

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

January 24th - January 30th

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

Monday: 6:30 - Cub Scouts
7:00 - Boy Scouts

Wednesday: 7:00 - Adult Choir

Thursday: Tower Mailing

Next Sunday, January 31st: 2009 Annual Reports Due

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9:45 - Sunday School
11:00 - Worship
12:00 - PWCT Meeting
4:00 - Youth Serving Meal at Valley Mission*

Greeters: John Wooddell

- *The flowers are given to the Glory of God by Libby Smith.
- *The Witness Committee will meet immediately following the worship service today.
- *Everyone who is planning on participating in a mission trip for 2010 is asked to help with the Pizza Dinner Fundraiser and Silent Auction this evening. Please plan to be here by 3 pm to help. Thank you!
- *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 PWCT will meet after the worship service next Sunday, January 31st.

*The Bethel Youth will be serving a Soup, Sandwich, and Salad Dinner at the Valley Mission, on Sunday, January 31st, at 4 pm. If anyone in the congregation would like to help or would be willing to donate food please contact Susan Smith. 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 him or contact him by phone. Thank you!

*The Bethel Youth will be collecting an offering for the Souper Bowl of Caring on Sunday, February 7th, following the worship service. The Bethel congregation is asked to make donations of money and canned goods which will be given to Kingsway. We appreciate your help in making this a successful endeavor to raise funds and food for a worthwhile cause.

*Boy Scout Sunday will be held on Sunday, February 7th, 2010. During the worship service, the Boy Scouts will be recognized for their contribution to the community and to Bethel. All are invited to this special service!

* 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, mail it to him or put it in the Deacon's mailbox in Memorial Hall. 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) 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 17th: 89

Weekly Budget: \$3,513.00 Received: \$3,235.00