


11:00 AM:
Dr. Jimmie Decker


6:30 PM:
 **ALL Auxiliary Classes**
will meet in the sanctuary tonight.





**BETHLEHEM
BAPTIST CHURCH**

OCTOBER 5, 2025


Sunday announcements

 **BABY SHOWER THIS AFTERNOON AT 3 PM**
to welcome: Lily Marie (arriving in November)
parents: Tim & Kara **grandparents:** Matt & Kendra C.
where: Bethlehem Family Life Center
registered at: Target, Amazon & Babylist

 **FOOD PANTRY DAY TOMORROW, 9 - 12**
If you would like to volunteer tomorrow, arrive at the FLC as early as you can (6:30-7:00 AM) to fill boxes to hand out to those in the community starting at 9:00.

 **WM Silent Auction Bake Sale NEXT SUNDAY, OCT. 12**
when: After morning service **where:** FLC
proceeds go to: State WMA project- Morgan Grace
We need you to bring your delicious baked goods (desserts, candy, bread, rolls, a take home casserole, etc.).

 **October District Meetings:**
WMA: LifeSong Church, Oct. 11 at 10 AM.
MEN'S BREAKFAST: Mt. Olive Baptist Church (Guy) Oct. 11 at 8:00.
GMA: Beaverfork Park (leave after morning service). Bring sack lunch & comfortable clothes *please let Kelsey or Robin know if you are attending.

 **Packing Party With Purpose, October 19 at 6:30 PM**
All classes that night will meet in the FLC (kids too) to put together 1,000 bags for our community outreach at Matthews Park. You can bring a sweet treat to share!

1 John 2:15-17 **Can A Person Know God and Love The World?**

Can a person know God and love the world? To truly follow Jesus, a person must keep his eyes on Jesus, not on the world (Heb 12:1-2). Jesus taught that our hearts and treasure should be in heaven, not in the world (Matt 6:19-21). Chrisitan contentment comes through desiring heaven above things of earth (Heb 11:13-16). We are citizens of heaven (Phil 3:20) and foreigners on earth (1 Pet 2:11). Those who know God love the things of God, not the things of the world. "The man who has truly seen the glory of God is strangely indifferent to the riches, honors, or pleasures of this world" (A.W. Tozer).

FALL OUTREACH, OCT. 25

We are connecting with our community at Art Jam 2025. This will be held on Sat., Oct. 25 at Matthews Park in Greenbrier. There are many opportunities to help with this outreach—get your whole family involved!

Please bring by NEXT Sunday for the bags we will hand out:

- ✧ Boxes of Spiced Apple Cider packets
- ✧ Packages of Individually wrapped Caramel Cubes

Those who know God love the things of God, not the things of the world.

✧ Those who love the _____ do not _____ God.

✧ _____ desires are not from God.

✧ Things of the world are _____ ; knowing God is _____.

HELP NEEDED ON OCT. 25

✧ *Help Hand-out Treat Bags* & get to know others in the community. One hour time slots available! SIGN UP in the foyer!

✧ *Help with Face Painting*

**No artistic skills required!* We will provide easy to use stencils, stamps, and step by step guides—anyone can do it! Whether you can draw a perfect butterfly or just stick on a sparkly star, we have a spot for you! SIGN UP for one or more time slots in the FOYER.

We will also have a face painting tutorial class on Sunday, Oct. 19 at 5:30 p.m. - this will get you familiar with the tools and give you practice time!

WELCOME TO BBC!

If you are visiting today, please fill out the side tear-off portion and drop it in the offering plate or hand it to one of our staff.

CHURCH WEBSITE: Visit us at bethlehembc.info.
You can also follow us on Facebook.

Lifeword Sunday **is October 19!**

YOUTH (7TH-12TH)

Family Bible
Reading
Matthew 16-18

Youth Wed. (10/8)
@ 5:45: Games in the FLC
@ 6:15: Band Practice
@ 6:30: Worship & Bible Study, Job 2
@ 7:15: Fellowship meal
Nov. 22—Youth Hiking Trip



Message on October 12

Kelvin Richardson

OFFERING BOXES are located in the foyer on the side of the info desk and the sanctuary right front entrance. You can also give to BBC by going to our website and click the "Give Online" link on the menu or you can text your dollar amount to 501-302-4464.

