

NEW BETHEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

THE REVEREND ERIC SPOON

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November 4, 2018

24th Sunday after Pentecost/Communion



Mission Statement: To know Christ and make Christ known.

ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

PRELUDE

WELCOME IN CHRIST'S NAME

Worship is a special time where people seek to meet God and have their lives changed. To prepare your heart and lives to be changed for God's glory, we invite you to a time of reflective prayer and reverent silence seeking the Holy Spirit in your personal time of worship.

*CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP **"OPEN OUR EYES, LORD"**

**Open our eyes, Lord, we want to see Jesus,
To reach out and touch Him, and say that we love Him.**

**Open our ears, Lord, and help us to listen,
Open our eyes, Lord, we want to see Jesus.**

*CALL TO WORSHIP (In Unison)

The Lord offered himself – once and for all – so that our conscience can be free from all things that lead to death. Let us freely go and worship the living God!

*PRAYER OF INVOCATION

*LORD'S PRAYER (In Unison)

*GLORIA PATRI

579

*CALL TO CONFESSION

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION (In Unison)

O God, you have been faithful, yet we have not loved you with our whole hearts. You showed us how to love our fellow human beings, yet we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. Turn us back to you, O God, that we may follow your commandments; through Christ our lord. Amen.

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*OPENING HYMN #525 **"HERE I AM, LORD"**

The choir will sing the verses. The congregation with the choir will sing the refrain.

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

REV. ERIC SPOON

*PASSING OF THE PEACE OF CHRIST

Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you.

Congregation: And also with you.

GIVE THANKS TO GOD

OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY

“PRAISE GOD, FROM WHOM ALL BLESSINGS FLOW”

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*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

PROCLAIM GOD’S WORD

ANTHEM

CHOIR

SCRIPTURE

Mark 12: 38 – 44

Leader: This is the Word of God for the people of God.

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

SERMON TITLE

“LAST TWO CENTS”

REV. ERIC SPOON

SERMON THOUGHT

Give for the Lord.

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

Communion today will be taken by Intinction. All are invited to come forward and place your 2019 New Bethel Presbyterian Church pledge card on the Communion table and then take a piece of bread and dip it in the cup and partake of the bread as you return to your seat. Those without pledge cards are still invited and encouraged to come forward and partake of Communion. If you are unable to come forward, Communion will be brought to you.

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH – Apostles’ Creed

*RESPONSIVE HYMN

“SOMETHING FOR THEE”

**Give me a faithful heart, Guided by Thee,
That each departing day Henceforth may see
Some work of love begun, Some deed of kindness done,
Some wand’rer sought and won, Something for Thee.**

GO IN GOD’S NAME

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*CHORAL BENEDICTION

“TO BE LIKE JESUS”

**To be like Jesus, to be like Jesus!
My desire to be like Him!
All thro’ life’s journey from earth to glory,
My desire to be like Him.**

**To be like Jesus, to be like Jesus!
How I long to be like Him!
So meek and lowly, so pure and holy,
How I long to be like Him.**

*Indicates that those who are able may stand.

The *Call to Worship* and the *Prayer of Confession* are from the Feasting on the Word: Worship Companion.

WELCOME TO NEW BETHEL
November 4, 2018 – November 11, 2018

TODAY:	9:45 A.M.	Sunday School
	11:00 A.M.	Worship Service/Communion/Pledge Card Dedication
	4:45 P.M.	KFC
	6:30 P.M.	Choir Rehearsal
TUESDAY:	6:30 A.M.	Men's Prayer Breakfast
SUNDAY:	9:45 A.M.	Sunday School
	11:00 A.M.	Worship Service/Congregational Meeting/ OCC Shoebox Dedication
	12:00 P.M.	Lunch Celebration
	4:45 P.M.	KFC
	6:30 P.M.	Choir Rehearsal

SERVING THE CHURCH

Offering Elders: Denise Torbett & Katie Wright

Communion Elders: Mary Lynn Barnes & Jim Wright

Children's Church: 11/4/18: Katie Wright – 11/11/18: Sherry Brademeyer

SPECIAL PRAYER FOR:

Jesse Patrick	(Sharon Ramsey's Brother-in-Law)
Mrs. Willene Spence	(Health, Former Minister's Wife)
Leia Davis	(Started Chemo, Teacher at EHS, Friend of Sharon Ramsey)
Martha Crussell	(Declining Health, Church Member)
Chuck Bowman	(Serious Illness, Friend of the McPeaks)
Patsy Sells Boling	(Cancer, Carol Carter's Cousin)
June Fields	(Cancer, Jim Wright's Mom)
Valerie Casady	(Cancer, Jennifer Procopio's Aunt)
Millie McCamish	(Cancer, Jennifer Procopio's Grandmother)
Ned Tankersley	(Fractured Back, Friend of Several in the Church)
Lee Stroupe	(Heart Surgery, Husband of Cindy Stroupe/Friends of Mary Lynn Barnes)
Kevin Nichols	(Back Surgery, Friend of Several in the Church)
Jennifer Orr	(Back Surgery Recovery, Daughter of Dean and Janie Torbett)

PRAY FOR THOSE CELEBRATING BIRTHDAYS:

Anne White Nov. 8

PRAY FOR THOSE CELEBRATING ANNIVERSARIES:

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY AND THEIR FAMILIES, ESPECIALLY THOSE FROM OUR AREA:

COL. Michael Harvey (Army)
STAFF SGT David Roberts (Air Force)
ENSIGN Scott Greene (Navy)
SPC Mark T. Procopio (Army)
SAILOR Nicholas Shane Everding (Navy)

PRAY FOR THE WORK OF CHRIST'S CHURCH:

Holston Presbytery and their work for the larger church.

