

CHRISTMAS EVE WORSHIP SERVICES

Bethany UMC will celebrate the birth of our Messiah with five Christmas Eve worship services this year.

Please register online at www.bethany-umc.com.

- 3 P.M. Traditional Worship in the Sanctuary:
Holy Communion will be served.
- 5 P.M. Candlelight Worship in the Sanctuary: For families with young children. Children will be singing.
Communion will NOT be served.
- 7:30 P.M. Traditional Candlelight Service in the Sanctuary:
Holy Communion will be served.
- 7:30 P.M. Contemporary Candlelight Service in the Fellowship Hall:
Includes music by the Word and Table Praise Band.
Holy Communion will be served.
- 11 P.M. Candlelight Worship in the Sanctuary:
This candlelight worship service, which concludes at midnight, is the most formal and ceremonial of the Christmas Eve services.
Holy Communion will be served.

• NOTES •

Welcome to

Word & Table



DECK THE HALLS

WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE

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Summerville, SC 29483
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December 13, 2020

•ORDER OF WORSHIP•

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME NEW MEMBER

PRAISE SONGS

PASTORAL PRAYER

OFFERING

SCRIPTURE ISAIAH 61: 1-4, 8-11

MESSAGE COMPANY'S COMING - DECK THE HALLS!!

CLOSING SONG

BENEDICTION

SCRIPTURE

Isaiah 61: 1-4, 8-11

The spirit of the Lord God is upon me, because the Lord has anointed me; he has sent me to bring good news to the oppressed, to bind up the broken-hearted, to proclaim liberty to the captives, and release to the prisoners; to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor, and the day of vengeance of our God; to comfort all who mourn; to provide for those who mourn in Zion- to give them a garland instead of ashes, the oil of gladness instead of mourning, the mantle of praise instead of a faint spirit. They will be called oaks of righteousness, the planting of the Lord, to display his glory. They shall build up the ancient ruins, they shall raise up the former devastations; they shall repair the ruined cities, the devastations of many generations. For I the Lord love justice, I hate robbery and wrongdoing; I will faithfully give them their recompense, and I will make an everlasting covenant with them.

Their descendants shall be known among the nations, and their offspring among the peoples; all who see them shall acknowledge that they are a people whom the Lord has blessed. I will greatly rejoice in the Lord, my whole being shall exult in my God; for he has clothed me with the garments of salvation, he has covered me with the robe of righteousness, as a bridegroom decks himself with a garland, and as a bride adorns herself with her jewels. For as the earth brings forth its shoots, and as a garden causes what is sown in it to spring up, so the Lord God will cause righteousness and praise to spring up before all the nations.

ADVENT SERVICES

Wednesday, December 16 will be our last Advent worship service. It is held at 6:30 pm in the Sanctuary. There will also be a virtual option (via Facebook and our website).

TEXT TO GIVE OPTION

It's easier than ever to give now! Simply text: bethanyumc to 77977. This is a safe and convenient way to give!

STEPHEN MINISTRY

If you are hurting, in need of a hand to hold on to or talk thru an issue or problem we are a Stephen Ministry Church and have Stephen Ministers ready to be with you. Contact Denis Tsukalas 843.871.0381 or Mary Kay Wrenn 843.323.2130 or 843.821.3123.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES - BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR JESUS

Come by this Sunday after worship or until 2pm in the covered drive-thru area to pick up your Birthday Party for Jesus bag. Everything you need to have your own birthday party - cake mix, icing, games and more!

OFFERING ENVELOPES

Offering envelopes are ready for pick up in the hallway near the kitchen. Please help us be a good steward of our finances by picking your envelopes up today.

RIGHTNOW MEDIA

Don't forget you have access to tons of video resources - Bible studies, movies, TV shows and more - on RightNow Media. To sign up, simply text Rightnow Bethany message to 41411.

WIFI ACCESS

If you would like to connect to Wi-Fi while on church property, please use the guest connection and password guest2015.