

**CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK**

January 17th - January 23rd

- Today:** Pizza Dinner Reservations and  
Silent Auction Items Deadline  
8:30 - The Bells of Bethel  
9:45 - Sunday School  
11:00 - Worship  
6:30 - Youth Meeting (ASP Mission Trip)  
and Activity
- Monday:** Martin Luther King, Jr. Birthday  
Church Office Closed
- Tuesday:** 6:30 - Men of the Church Dinner
- Wednesday:** 7:00 - Adult Choir
- Thursday:** Tower Deadline

*Next Sunday, January 24th:*

- 8:30 - The Bells of Bethel*
- 9:45 - Sunday School*
- 11:00 - Worship/Four Cents A Meal Offering*
- 12:00 - Witness Committee*
- 4:00 - 8:00 - Pizza Dinner Fundraiser and  
Silent Auction*

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Greeters: John Wooddell

\*The flowers are given to the Glory of God by Libby Smith.

\*The Middle and High School Youth will meet this evening at 6:30 pm. A program on the Appalachian Service Project (ASP) will be presented. We will also have an activity and share a snack. If you would like to be a part of the ASP mission trip, please be sure to attend this meeting. Any adult or youth (age 14 or over) are invited to attend this meeting. Come and join us to learn more about this mission opportunity!

\*The Church Office will be closed tomorrow for the Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday.

\*The Church Secretary will be on vacation this Tuesday, January 19th. Joel will be in the office from 9 am until 12 pm if you need anything. Thank you!

\*The Men of the Church will meet this Tuesday, January 19th, at 6:30 pm.

\*The February Tower deadline is this Thursday, January 21st. Please have all articles and announcements to the church office by 3 pm. Thank you!

\*MISSION FUNDRAISER! HOMEMADE PIZZA-PIZZA-PIZZA! Our very own Fabulous Folsoms (and friends) have offered to host (in the Fellowship Hall) **an evening of homemade pizzas and fun on January 24th. The dinner will be from 4 pm until 8 pm. Reservations are required and must be made by Sunday, January 17th.** Please call Keith or Tish Folsom (337-0725) or the church office (886-6041) to make reservations. A free will offering will be accepted for the meal. There will also be a Silent Auction held that evening. We are asking for donations for the Silent Auction. Any items (homemade, new or slightly used) would be appreciated. Please give donations to the Folsoms or leave them in the church office with a note specifying it is for the Silent Auction. **Please have donations turned in by Sunday, January 17th.** All proceeds from the pizza and silent auction will go to Bethel's mission fund. Mark your calendar and be prepared to eat, eat, eat! Feel free to call the church office or Keith and Tish Folsom for more information as well!

\*The Witness Committee will meet on Sunday, January 24th, after the worship service.

\*The Bethel Women's Evening Circle will be defrosting the freezers in the church kitchen soon. **If you have food stored in these freezers, please remove it before January 31st.** Thank you!

\*The deadline for the Annual Reports for 2009 is January 31st, 2010. If you were a chair of a committee for 2009, you must have your report and statement to the church office by the above date. This allows the church secretary time to organize and print the reports before the Congregational Meeting in March. Thanks!

\*ATTENTION CONGREGATION MEMBERS: Please check the church directory to make sure that the address, phone number, cell phone number, and email that we have for you and for your family members is updated and correct. If you have a cell phone and/or email address and would not mind those being listed/used by the church, please give us that information as well. Communication is an essential element of church life, and if it is difficult or impossible to get in touch with you, then that communication suffers as does our church life together. ATTENTION CHURCH OFFICERS: Check your shepherding lists for accurate information. We would like all of these updates by January 31st. You can give this updated information to Joel directly, leave it in his mailbox in Memorial Hall, email the information to [standanddeclare@gmail.com](mailto:standanddeclare@gmail.com) or contact him by phone at 540-886-2944. Thank you!

\* Copies of the Bethel cookbooks are available in Memorial Hall on the bench beside Joel's office. Please leave a check payable to Bethel Presbyterian Women for \$15.00 per book in the Presbyterian Women's mailbox. Cookbooks will be available for purchase on Sundays in January in Memorial Hall after the worship service. Also, cookbooks will be available before the pizza dinner on January 24th. If you have any questions please contact Joyce Miller (Moderator - Bethel PWCT). Thank you!

\*Should you find any errors in the Bethel cookbook please contact Ken Miller. You can call him (337-0828), mail it to him (65 Dove Hill Lane; Staunton, VA 24401) or put it in the Deacon's mailbox in Memorial Hall. Thank you!

\*Attention! All new Elders now have mailboxes in Memorial Hall. If you are an Elder that has had a mailbox in Memorial Hall in the past it may have been moved to a different box. In an effort to make mailboxes easier to find, all of the Elder's mailboxes have been put in alphabetical order according to last names. Remember to check your mailbox regularly for news, announcements, etc. If you have any questions please contact the church office. Thank you!

\*In the event of bad weather on Sunday mornings, please tune into WHSV - TV3 (Harrisonburg) or log onto their website ([www.whsv.com](http://www.whsv.com)) for information on whether church has been cancelled. Thank you!

\*If you would like to join Bethel Presbyterian Church, please feel free to contact the pastor or a session member. We would love to hear from you.

Attendance: January 10th: 89

Weekly Budget: \$3,513.00 Received: \$2,286.00