



## **BETHEL CHURCH**

Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)

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### **Office Hours**

Tuesday 8:00-5:00 pm

Thursday 8:00-5:00 pm

### **Staff**

Music Director/Organist: Kirsten Fitzsimmons

Children's Youth & Family Program Coordinator: Chrissie Galliher

Office Manager: Kelly McLaughlin

Church Treasurer: Bruce Batchelor

Online Giving



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# Welcome to Bethel Presbyterian Church

July 12, 2026

Worship Service 9:30 a.m.



*Our worship begins with the entering of the Light of Christ.  
Please silence all electronics and be prayerfully attentive to the quiet presence of God.  
+ indicates standing; congregational readings/responses are shown in bold print.*

Gathering and Welcome

The grace and peace of our Lord Jesus Christ is with you.

**And also with you.**

Sharing of Joys & Concerns

Call to Worship

Proverbs 3:5

Tim Sherwood

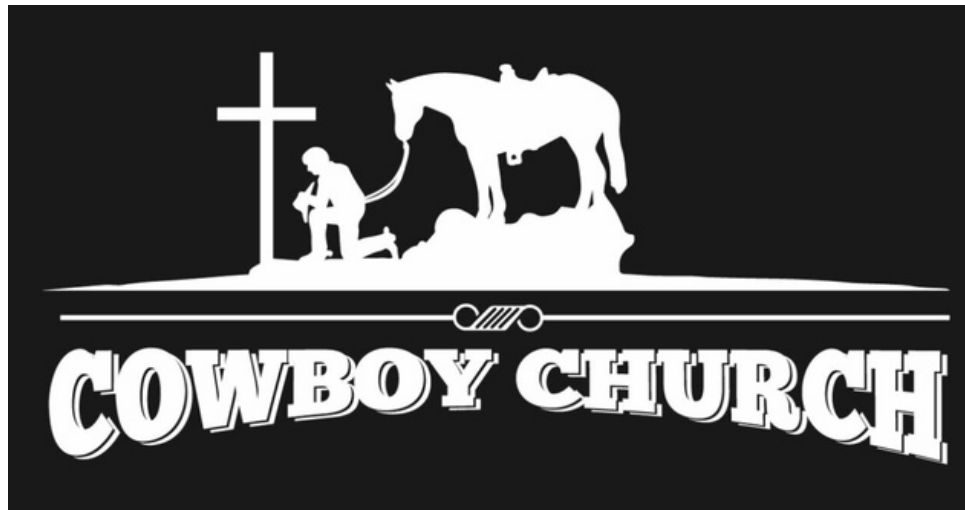
Leader: Trust in the Lord with all your heart.

**People: And do not lean on your own understanding.**

**Unison: Let us worship God with praise and song.**

Offertory

**Cowboy Church  
with Chaplain Brad Rineholt**



Church Leadership

**Elders (Session)**

Meet 3rd Thursday each month

2026  
Pete Capozzoli  
Bob Dennison  
Charles Henry

2027  
Marsha Brooks  
Dave Hinkley  
Krista Batchelor

2028  
Margie Fielder  
Robert Horn  
R. Donald Scott

**Deacons**

Meet 1st Monday each month

2026  
Pat Chlebda  
Rebecca Comaty  
Jen Seiler  
Gail Lowe

2027  
Rebecca Smith  
Jane Burgess  
Laurie Falkner

2028  
Pam Sherwood  
Lisa Calary  
Gail Thomas  
Amy Ford

**Trustees**

Meet 1st Tuesday each month

2026  
Tim Sherwood  
Brian Calary  
Bruce Mattheiss  
Craig Messenger

2027  
Jan Berlage  
Bruce Batchelor  
Greg Burgess

2028  
Steve Kauffman  
Steve Comaty  
Sam Fielder  
Dave Kirchner  
Gary Lowe

Open and Close Trustee for  
This month is Bruce Mattheiss  
Ushers this week  
Dennis Kirkwood & Bruce Mattheiss

The 2026 Per Capita fee per congregation member is **\$45.00**

Please be sure to submit your portion  
by the end of the year.

Please write per capita in memo of check. Thank you!

