

*Christian sympathies go out to the family and friends of Lila Davis,
who joined the church triumphant on November 20.*

*Christian sympathies go out to the family and friends of Valerie Oldham,
who joined the church triumphant on November 28.*

Announcements

VBS Need

If you are replacing your artificial Christmas tree this year, VBS wants the old one. This year's theme is camping so we need lots of trees! Artificial trees can be donated anytime, contact Children's Ministries to arrange details. We will not be able to return trees, so make sure you do not want it back.

Local Missions Sock Drive

Local Missions will continue collecting men's socks until the end of the year. These socks are to be distributed at the warming shelter. Containers with signs will be placed at the entrances/exits for Spell Chapel, the Sanctuary, and the Fellowship Hall. No holy socks please. If you need further information, please contact Barbara Nimocks 843.276.4230 or John Lyons 843.708.9837. Thank you!

Happy Hearts

There will not be a November meeting. We will meet on December 8 for our Christmas party. The famous host "Chef", Rev. Michael Ritter, will re-create Paula Dean's special Chicken in Wine Sauce to be served over rice, with a vegetable, dessert, and drink for only \$8. To make your reservation, call Dot by **TODAY** at 843.343.5450 or email her at dmprevatte@yahoo.com.

The instrumental group, Gloryland Trio, will provide entertainment following lunch. This group consisting of Luke Biggs, Charlie Davis, and Jim Griffin will be leading the singing of Christmas carols and as well as other music. This group has been providing down-home music for church events for years.

Angel Tree

Make a child's Christmas wish come true! The Angel Tree is now LIVE. Gifts can be dropped off November 30-December 11 in the Business Office. Please scan the QR code to choose a child.



Thank You from Global Missions

Praise the Lord! 495 Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes are on their way to deliver the Gospel message to children around the world. Thank you, Bethany for your generosity and enthusiasm for this mission! Our goal of 323 boxes was crushed because of YOU!



First Sunday in Advent

Bethany United Methodist Church Spell Chapel ~ 8 o'clock a.m.

December 3, 2023

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