

CHURCH VOLUNTEERS

Are you looking for a way to get involved and volunteer your time? Bethany needs a Welcome Center receptionist on Thursday afternoons and Friday mornings. If this sounds interesting to you- please contact Ann Gill at 843-873-1230 or agill@bethany-umc.com.

UNITED WOMEN IN FAITH HYGIENE COLLECTION

The United Women in Faith is doing a Hygiene Collection for local school counselors who will distribute items to those in need. Please bring items in no later than March 9. Drop off bins can be found outside the Business Office.

Items needed: body wash, deodorant, body lotion, shampoo, conditioner, toothpaste, tooth brushes, and clothing detergent.

SPECIAL LENTEN OFFERING

A part of Bethany's participation in the Lenten season is the giving of a special offering as a church that is above and beyond our regular tithes and offerings. Our special Lenten Offering will go to Holy City Missions. Scan the QR code to give or leave your offering in the plate located by the front entrance.



WINTERTIME BLUES?

If more than temporary, maybe you could benefit from a warm and caring Stephen Minister. Grey and chilly days can bring on sadness, and talking about it can help. Let Stephen Ministry share your burdens. Please reach out. For women: Sue Malphrus at 843.345. 9116 or Leah Martin at 404.408.5457. For men: Denis Tsukalas at 843.729.5348 or Pastor Mark Barnes at 843.873.2130.

SCAN TO GIVE OPTION

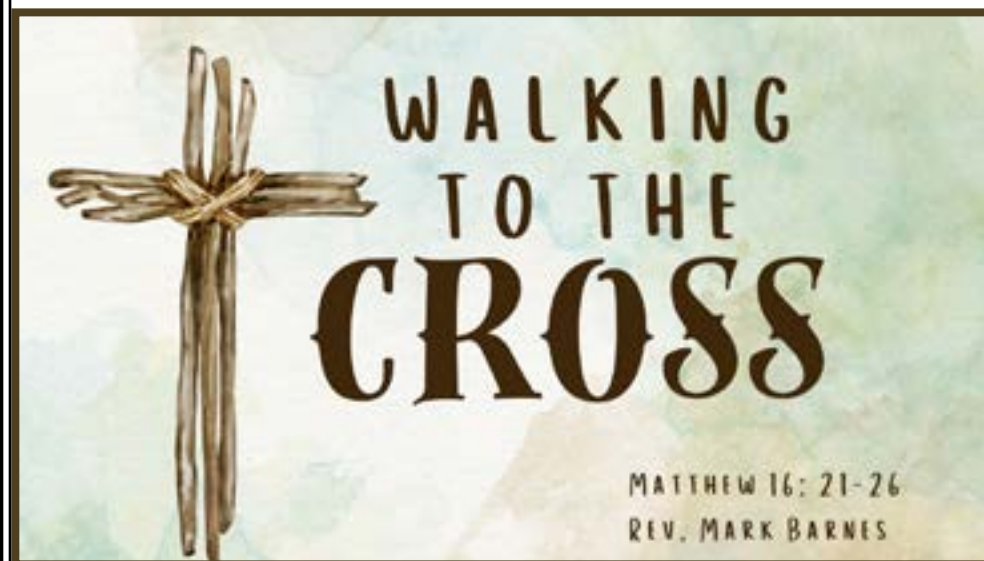
It's easier than ever to give now! Simply scan this QR Code & you will be directed to PushPay, our online giving platform. You can also text 833.245.8417 and give right from your phone!



Safety and Assistance Emergency number 854.429.1848 available on Sunday mornings from 7:30am-12:30pm.

Welcome to

Word & Table



WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE

Bethany United Methodist Church
118 W. 3rd South Street
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March 3, 2024

• ORDER OF WORSHIP •

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

SONGS OF FAITH

OFFERING

SONG OF FAITH

KIDS' MOMENT

PASTORAL PRAYER

SCRIPTURE: MATTHEW 16: 21-26

MESSAGE: "WALKING TO THE CROSS"

COMMUNION

SONG OF FAITH

BENEDICTION

Matthew 16: 21-26 (NIV)

21 From that time on Jesus began to explain to his disciples that he must go to Jerusalem and suffer many things at the hands of the elders, the chief priests and the teachers of the law, and that he must be killed and on the third day be raised to life.

22 Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him. "Never, Lord!" he said. "This shall never happen to you!"

23 Jesus turned and said to Peter, "Get behind me, Satan! You are a stumbling block to me; you do not have in mind the concerns of God, but merely human concerns."

24 Then Jesus said to his disciples, "Whoever wants to be my disciple must deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. 25 For whoever wants to save their life[a] will lose it, but whoever loses their life for me will find it. 26 What good will it be for someone to gain the whole world, yet forfeit their soul? Or what can anyone give in exchange for their soul?"

NO W&T SERVICE NEXT SUNDAY (MARCH 10)

Due to Missions Possible next week, there will not be a Word & Table service. Please join us in Spell Chapel at 8am or in the Sanctuary at 8:45 am and 11:15 am.

INFORMATIVE MEETING FOR CAMP NATHANEAL TRIP

There is an information and update meeting for the Camp Nathaneal trip today in the Conference Room at 10 am. For more information, contact Roanna Payne at 843.343.9217 or roanna1958@bellsouth.net.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT BNOW

BNOW will continue during Lent with dinner, Children's Activities and Lenten Worship. Dinner will be from 5-6 pm, with Children's Activities starting at 6 pm. Lenten Worship will be at 6:15 pm in Spell Chapel.

The meal for this week (**March 6**) will be fried chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, biscuit, salad bar and dessert. The Sunday School class that will be hosting is Charles Peace. Meals are \$9 for Adults, \$7 for Seniors (over 65) and \$5 for Children (12 and under) with a family maximum of \$25 (2 parents and children under 12 that live in the same household).

LENTEN SERVICES

Each Wednesday night during Lent, we will have guest ministers preaching for our Lenten services in Spell Chapel at 6:15pm.

March 6: Rev. Mitch Houston

March 13: Rev. Burton Ott

March 20: Rev. Bob Lee

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER WORSHIP TIMES

Bethany offers many special worship services during the Lenten season and Holy Week. It is a time of reflection and a reminder of God's grace and love for us all.

Maundy Thursday Service- March 28 at 7pm in the Sanctuary.

Good Friday Service- March 29 at 7pm in the Sanctuary.

Easter Sunday- March 31 Sunrise Service is Azalea Park at 6:30 am.

Spell Chapel Service at 8am, Word & Table Contemporary Service at 8:45am in the Fellowship Hall and Traditional Services at 8:45 and 11:15 in the Sanctuary.