# Bethel Concerns

## Please keep the following in your prayers this week:

Carolyn Mattheiss, wife of Bruce Mattheiss  
Tucker Edwards, 11 yr. old fighting cancer,  
friend of Avalyn Comer

Bonnie Six, friend of Don Scott

Sam Brooks

Carolyn Bowers, friend of Andi Holmes

Susan Wyatt

John & Sandy Louderback

Steve Bevard, friend of Bethel & AARP member

Mr. & Mrs. Slevin, Tom's parents

Maddie, great-niece of Gary & Gail Lowe

Travis Johnson, nephew of Pat & Chris Chlebdba

Kathleen Cody, friend of Gail & Dave Thomas

Vicki Davis, member of the Bridge Group

Judy Bolke, friend of Debbie Calary

Linda Cummings, friend of Andi Holmes

Grandfather & Grandmother of RJ Wines

Grandmother of Chrissie Galliher

Susan Rogers, niece of Jack & Betty Rogers

Laurie Falkner

Gail DiCaprio

Melody, neighbor of the Wines family

Mike Hays, friend of Jack & Nancy Mory

Tom Lowe, brother of Gary Lowe

Douglas Nichols, son of Martha & Jack  
Nichols

Jason Barrett, friend of Steve Kauffman

Madeline Robinson

Alex Riley, friend of Kirsten Fitzsimmons

Isla, daughter of Jennifer Thomson

Dot Osmond, grandmother of Becca Smith

Bob Wyatt, friend of Steve Kauffman

Kirsten Fitzsimmons

Debbie Miller, friend of Steve Kauffman

Ann Schomaker, aunt of Terri Schwarz

Krista Batchelor's mother

Virginia Welch's family & Bruce Mattheiss  
upon her death

Steve Kauffman's brother

Dr. Rev. George Toole

Lloyd Taylor, who is in bootcamp & serving  
our country



Acts 7:55-56

55 But Stephen, full of the Holy Spirit, looked up to heaven and saw the glory of God, and Jesus standing at the right hand of God. 56 "Look," he said, "I see heaven open and the Son of Man standing at the right hand of God."



## Silver Spurs Ranch Ministries

3231 Warner Road

Broque, PA 17309

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Please continue to use the prayer cards in the  
back of the pews for prayer requests.  
You may also email the office.

# Announcements

## This Week at Bethel:

Last week's attendance - 77/(10)

July 13th - Women's Bible Study @ 10:00 am

July 14th - Bridge Game, Fellowship Hall @ 6:00 pm

July 16th - Session Meeting @ 7:00 pm

July 19th - Breakfast Bunch @ 8:00 am

July 19th - Worship Service @ 9:30 am

July 19th - Church Picnic @ 12:00 pm

## UPCOMING EVENTS

July 25th - Christmas in July Dinner & a Movie

July 26th - Season Bazaar Craft Day

August 8th - Flea Market

August 23rd - Season Bazaar Craft Day

September 12th - Flea Market

September 12th - End of Summer Camp Out

September 19th - Women's Event

September 27th - Season Bazaar Craft Day

December 5th - Blitzen Bingo

December 12th - Wreaths Across America

### Church Finances

	Through May
Tithes and Offerings	\$125,879
Rentals/other income	\$38,156
<b>Total income</b>	<b>\$164,035</b>
<b>Expenses</b>	<b>\$130,936</b>
<b>(Deficit) or Surplus</b>	<b>\$33,099</b>
2026 Budget	\$339,660



Carol Morrow - July 14th

Kirk Jones - July 15th

Gregory Burgess - July 23rd

Mary Lee Swift - July 27th



Tom & Mary Lee Swift - July 27th

Dennis & Jean Kirkwood - July 29th

### Card Shower

Mary Lee & Tom Swift Anniversary - July 27th

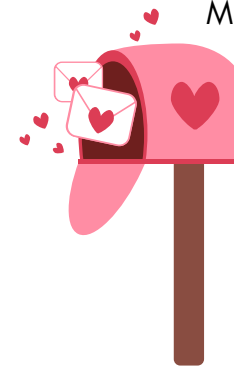
3866 Norrisville Rd.

Jarrettsville, MD 21084

Norma Kirkwood's 99th Birthday - July 8th

2659 Bradenbaugh Road

White Hall, MD 21161



\*The Deacon's Committee has provided a selection of notecards in the foyer for anyone who would like to send a card.