 a.m. Worship, Reception of New Member: Sarah Stubna
 Pastor: Rev. Dr. Cathie Smith
 (child care provided for infants up to 5 years of age)
 7:00 p.m. Boy Scout Leaders Meeting

Monday, June 17 (Daily Readings: Psalm 5, 145, 1 Sam. 1:1-20, Acts 1:1-14, Luke 20:9-19)

11:15 a.m. Child Care – Stretch and Grow
 7:00 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 215 Meeting

Tuesday, June 18 (Daily Readings: Psalm 42, 146, 1 Sam. 1:21-2:11, Acts 1:15-26, Luke 20:19-26)

10:00 a.m. Quilters Meeting
 5:00 p.m. Soccer Shots
 7:00 p.m. Session Meeting

Wednesday, June 19 (Daily Readings: Psalm 89:1-18, 147:1-11, 1 Sam. 2:12-26, Acts 2:1-21, Luke 20:27-40)

7:00 p.m. Macdonald Pipe Band Rehearsal
 7:30 p.m. AA Meeting

Thursday, June 20 (Daily Readings: Psalm 97, 147:12-20, 1 Sam. 2:27-36, Acts 2:22-36, Luke 20:41-21:4)

5:00 p.m. Kinder Karate

Friday, June 21 (Daily Readings: Psalm 51, 148, 1 Sam. 3:1-21, Acts 2:37-47, Luke 21:5-19)

Saturday, June 22 (Daily Readings: Psalm 104, 149, 1 Sam. 4:1b-11, Acts 4:32-5:11, Luke 21:20-28)

5:00 p.m. Backstrom Baby Shower

Sunday, June 23 (Daily Readings: Psalm 19, 150, 1 Sam. 4:12-22, James 1:1-18, Matt. 19:23-30)

Reach Mission Trip

9:30 a.m. Worship, Reach Mission Trip Commissioning
 Pastor: Rev. Dr. Cathie Smith
 (child care provided for infants up to 5 years of age)
 10:30 a.m. Fellowship Hour: Families I - L
 10:30 a.m. Prayer Shawl Ministry

Stephen Ministry

Recovery ...

The flowers were wonderful, but they have wilted now. You've received loads of cards. It is still weeks before you can be back at work. Please let us help with your recovery. A Stephen Minister would like to listen and care.



Bethel Presbyterian Church
Worship for the Lord's Day
June 16, 2019
9:30 A.M.

"Changed by Christ So We Can Change the World"

* *Please stand in body or spirit as you are able.*

PRELUDE *"The Summons"*

THE RINGING OF THE BELL

CALL TO WORSHIP

* **SONG OF ADORATION**
 Hymn #481: *"Praise the Lord, God's Glories Show"*

* **PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

One: Wonderful Lord; you spoke this world into motion, breathed life into each creature and painted landscapes in colorful hues. You bring to us each season, light and warmth, rain and sunshine and within the seed a spark of life. By your word the heavens were made; by your spirit life began; by your wisdom your law was established; by your love the Savior was given; by your grace we have been saved; by your power the victory is won.

All: Gracious Lord, forgive our moments of ingratitude, the spiritual blindness that prevents us from appreciating the wonder that is this world, the endless cycle of nature, of life and death and rebirth. Forgive us for taking without giving, reaping without sowing. Open our eyes to see, our lips to praise, our hands to share. May our feet tread lightly on the path we tread and our footsteps be worthy of following, for they lead to you. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF GOD'S FAITHFULNESS AND FORGIVENESS

* **SONG OF GRACE**
 Hymn #485: *"To God Be the Glory"*

SCRIPTURE *Ephesians 1:3-14*

SERMON *"Toy Story: Worthy"*

* **SONG OF RESPONSE**
 Insert: *"I Will Come to You"*

OUR LIFE TOGETHER

Please sign the friendship pad (the red folder) and pass along to others in your row, greeting others by name after worship.

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBER: SARAH STUBNA