

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

September 1, 2024

Parish Calendar

SUN. Sept. 1	BETHEL WORSHIP SERVICE, 10:00 a.m.	MON. Sept. 2	LABOR DAY A.A. 7:00 P.M.	TUES. Sept. 3	Pre- school Begins	WEDS. Sept. 4	Bible Study 11:00 a.m. w/Pastor Ray Choir Practice 6:30 Gabriel 7:00 Choir	THURS Sept. 5		FRI. Sept. 6	A.A. 7.00 a.m.	SAT Sept. 7	God' s Work Our Hands	SUN. Sept. 8	RALLY DAY BETHEL WORSHIP SERVICE, 8:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m. Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Food Truck Holy Crepes
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MEMBERS AT HOME

John & Madge Triance
Gretchen Achberger
Helene Glenn
Rafi & Gloria Melendez
Martha Massie

MEMBERS IN ASSISTED LIVING

Ann Schmidbauer & Bill Smith
(Traditions)
Jean Spillman, (Ashford)
Gail Wilcox & Dianna Klaus
(Carriage Court)
Carol Pozz, Marie Leitz & Dick Wirtz (Storypoint)

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK:

Corry Stotts, Cy Wolske, Renea Harberts, Chris McComb, Mike Benedetto, Lena Fletcher, Aaron Sweeney, Josh Townley, Ken Linn

FLOWERS TODAY ARE

GIVEN BY: Bonnie Long in memory of her husband, Bob.

HOSPITALIZED:

Gerry Johnstone (Dublin Methodist)

IMPORTANT DATE TO SAVE: Sept. 15th: **Last Sunday to Sign Up!**

Back to Church Sunday- Invite a friend/family to Bethel - with a reception at Pinnacle, 1:00 p.m. Cost for Bethel members is \$20.00 (\$10. For children) Appetizers will be served (not lunch 😊) and cash bar. The Browns game will be telecast, the Choir will be singing, Ruth will be playing and of course, Pastor Ray will talk 😊. There will be a Ministry Fair, where you can see & learn more about all the various ministries we have at Bethel. Any friends/family you bring will be **FREE**.

Please make your check out to Bethel Lutheran Church and add Pinnacle to the memo.

FOOD PANTRY MINISTRIES: We are packing each bag with the same items each month. Here is a list of the items that will be needed each month to fill a bag.

1 box cereal	1 can/jar of pasta sauce
1 can of soup	1 jar peanut butter
1 can of chicken/tuna	1 can of fruit
1 box pasta	1 can of vegetables

SEPT. SERVICE EMPHASIS: Homeless Kits

LIVING WITH GRIEF: a six-week workshop for persons who have experienced the death of a loved one, will be offered here at Bethel beginning on **September 7th**. It will be conducted on Saturday mornings from 10:30 a.m. until noon and is open to both members and non-members. For more information, please consult the church newsletter or contact the facilitator, Joe Stark, at 765-228-6895 or joeslighthouse@gmail.com. Sign-Up sheet on the Bulletin Board.

Jan. 24th & 25th 2025 Couples Retreat - \$200 PER COUPLE (includes breakfast!) **Sign-Up sheet and information and agenda are on the bulletin board!**

IT'S TIME FOR EUCHRE: We will meet on Sunday, September 22, at 4 pm. We plan to have a cook-out/picnic that same day and weather permitting use the outside area and the grill. There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board. Refreshments are always appreciated but not required!



Sept. 8th RALLY DAY - Holy Crepes Food Truck

GUIDING LIGHT PICNIC: Here at church on 9/11 at noon. There is a sign-up sheet on the board where you can bring a dish to share. We will be grilling brats and burgers!

PARENTS OF YOUTH:

Rally Day - September 8th
Sunday School Begins (Preschool-4th grade) at 9:30am
Catechism Orientation (5th-7th graders & parents) at 9:30am in Fellowship Hall
Sunday Mornings for 5th-7th graders will start the following Sunday at 9:30am

Walk with "Pride in GC"-Arts in the Alley Parade
Our Congregation is welcome to walk!
Sign up in the Narthex!
September 21st at 9:30am

KidsZone @ PrideFest
September 28th
Park Street Park

CRAFTY GROUP: Will be meeting Sept. 27th from 5-9 p.m., Please come join the fun! You can work on your own craft projects or there will be projects you can do when you arrive.



KNITTING GROUP: If you enjoy knitting or just want to learn how! Come to the knitting group on the **LAST SATURDAY OF EACH MONTH**, 2-4 p.m. in the Fishbowl Room!

CHOIRS: Wednesday Evenings! 6:30 for Gabriel and 7:00 for Chancel. Bree Johnson's cell 614-266-5940 and email froggieteacher@twc.com Anyone interested who is new to Choir, please contact Bree before the 28th. All are welcome to sing in the choir, young and old.

GODS WORK OUR HANDS: SEPT. 7TH: If you are able to come help some of our elderly people with yard work, etc. Please sign up on the Narthex bulletin board. This is such a blessing to those who need help.