

BETHEL FRIENDS CHURCH

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August 31, 2014
Sunday School 9:30

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Worship 10:30
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"What joy for the nation whose God is the Lord,
whose people he has chosen as his inheritance."
-Psalm 33:12 (NLT)

WORSHIP SERVICE

<i>Prelude</i>	Pianist: Janelle Keith;	Organist: Karen Carter
<i>Opening Chorus</i>	"God is so Good"	Leanna Smith
<i>Hands of Fellowship</i>		Congregation
<i>Opening Prayer</i>		Randy Thornburg
<i>Praise Choruses</i>		Leanna Smith
<i>Praises and Prayer Concerns</i>		Randy Thornburg
<i>Announcements</i>		Shannon Craig
<i>Worship with Tithes and Offerings</i>		
<i>Offertory</i>		Janelle Keith
<i>Special Reading</i>		Janice Hanes
<i>Children's Sermon</i>		
• Nursery Dismissal (0 to preschool)		
<i>Hymn # 486</i>	"My Country, 'Tis of Thee"	Leanna Smith
<i>Centering Scripture</i>	Colossians 3:16-17	Shannon Craig
<i>Open Worship</i>		Congregation
<i>Pastoral Prayer</i>		Randy Thornburg
<i>Sermon</i>	Labor Day message	Randy Thornburg
<i>Hymn #485</i>	"America the Beautiful"	Leanna Smith
<i>Closing Prayer</i>		Randy Thornburg
<i>Postlude</i>		

PRAYER CARE

- **Karen Dalton**- Georgia Morris' sister-in-law, for healing and rehab.
- **Robert Dennis** -stroke rehab at home (Randy & Rod 's father)
- **Gib Brown** - Mike Brown's uncle still needs prayer for his lung cancer .
- **Barbara Pyle** - and her family for comfort after their loss.
- **Beverly Turner** - and her family for comfort after their loss.
- **Helen Davison's sister Betty**- for a strong recovery.

THIS WEEK

Today, Sunday, August 24	9:30 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:30 a.m.	Worship Service
Wednesday, September 3	6 p.m.	Christian Ed mtg.
	7 p.m.	Ministry & Oversight mtg.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME TO OUR YOUTH INTERNS! We are pleased to have Allison Cerycz & Josh Grimmer worshipping with us today- both are sophomores at IWU; Josh is a Christian Ministry major and Allison is a Youth Ministry major. They will be eating and meeting with some of our leaders after church today for planning.

Y.U.C.K. Our Jr.-Sr. High Youth Group resumes next Sunday, Sept. 7, 6:30 - 8:00 p.m., under the direction of Allison and Josh!

THANKS! Those of us who were at the Ice Cream Social last Sunday had a really fun time and we enjoyed the ice cream sundaes! Thanks, C.E., for a great idea and for your work in bringing it together!

SEPTEMBER: Worship Leader Leah Craig; Chorister: Chris Carter; Greeters: Bob & Leah Craig.

CHILDREN'S SERVICES: Nursery is available every Sunday for pre-school and under. Children's Church for elementary children is held the 2nd and 4th Sundays.

NURSERY SCHEDULE: 1st Sunday of the month - Samantha Roberts & Chance Cox; 2nd Sunday - Lindsay Summers; 3rd Sunday - Jessica Craig; 4th Sunday - Bridget Wimmer & Bryce Carter; 5th Sunday - Rodney Craig.

TEACHER APPRECIATION SUNDAY: If you have been a teacher or assistant in any capacity this past year, we want to *honor you next Sunday, Sept. 7!*

CHURCH PHONE UPDATE: The church and parsonage number, (440) 477-1073, has been fixed by the phone company, so feel free to use it.

RUMMAGE SALE: Our Missions Committee is planning a Rummage Sale at Nate & Leeanna Smith's place to benefit our next mission trip! The date will be Saturday, Sept. 27, for sure, and possibly Friday eve. Start putting aside your items to donate for this important fund raiser!

CHOIR SPECIAL: The Bethel Choir will bring a special on the 21st of September! We will be practicing after church between now and then. Please be listening to your C.D. of "Come and Fill This Place".

WELCOME GUESTS! Your presence is a blessing for us. We hope you feel at home as we celebrate the Lord's love together. Please sign our guest book at the foot of the stairs before you leave. Thank you!

CPR CLASS: Christian Ed is offering a **CPR Class** here at Bethel on Saturday, Oct. 18, 2014, from 9 a.m. – 1 p.m. The cost will be \$15 a person without a certification or \$23 a person with a certification. Come and learn some life-saving skills!

LADIES: Last call: if you are *not* attending the Beth Moore event with us on Sept. 13, you might consider the Ladies' Retreat, Sept. 12-13, for \$30, offered at Rainbow Christian Camp. (Brochure on the bulletin board.)

WHITES' RESIDENTIAL AND FAMILY SERVICES cordially invites us to their 6th Annual Open Door fund-Raising Dinner on Saturday, September 20. Please RSVP by this Saturday, Sept. 6, to shanea.headrick@whitesrfs.org or call 260-563-1158 ext . 1346. All the program info is posted on our bulletin board.

Looking Ahead:

Sept. 7: Teacher Appreciation Sunday & Donuts
Sept. 8: Missions Committee Meeting (date may need to be changed)
Sept. 13: Beth Moore Conference for Women
Sept. 14: Monthly Business Meeting
Sept. 27: Rummage Sale at Nate & Leeanna Smith's to benefit our mission trip!
Oct. 3-4: Fall Work Weekend at Quaker Haven Camp.
Oct. 12: Fall Fling
Oct. 18: CPR CLASS: 9:00 am – 1:00 pm.

Newsletter: Not receiving the weekly "Bethel Bridge Builder" by email or regular mail? Just email randy.tburg@gmail.com or call him. To be on the list.

Ministry Need: Volunteers are needed to bring the Children's messages for a month or two at a time, in rotation. If you could minister this way, please talk to Mike Brown.

BULLETIN INFORMATION: If possible, please send bulletin information to Randy at randy.tburg@gmail.com by noon on Wednesday. That will really help in putting the bulletin together each week.

Personal Listening Devices are available for your use. Please pick one up & return the unit to the sound room. Thank you.

Bethel Friends Church ...is a body of Bible-believing Christians who worship God. We are committed to preparing ourselves to share God's message of love and salvation through encouragement and service.