This week: New Bethel Presbyterian Church, Piney Flats, TN 37686
Reverend Spoon, our Minister, as he leads us.
Our Session and their leadership of our church.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are delighted that you are worshipping with us today and pray that your lives will be enriched by the power of the Holy Spirit.

WEEKLY CHURCH FINANCIALS:

WEEKLY BUDGETARY NEEDS.....	\$ 1,665.00
LAST SUNDAY'S OFFERING.....	\$ 373.00
DIFFERENCE.....	\$-1,292.00
OTHER GIVING.....	\$ 150.00

NEXT SUNDAY'S SERMON INFORMATION (This may change during the week):

Sermon Scripture:	Mark 12: 28 – 34
Sermon Title:	"The Greatest Commandments"
Sermon Thought:	Love – that is what we are supposed to do.

SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR CHURCH: The church is running low on the following items: Stamps, cleaning wipes, facial tissue, toilet paper, and paper towels. If you feel led to donate any of these items, please bring them to church and place them in the old kitchen or let Eric know.

PLEDGE CARD DEDICATION – TODAY: As the Session works to create a faithful budget for 2019, they are asking that everyone able to turn in a pledge card. Pledge cards can be turned in **TODAY** by putting your pledge card on the Communion Table as part of Communion that morning. Please see Larry Smith with any questions.

MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST – NOVEMBER 6: All men are invited to breakfast at Bojangles on **November 6 at 6:30am**. We hope to see you there.

SAMARITAN'S PURSE OCC SHOEBOXES – NOVEMBER 11: Want to pack a shoebox but do not know what to pack? We have a few copies of detailed gift suggestions for shoeboxes for the different age groups by the history cabinet in the Narthex. Feel free to take one, but please bring it back. Want a digital copy? Email Sandra Leonard at csmlleonard@embarqmail.com. Shoeboxes can be placed on the table in the Sanctuary. We will dedicate our shoeboxes on **November 11, 2018**.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING – NOVEMBER 11: Your Session has called a Congregational Meeting to approve Nominations for Church Ruling Elders on **November 11**.

LET'S CELEBRATE – NOVEMBER 11: It's time to officially welcome Samuel to his church family! So let's have a luncheon!!! The Presbyterian Women is putting on a lite lunch (soup and sandwiches) following worship on **November 11**. If you would like to bring a gift, Pamper or Huggie diapers size 3 or bigger and/or wipes will be appreciated. A gift card at a store like Target or Walmart is always useful too. Please plan to attend as we welcome Samuel to New Bethel and to life as a Christian.

PW MEETING – NOVEMBER 14: The next PW Meeting will be **November 14, 2018 at 6:30pm** in the Fellowship Hall.

CHILDREN'S HOPE ALLIANCE OFFERING – NOVEMBER 18: Donations to this offering help the Children's Hope Alliance support the children in their care. These children need our support to lift their lives with the blessings of the Lord. We will collect this offering on **November 18**.

NOVEMBER SESSION MEETING – NOVEMBER 18: Our November Stated Session Meeting will be on **November 18** immediately following worship in the Fellowship Hall.

THANKSGIVING COMMUNITY SERVICE – NOVEMBER 20: You are invited to join with other members from our community at New Bethel Presbyterian Church. This year's Thanksgiving Community Service will be on **Tuesday, November 20 at 6:30pm**. An offering of canned goods for the Community Food Pantry will be collected. Come and give thanks and celebrate the Lord!

DECORATING THE CHRISMON TREE AND SANCTUARY FOR ADVENT – NOVEMBER 25: Have you ever wanted to help decorate the Chrismon Tree or Sanctuary for Advent? Well now is your chance. Come and join together on **November 25 at 4:45pm** as we celebrate the birth of the New Born King and prepare our hearts and the church for Christmas!

SCHOOL SUPPLY AND PERSONAL HYGIENE PANTRY: Notebooks, paper, pencils, pens, crayons, pencil sharpeners, erasers, travel size soap, shampoo, conditioner, deodorant, feminine hygiene products or any other items students would need to be able to participate in class.

COMMUNITY FOOD PANTRY MINISTRY: Tuna, salmon, beef stew, chili, meaty soups, luncheon meat, Vienna sausage, peanut butter, pastas, canned fruit, peas, pudding cups. Items can be brought at any time. Monetary donations can be made instead of food. Make check to New Bethel with "Community Food Pantry Donation" on memo line.