



BETHEL CHURCH

Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)

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White Hall, MD 21161

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Office Hours

Tuesday 8:00–5:00 pm

Thursday 8:00–5:00 pm

Staff

Children's Youth & Family Program Coordinator: Chrissie Galliher

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Online Giving



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Welcome to Bethel Presbyterian Church

September 6, 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.**

Announcements

Voluntary *Invention* by Flor Peeters Rhys Burgess
Lighting of the Church Candles

Call to Worship Tom Garrison
Leader: You are the light of the world.
People: A city set on a hill cannot be hidden.
Leader: Let your light shine before others.
People: So that they may see your good works and give glory to God in Heaven.

+ Hymn #281 *Guide Me O Thou Great Jehovah*

Prayer of Confession Rev. Dr. Harold Cahill
Everlasting God, in whom we live and move and have our being: You have made us for yourself, so that our hearts are restless until they rest in you. Give us purity of heart and strength of purpose, that no selfish passion may hinder us from knowing your will, no weakness keeps us from doing it; that in your light we may see light clearly, and in your service find perfect freedom; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

(Silent prayer of confession)

Declaration of Pardon Rev. Dr. Harold Cahill
Leader: Believe the Good News of the Gospel.
People: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

+ Gloria Patri
+ The Apostles’ Creed

Church Leadership

Elders (Session)

Meet 3rd Thursday each month

2026	2027	2028
Pete Capozzoli	Marsha Brooks	Margie Fielder
Bob Dennison	Dave Hinkley	Robert Horn
Charles Henry	Krista Batchelor	R. Donald Scott

Deacons

Meet 1st Monday each month

2026	2027	2028
Pat Chlebda	Rebecca Smith	Pam Sherwood
Rebecca Comaty	Jane Burgess	Lisa Calary
Jen Seiler	Laurie Falkner	Gail Thomas
Gail Lowe		Amy Ford

Trustees

Meet 1st Tuesday each month

2026	2027	2028
Tim Sherwood	Jan Berlage	Steve Kauffman
Brian Calary	Bruce Batchelor	Steve Comaty
Bruce Mattheiss	Greg Burgess	Sam Fielder
Craig Messenger		Dave Kirchner
		Gary Lowe

Open and Close Trustee for
This month is Greg Burgess
Ushers this week
Dennis Kirkwood and Nancy Mory

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!



4-SEASON BAZAAR

FREE ADMISSION
ALL VENDORS ARE HAND MADE
ITEMS, BAKE SALE AND FOOD
AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE

9 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Saturday October 10th
Bethel Presbyterian Church
4135 NORRSIVLLE ROAD
WHITE HALL, MD 21161

TABLES ARE \$25 EACH
TO BE A VENDOR EMAIL
CHURCHOFFICE@BETHEL-MD.ORG
CALL 410-692-5282

+ Passing the Peace	The peace of Christ is with you.	And also with you.
Time with Young Disciples		Chrissie Galliher
Prayer for Illumination		Tom Garrison
Old Testament Lesson	Psalms 84:1-4, 10-12	
	This is the Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.	
New Testament Lesson	John 2:13-22	
	This is the Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.	
Sermon	The Temple	Rev. Dr. Harold Cahill
+ Hymn #423	<i>Jesus Shall Reign</i>	
Sacrament of the Lord's Supper		
Sharing of Joys & Concerns		
Prayers of the People		Tom Garrison
The Lord's Prayer		
Offertory	<i>Agnus Dei</i> by Georges Bizet	Rhys Burgess Christine Capozzoli, Soprano
+ Doxology 592		
+ Prayer of Dedication		
+ Hymn #447	<i>Lead on O King Eternal</i>	
+ Benediction		Rev. Dr. Harold Cahill
Postlude	<i>When We All Get To Heaven</i> arr. Mark Hayes	Rhys Burgess

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

Vicki Davis, member of the Bridge Group

Judy Bolke, friend of Debbie Calary

Grandfather & Grandmother of RJ Wines

Grandmother of Chrissie Galliher

Susan Rogers, niece of Jack & Betty Rogers

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

Dot Osmond, grandmother of Becca Smith

Bob Wyatt, friend of Steve Kauffman

Kirsten Fitzsimmons

Debbie Miller, friend of Steve Kauffman

Steve Kauffman's brother

Rev. Dr. George Toole

Lloyd Taylor, who is in bootcamp & serving
our country

Holmes' cousins whose house burnt down

David Rose

Michelle Laret & family, friend of Donna
Jones

Lois Backus, friend of Marsha Brooks

Jerry Gladwell, friend of Marsha Brooks

Lou Wyman, friend of Marsha Brooks

Tony Tomasello & family upon the death of
their son, Nick

Tom Slevin

Bruce Mattheiss

Family of Roger Baird upon his death

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

Ice Cream Social

The Bethel Women's Group invites the
women members of the congregation to
an ice cream social.

Come by for some fellowship with our
sisters in Christ for ice cream and drinks
and perhaps a sing-along. Refreshments
and ice cream provided.

SEPT. 19TH @ 12:30-2:00 PM

Bethel Fellowship Hall

RSVP by 09/12 to Donna Jones
410-404-5160
donnajones921@gmail.com





End of Summer Campout

All Are Welcome:

- Dinner, snacks and campfire S'mores
- Games
- Music
- Fishing
- Fellowship

Details:

- September 12, 2026
2PM - 8AM the next morning
- Bethel Presbyterian Church
4135 Norrisville Road, White Hall, MD 21161
- Tents available upon request

RSVP to Bethel by September 5th at churchoffice@bethel-md.org or 410-692-5282

Rain date September 19th



None



None



Card Shower

Support & Encouragement

Nancy Berigtold - Sept. 20th Birthday
4320 Harford Creamery Rd.
White Hall, MD 21161

Donna Toole - Sept 24th Birthday
4230 Harford Creamery Dr.
White Hall 21161

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

Announcements

This Week at Bethel:

Last week's attendance - 66/(14)

September 7th - Women's Bible Study @ 10:00 am

September 7th - Deacons' Meeting @ 7:00 pm

September 8th - Mission Committee Meeting @ 3:45 pm

September 8th - Bridge Game, Fellowship Hall @ 6:00 pm

September 9th - Outreach Committee Meeting @ 6:00 pm

September 12th - Flea Market @ 8:00 am

September 12th - End of Summer Camp Out @ 2:00 pm

September 13th - **SUNDAY SCHOOL STARTS at 9:30 am**

September 13th - **WORSHIP SERVICE STARTS AT 10:30 am**

September 13th - Coffee Hour with Trustees at 11:30 am

September 13th - 4-H Meeting at 6:00 pm

UPCOMING EVENTS

September 19th - Women's Ice Cream Social

September 27th - Season Bazaar Craft Day

October 10th - 4 Season Bazaar

December 5th- Blitzzen Bingo

December 12th - Wreaths Across America



BETHEL PRESBYTERIAN SUNDAY SCHOOL

Registration

A place where children learn God's love, build friendships and grow in faith together.

REGISTER TODAY!

Scan the QR code to register online

All are welcome!

SUNDAY MORNINGS- 9:30-10:15AM

Questions?
Contact the Church Office

Growing in Faith Together!

"Let the little children come to me... for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these." Matthew 19:14

The poster features a blue background with white and yellow text. It includes a sun icon with a heart, a heart icon, a cross icon, and a circular image of a church building. At the bottom, there is a QR code and a group of four diverse children smiling.