

*Welcome to Bethel United Methodist Church.
We're glad you are here! If you are seeking a church home, we
invite you to join us as we love and serve from this blessed place
in God's Kingdom.*

Prelude

Greeting and Celebration of the Church's Ministries

Opening Prayer

*Greet One Another with the Peace of Christ

*Hymn **Hymnal, # 577**
God of Grace and God of Glory

New Testament Lesson **James 5:13-20**

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

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

*Hymn **Hymnal, # 591**
Rescue the Perishing (Verses 1, 3 & 4)

Offering of God's Tithes and our Gifts

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

Musical Meditation

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 9:38-50**

Moments with our Youth

Message "Who's 'Inside?'" Rev. Way

Invitation to Receive God's Gifts

*Hymn** **Hymnal, # 467**
Trust and Obey

*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.)

James (Snake) Ashby	06	Tristan Jett	09	Jerry Richmond	09
Tyffanie Berdine	09	Keith Kirby	09	Paul Richmond	09
Wendy Bigelow	06	A. C. Long	09	Janice Roland	09
<i>Our Bishop</i>		Kathy Mason	09	Karl Roland	09
Randy Blalock	08	Ken (Mac) McIntyre	07	Lois Rudd	08
Beatrice Briggs	06	<i>Military Members & Families</i>		<i>Schools, Students & Teachers</i>	
Naomi Catlett	09	<i>Missionaries & Families</i>		David Smith Family	08
<i>Persecuted Christians</i>		Doris Nance	08	Shyanne Stump Family	06
<i>Our Church & Charge</i>		<i>Our Nation</i>		Dixie Vernon	06
<i>Disaster Survivors & Teams</i>		Howard Oakley	09	Edward Vernon	06
<i>Our District Superintendent</i>		<i>Elected/Appointed Officials</i>		Laura Webster	09
<i>First Responders</i>		Cheryl Owen	08	Daniel Whited	07
Rev Buddy Hall Family	09	Evelyn Pulliam Family	07	John Whited, Jr.	07
Marvin Hamlett	09	Janet Ratcliff	09	Clyde Willis	06
Pete Hamlett	09	Bill Richburg	09		

Next Week's Scriptures: Job 1:1, 2:1-10; Psalm 26;
Hebrews 1:1-4, 2:5-12; Mark 10:2-16

Announcements:

Bishop Ward Installation Service: 4:00 pm **Today**, at Edenton Street UMC in Raleigh (find link at www.nccumc.org to watch online)
Bible Study (Romans 12): 7:00 pm Thu, Oct 4, at Union UMC
World Communion Sunday Special Offering: Sun, Oct 7
Evening Singing Service: 6:00 pm Sun, Oct 7, at Union UMC. Bring a generous *Love Offering* for *Unlimited Grace* and stay for refreshments and fellowship afterwards.
District Superintendent Installation Service: 4:00-6:00 pm Sun, Oct 14, at Mt. Sylvan UMC in Durham
United Methodist Women (UMW): 7:00 pm Wed, Oct 24
Fall Singing Celebration: 5:00 pm Sun, Nov 18. Music by *Smokehouse Bluegrass Gospel* and Joe Jackson. A *Love Offering* will be received for the musicians, and *Finger Foods* will be served in the Fellowship Hall after the singing.



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In Ministry to God Through Service to the World