

WELCOME TO BETHEL FLASH

Attention Church Members: Now that the New Constitution and By-Laws have been approved, the Covenant Membership Commitment Forms are now available for any member of Bethel to sign and turn in. Deadline is August 11.

At the Church Conference on June 9th, the **Bethel Leadership Team** was approved. These leaders are: Early Childhood – Melodee Bright; Elementary – Cathy Myers; Middle School – Kristin Clardy; High School – Joel Davis; Prayer & Bible Study Coordinator – Tony Smith; F.I.T. – Shane Clardy; Deacons – Justin Cox; Worship/Media – Christy Peters; Financial Officer – Yvette Rochester. Be in prayer for these leaders as they begin their work.

The G.R.I.T.S. ladies are collecting summer pajamas for children that come into foster care in our area. (Many of these precious children have never owned a pair of pajamas.) We are collecting sizes 3T through size 12. Please get your pajamas to Bernice or one of the other G.R.I.T.S. ladies by Thursday, June 13th.

The VBS Kick-Off and the Deacon sponsored Independence Day Celebration will be Sunday, June 23 at 7:00 p.m. There will be lots of great fun in store for the whole family. The events of the day begin with the VBS Praise Team presenting their musical at the 10:00 a.m. worship time, with the outdoor events to follow in the afternoon. Begin now to invite all the unchurched folks you know to come and join us for this special celebration.

VBS Announcements:

- ❖ VBS t-shirts will be available for pickup this Sunday. Please come prepared to pay for yours if you have not already done so. Make checks out to the church, NOT to Cathy Myers!
- ❖ This is the last week to sign up for VBS workers' meals.
- ❖ If you would be willing to provide a dessert and/or drinks for workers one night of VBS, please contact Melodee, Carrie Beth or Cathy!

Below is the Job Description for the **Student Pastor Position:**

Bethel Church, located in Westminster SC, is currently seeking a qualified Full Time Student Ministries Director to work with the Elementary, Middle and High School Ministry Teams at Bethel. For the past year, God has been leading Bethel Baptist Church through a plan for revitalization. Now we believe we are ready to see the Student Ministries Director He would have to lead us to carry out this plan.

Responsibilities of the Student Ministries Director:

1. Provides vision, strategy, and development for all student ministry environments
2. Works with the Pastor and the High School, Middle School, and Elementary Ministry Teams to recruit, equip, and release a team of

- serving leaders, creating exciting and age appropriate environments for children to learn, grow and become disciples that make disciples
3. Oversees the safety of the children and those serving
 4. Maintains regular office hours through the week as well as weekend hours
 5. Visits members related to High School, Middle School and Elementary ministries
 6. Assists the Pastor by visiting with prospective members in the High School, Middle School and Elementary School age range
 7. Assist the High School, Middle School and Elementary Ministry Team Leader submit budget requests or changes to the Bethel Leadership Team and work within that approved budget
 8. Serve as an advisor to the High School, Middle School and Elementary Ministry Team Leaders and Team members serving the Youth and Children's ministries
 9. Lead High School, Middle School, and Elementary age children to follow the Bethel discipleship process of Connect, Love, Disciple and Serve in all phases of their spiritual growth
 10. Work with the High School, Middle School, and Elementary Ministry Team Leader to recruit and coordinate volunteers for planned events
 11. Work with the High School, Middle School, and Elementary Ministry Team to implement Bible Studies, Events, Literature Materials, etc.

Responsibilities Specific to Middle & High School Ministry

Middle School - Grades 6th, 7th, and 8th

High School - Grades 9th, 10th, 11th, and 12th

1. Prepare lessons for Bible Study for different age groups and teams
2. Direct and lead Bible Study services at designated times
3. Organize and lead programs for different age groups in Bible Study, Discipleship Training, Outreach Projects, Mission Trips, Youth Events (Retreats, Concerts, Lock-ins, Fundraisers, etc.), Fellowship, Music and Worship

Responsibilities Specific to Elementary Ministry

Grades Pre-Kindergarten to Grade 5

1. Organize and coordinate with teachers a meaningful, age appropriate Bible Study and Worship experience during the Worship Service hour
2. Organize and coordinate with the Elementary Ministry Team leader all other activities and discipleship process for this age group
3. Organize literature materials for all Bible Study sessions
Organize and coordinate programs focused on discipleship training
4. Organize and coordinate events such as parties, parents' night out, mission projects, fundraisers, and fellowship, etc.

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:

This week's Website Spotlight is featuring our Bethel Youth page. Go check out what our Youth has been up to the past few weeks at <https://www.lovingbethel.com/youth-ministry/>. We have started making changes to this area of our church and it is showing as it is growing! With new leadership beginning to come along side of leaders who were already doing an amazing job, this is sure to have continued success. Reach out and encourage our Youth Committee this week for the hard work they have been and continue to do for our next generation.

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, June 16

8:30 a.m. Prayer Time
9:00 a.m. Sunday school
10:00 a.m. Worship

No evening activities – Take this opportunity to spend quality time with your family and friends as you celebrate Father's Day.

Wednesday, June 19

6:30 p.m. Deacon Visitation
7:00 p.m. Youth (grades 6 – 12)

Friday, June 21

6:00 p.m. VBS Praise Team - Everyone

Sunday, June 23

8:30 a.m. Prayer Time
9:00 a.m. VBS Praise Team - Everyone
9:00 a.m. Sunday school
10:00 a.m. Worship – VBS Musical
7:00 p.m. VBS Kick-Off & Independence Day Celebration

In Ministry This Week
June 16, 2019

Nursery - 6/16/19

Infants –Amber & Justin Cox
Toddlers –Rhonda & Kevin Sheriff

Nursery - 6/23/19

Infants –No Nursery
Toddlers – No Nursery

Children's Worship

Cindy Myers

Deacon of the Week

Mike Peters – 280-6696

Ushers

Gene Ramsay, Andy Myers, Phillip Moncus

Teller

Debbie Farley

Audio & Video

Duane & Cindy McIntire