

# What's Happening

at Bethany

Mar. 18, 2021



**The Mission Team will be joining Valley Missions for their Easter Mission Project this spring.**

They need donations of sandwich & lunch bags, Lysol wipes & spray, window & bathroom cleaner, laundry detergent, aluminum foil, umbrellas & ponchos, work gloves and thermal underwear. These donations can be brought to the church and Lori Mooney will take them to Valley Mission. They are also asking for monetary donations to help replace their playground. Checks should be written out to BUMC with "VM Playground Fund" in the memo line. Donations will be taken through Easter Sunday! There will be a basket in the foyer for your donations.



**We will be decorating the sanctuary in marvelous color this Easter season!** If you would like to order a beautiful tulip or geranium in honor or in memory of a loved one, please fill out the attached flower form and return it to the office by Monday, March 22.

**There will be an Easter Egg Hunt for Bethany children after the worship service Easter Sunday.** We are in need of individually wrapped candy to stuff in eggs. There will be a basket in the foyer for your donations.



**We would like to schedule a transition team meeting for Children's Ministries ... a brainstorming session on how we can provide our young children a meaningful opportunity to participate in worship on Sunday mornings.** We have cleared a large space in the fellowship hall and have yoga mats; now we need your input and help as parents. What are you looking for? What would your young people enjoy and get value from? Anyone interested in getting your kids back into church, please join us on Thursday, March 24 at 7 pm in the fellowship hall.

**Happy Birthday to ...**  
18th - Sidney Moyer  
19th - Gary Byard  
23rd - Cheryl Richards  
25th - Camden Herron



**Make plans to join us on Friday, April 2, Good Friday, as we contemplate Jesus' journey to the cross and our own journey as real followers of Christ.** Come anytime between 5-6:30 pm to walk at your own pace through our five interactive stations in the sanctuary. In addition, there will be a brief virtual service beginning at 6:30 pm that will be broadcast on Facebook and at the church.



**The Trustees are looking for people to help mow the lawn this summer and to sign up for a month at a time if possible.** There will be volunteers to fill in if you can't cover it for a week or so. Please contact the church office at [office.bethany@gmail.com](mailto:office.bethany@gmail.com) or 234-8880. Or you can contact Scott Williams. (We already have a volunteer for the month of July.)

**Sunday's Sermon Title:** Real Followers Extend Grace

**Scripture:** Ephesians 2:1-10

**Please be in Prayer for ...**

**Members:** Tom & Jan Gorden, Lloyd Meadows, Jean Radocha, Gary Ruleman, Phil & Ruth Ann Mikesell, Ken Shifflett, Judy Faby

**Extended Members:** Wayne Martlock - father of Dani Martlock, Dennis Myers - nephew of Carolyn Roller

*Thank everyone for the love and support we have received from our church family during our time of sorrow. We have been blessed with all of the prayers, cards, phone calls and meals that we have received. Thank you! -Kevin & Tara Stroop*