

WELCOME TO BETHEL FLASH

VBS 2019 will be June 24 – 28, 6 – 8:30 p.m. You have the following opportunities to serve:

Registration – Need minimum of 4 (can be responsible teenagers) . If you would be willing to serve in this area, please contact Cathy, Melodee or Carrie Beth ASAP!!!!

The Bethel G.R.I.T.S. will host **a wedding shower** for Hannah Yates and Trent McIntire on Sunday, April 28 from 2:30 – 4:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Hannah and Trent are registered at amazon.com and Bed, Bath and Beyond. Let's shower this young couple with Bethel love as they begin their life together!!

VBS News: There will be a meeting on Sunday, May 5 from 4-5 PM in the fellowship for all VBS workers who were NOT able to attend the first meeting. We have extremely important information and resources to share!!!

We will be having **Baby Dedication** on Mother's Day, May 12th at the 10:00 am. Service. If you and your child would like to participate in this special observance you must contact the church office at 972-3473 or bethelbc@bellsouth.net. The deadline to sign up is Sunday, May 5th.

Graduating Students: If you are graduating this spring from high school, college, or technical college, please contact the church office with your name and information. We would like to honor you for your accomplishments one Sunday in May. The deadline to participate in this special recognition is Sunday, May 5. Please contact the church office at 972-3473 or bethelbc@bellsouth.net.

The **Spring Senior Adult Celebration** will be held on Tuesday, May 7th at 10:30 a.m. at Westminster First Baptist Church. After the special service, a meal will be served. The meat will be provided and everyone is asked to bring a side dish to share. If you plan to attend, you must call the Beaverdam Mission Center to make your reservation so that the proper amount of meat can be prepared. You don't want to miss this annual event for Seniors!!

The **Men's Ministry Quarterly Fellowship** will be held on Tuesday, May 7th at 6:30 p.m. at Beaverdam Baptist Church in Fair Play. If you plan to attend this event you must contact the Beaverdam Mission Center at 882-7070 to make your reservation.

The Bethel Jewels will be going to lunch at M&J Buffet in Toccoa on Thursday, May 9th. We plan to leave the church at 11:30 a.m. If you would like to go, please sign up in your Sunday School Class or call the church office at 972-3473. It is always a time of good food and great fellowship. Don't miss it!!!

The Bethel G.R.I.T.S. will be meeting on Thursday, May 9th at 6:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. All ladies and teenage girls of the church are encouraged to attend. Don't forget to bring your favorite finger foods to share during the fellowship time. Come and be part of this special ministry!!!

Due to Mother's Day, the regular business meeting will be moved up a week, Sunday, May 5th at 6:00 p.m. The following items are on the agenda:

1. The Bethel Leadership Team recommends that the New Proposed By-Laws be approved.
2. The Bethel Learning Center Committee recommends that Mickie Thrasher be approved as a Teacher's Aide for the upcoming school year.

In case you haven't noticed, our **LovingBethel Website** has been undergoing a lot of changes. With all the new changes, it is hard to keep up. So, each week we will be highlighting the new items on the website on both the Bethel FLASH and the LovingBethel Facebook Page. If you have not taken the time to like our page, please click the link <https://www.facebook.com/Loving-Bethel-353251153031/?ref=bookmarks> and like us so you can stay up to date on all that is happening with us.

Website Spotlight:

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This week's Website Spotlight is featuring our Bethel Learning Center Page. Our Bethel Learning Center plays such a key role in our church in our mission of reaching and teaching our community through our mission of "connect, love, disciple, and serve". They do such an amazing job of taking even the youngest, most active and cutest community members and showing them the love of Jesus while also preparing them to enter a world that will try to pull them away from the truth. Many of the families found at Bethel today are a direct result of the Learning Center. To see all of the adventures they have had this year or what they are planning, go visit their page at <http://www.lovingbethel.com/learning-center/>. If you have friends or family that might be interested in registering a little one to be a part of this wonderful ministry, please see one of the staff members. They would love to talk to you about what they can do to help your precious little one grow in their knowledge of basic skills needed for school but also their knowledge of Jesus.

Until next week!

Instructions for On-Line Giving:

1. Go to www.lovingbethel.com
1. Click on "Give" tab
2. Click on "Donate now" box
3. Follow on-line instruction

PREVIEW OF THE WEEK

Sunday, April 28

8:30 a.m. Prayer Time
9:00 a.m. Sunday school
10:00 a.m. Worship
2:30 p.m. Yates/McIntire Wedding Shower
5:00 p.m. VBS Praise Team – Parts
6:00 p.m. VBS Praise Team – Music
6:00 p.m. Bible Study
6:00 p.m. Holy Roar Praise Team
6:37 p.m. High School Youth
7:00 p.m. Worship Choir

Wednesday, April May 1

5:30 p.m. Bethel Leadership Team
7:00 p.m. Bible Study & Prayer Time
7:00 p.m. Youth (grades 7 – 12)
C.I.A. (grades 1 – 5)
Mission Friends (ages 3 – K)

Sunday, May 5

7:30 a.m. Deacons' Meeting
8:30 a.m. Prayer Time
9:00 a.m. Sunday school
10:00 a.m. Worship
5:00 p.m. VBS Praise Team – Parts
6:00 p.m. VBS Praise Team – Music
6:00 p.m. Business Meeting
6:00 p.m. Bible Study
6:00 p.m. Holy Roar Praise Band
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In Ministry This Week

April 28, 2019

Nursery - 4/28/19

Infants –Melinda & Kelly Harbin
Toddlers – Emily & Stella Anderson

Nursery - 5/5/19

Infants –Wendy Smith & Emma Grace
Vincent
Toddlers – Kendra & Daniel Vincent

Children's Worship

Kendra Vincent

Deacon of the Week

Chris Bishop – 280-1486

Ushers

Chris Bishop, Justin Smith

Teller

Debbie Farley

Audio & Video

Duane & Cindy McIntire