

Order of Worship June 17, 2012

***Third Sunday After Pentecost /
Homecoming Sunday / Father's Day***

***Welcome to Bethel United Methodist Church
and our Homecoming Celebration today.***

***We're glad you are here! If you are seeking a church home, we
invite you to join us in this outpost of God's Kingdom.***

Prelude

Greeting and Opening Prayer

*Greet One Another with the Peace of Christ

Celebration of the Church's Ministries

Recognition of Fathers

United Methodist Women Presentation

Special Music Mr. Joe Jackson

*Hymn **Hymnal, # 710**
Faith of Our Fathers

New Testament Lesson **2 Corinthians 5:6-10, 14-17**

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Silent Prayer, Pastoral Prayer, and
The Lord's Prayer **Hymnal, # 895**

*Hymn **Hymnal, # 545**
The Church's One Foundation (Verses 1, 4 & 5)

Offering of God's Tithes and our Gifts

****Doxology*** and Dedication of the Offering **Hymnal, # 95**

Special Music Mr. Joe Jackson

Prayer for Illumination:

Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit, that as the Scriptures are read and your word proclaimed, the flame of your love will ignite our spirits. Amen.

Gospel Lesson **Mark 4:26-34**

Moments with our Youth

Message ***"Growth Is God's"*** Rev. Way

Invitation to Greater Commitment**

*Hymn **Hymnal, # 377**
It Is Well with My Soul

*Benediction

Postlude

*Please stand, as you are able.

** Our anointed altar is always open to those who come at God's call and invitation.

Pastor: Bob Way

Lay Leader & Treasurer: Bruce Pleasant
Pianist: Frances Marston

Prayer List

Shut-In Members and Special Needs

(Names may be removed after three months, unless requested to be kept on list.)

Jerry Amash	06	Rev. Buddy Hall	04	Jerry Richmond	05
Chris Andrew	04	Marvin Hamlett	03	Paul Richmond	03
James (Snake) Ashby	06	Pete Hamlett	06	Ritchie Richmond	03
Tyffanie Berdine	05	Joseph Jackson Family	04	Janice Roland	04
Derek Berry Family	05	Keith Kirby	04	Karl Roland	04
Wendy Bigelow	06	Albert Madren	05	Franklin Rudd	04
<i>Our Bishop</i>		Kathy Mason	05	Lois Rudd	04
Beatrice Briggs	06	Ken (Mac) McIntyre	04	<i>Schools, Students & Teachers</i>	
Naomi Catlett	04	<i>Military Members & Families</i>		Shyanne Stump & Fam	06
<i>Persecuted Christians</i>		<i>Missionaries & Families</i>		<i>Our District Superintendent</i>	
<i>Our Church & Charge</i>		Doris Nance	06	Faye Talley	03
Pat Cobb	05	<i>Our Nation</i>		Dixie Vernon	06
Drake & Ashlyn Curtis	03	Howard Oakley	03	Edward Vernon	06
<i>Disaster Survivors & Teams</i>		<i>Elected/Appointed Officials</i>		Laura Webster	05
<i>First Responders</i>		Janet Ratcliff	03	Clyde Willis	06

Next Week's Scriptures: 1 Samuel 17:32-49; Psalm 9:9-20;
2 Corinthians 6:1-13; Mark 4:35-41

Announcements:

Welcome to today's Homecoming service! We thank Joe Jackson for our special music today, and rejoice with all who love Bethel UMC. Please extend your celebration of Homecoming by joining us for the fellowship meal immediately after worship. Bible Study (Hebrews 12:1 – 13:25): 7:00 pm Thu, Jun 21 (at Union UMC)

Thanks to everyone who supported our Special Offering last Sunday. Bethel UMC honored Bishop Gwinn during Annual Conference with a \$127 gift to the Methodist Home for Children's 1K for 1 Kid program.



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