

NEW BETHEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Fourth Sunday after Pentecost



Mission Statement: To know Christ and make Christ known

ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

WELCOME IN CHRIST'S NAME

ANNOUNCEMENTS

LARRY SMITH

Worship is a special time where people seek to meet God and have their lives changed. To prepare your heart and life 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.

PRELUDE

*CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP

"Sanctuary"

Lord prepare me, to be a sanctuary

Pure and holy, tried and true.

With thanksgiving I'll be a living Sanctuary, for you.

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Sing praises to the Lord, all you faithful:

Give thanks in holy remembrance.

*PRAYER OF INVOCATION

*LORD'S PRAYER (in unison)

*GLORIA PATRI

"GLORY BE TO THE FATHER"

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

*CALL TO CONFESSION

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Source of all that gives us life, we have turned away from your authority to our own small concerns. Forgive us for our failure to bear one another's burdens, for boasting of anything but your cross, for believing in our own power to justify our lives, and for denying your call to take comfort in you alone. Lead us to the river of life that in all we do, we may honor your name. Amen.

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*OPENING HYMN #690
Red Hymnal

“AMERICA, THE BEAUTIFUL”

1. O beautiful for spacious skies, For amber waves of grain,
For purple mountain majesties Above the fruited plain!
America! America! God shed His grace on thee,
And crown thy good with brotherhood, From sea to shining sea.
2. O beautiful for pilgrim feet, Whose stern, impassioned stress
A thoroughfare for freedom beat Across the wilderness!
America! America! God mend thine every flaw,
Confirm thy soul in self-control, Thy liberty in law.
3. O beautiful for heroes proved In liberating strife,
Who more than self their country loved, And mercy more than life!
America! America! May God thy gold refine,
'Til all success be nobleness, And every goal divine.
4. O beautiful for patriot dream That sees beyond the years
Thine alabaster cities gleam, Undimmed by human tears!
America! America! God shed his grace on thee,
And crown thy good with brotherhood, From sea to shining sea.

CALL TO STEWARDSHIP

OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.**

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE

Psalm 30; Galatians 6: 1-6

SERMON

“RESTORE THY NEIGHBORS”

SCOTT WISE

PRAYER

*APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

*RESPONSIVE HYMN #692
Red Hymnal

“BATTLE HYMN OF THE REPUBLIC”
(Verses 1, 2, and 4)

1. Mine eyes have seen the glory of the coming of the Lord,
He is trampling out the vintage where the grapes of wrath are stored;
He hath loosed the fateful lightning of His terrible swift sword,
His truth is marching on.

(Refrain)

Glory! glory! Hallelujah! Glory! glory! Hallelujah!
Glory! glory! Hallelujah! His truth is marching on!

2. I have seen Him in the watchfires of a hundred circling camps,
They have builded Him an altar in the evening dews and damps;
I can read His righteous sentence by the dim and flaring lamps,
His day is marching on.

(Refrain)

4. In the beauty of the lilies Christ was born across the sea,
With a glory in His being that transfigures you and me;
As He died to make men holy let us live to make men free!
While God is marching on.

(Refrain)

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*CHORAL BENEDICTION **“GOD BE WITH YOU TILL WE MEET AGAIN”**

God be with you till we meet again;
Loving counsels guide, uphold you,
With a shepherd's care enfold you.
God be with you till we meet again.

*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
July 3, 2022 – July 10, 2022

9:45 A.M. SUNDAY SCHOOL
11:00 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE

SPECIAL PRAYER FOR:

Willene Spence	(Health, Former Minister's Wife)
Martha Crussell	(Declining Health, Church Member)
Valerie Casady	(Cancer, Jennifer Procopio's Aunt)
John Landers, II (John, John)	(Medical & Mental Health, Son of Kevyn Torbett)
Matt Amick	(Much improvement of paralysis, but still a long way to go -- Neighbor of Rodney Smith)
Elaine Profitt	(Recent Cancer Surgery, Friend of Several Church Members)
Teresa King	(Undergoing cancer treatment)
Harold Barnes	(Continued improvement in health, Church Member)
Shirley Crowe	(Several health issues, sister of Carolyn Byrd)
Deborah Kinsler	(Recovering from cancer)
Susie Trimble	(Severe pneumonia in both lungs [non-Covid] – cousin of Rodney Smith)
Audree Greene	(Hip surgery, born without a ball on one side—Maryl and Scott's younger daughter)

PRAY FOR THOSE CELEBRATING BIRTHDAYS

Dean Barnes July 5 Mike McPeak July 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)
Sailor Nicholas Shane Everding (Navy)

PRAY FOR THE WORK OF CHRIST'S CHURCH:

Holston Presbytery and their work for the larger church.
This week: Preston Hills Presbyterian Church, Kingsport, TN 37664
Pastor Scott Wise and the Session as they lead our church.

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

UPCOMING CHURCH ACTIVITIES: We will continue to have in person worship services on Sunday mornings at 11:00 a.m. and live streaming broadcast online. You can find a link to the online broadcast and the church bulletin on the church website at www.newbethelpres.org.

URGENTLY NEEDED: Due to the recent extreme heat we've been having, **new water bottles** are very much needed by **The River** in Johnson City to help the women they serve! Snacks, such as cheese or peanut butter crackers, breakfast bars, small boxes of raisins, individually wrapped cookies, etc., can always be used. A container is on the pew in the narthex for any items you'd like to donate starting today and going through **July 10th**. Thank you for sharing in this local ministry work!

UPDATED DIRECTORY: New directories are now available (1 per family) on the small table in the narthex. **Please check your personal information carefully** to make sure it's correct and let us know if anything needs to be changed.

MISSION SUPPORT FOR KIDS TO CHRIST: The session recently voted to support the Kids to Christ Mission in the Dominican Republic that Jaime Johnson spoke to our congregation about last November. This week New Bethel donated \$5,000 to help support the mission as lives are being changed by the work God is doing through a dedicated group of His servants. This donation came from funds previously raised for mission trips that have not been used the past few years combined with one month's rental income from the manse.

COMMUNITY FOOD PANTRY MINISTRY: Your monetary donations to feed the hungry are appreciated! These donations go to support our local food pantry which is located at Edgefield United Methodist Church. You are encouraged to continue to be a part of this important ministry by making your checks to **New Bethel Presbyterian Church** with "**Community Food Pantry Donation**" on the memo line.

WEEKLY CHURCH FINANCIALS: Please give as you are able. Your gifts and offerings can also be mailed to the church at 592 New Bethel Road, Piney Flats, TN 37686. A summary of our current standing against the 2022 budget is shown below:

Weekly Budgetary Needs.....	\$ 1,042
June 26 Offerings.....	\$ 1,342
Difference.....	\$ 300
Other Giving.....	\$ 37
Year to Date.....	\$ -580