

Welcome to Bethel

We're glad you're here!

Order of Service

September 20, 2026

Welcome

Announcements, Scripture, Prayer.....Roger Keys

Congregational Songs ~Burgundy Book~

Hymn #369.....The Uncloudy Day

Hymn #353.....When We All Get To Heaven

Hymn #476.....What A Day That Will Be

Giving of Tithes & Offerings

Special Music by Mama Angeline

Message from God's Word.....Pastor Issac Obure

Invitation Hymn #546.....Only Trust Him

A Cherished Shepherd Remembered

We extend our deepest condolences to the family and loved ones of Rev. Charles McElhaney, who faithfully served as pastor of Bethel Baptist Church for many years. Brother Charles faithfully shepherded this congregation, preached God's Word, and touched countless lives through his ministry. His years of service are a treasured part of Bethel's history and will always hold a special place in the hearts of those who were blessed to know him. Please keep his family and loved ones in your prayers.

Christian Sympathy

Please keep *Michael & Julia Barnard, David & Linda Berryhill, and Roger & DeAnne Keys* in your prayers as they grieve the loss of their loved ones. May God comfort and strengthen each family during this difficult time.

*"Blessed are they that mourn: for they shall be comforted."
Matthew 5:4*

Around Bethel This Week

SUNDAY • September 20

11:00 Sunday Morning Service

WEDNESDAY • September 23

6:00 A Time in the Word & Prayer

7:00 Search Committee Meeting

Wanderer's Trip

No cooking. No dishes. No kitchen cleanup. Just show up, eat good food, and enjoy some fellowship together. Sound good? Then join the Wanderer's at the Crushed Tomato in Lafayette on Thursday night, September 24th. The church van will leave the church at 5:00 for anyone who wishes to ride. If you plan to join us, please be sure to sign the sheet in the vestibule so we'll know how many folks to expect for supper.

Prayer Team News

Corporate prayers foster a strong sense of community among believers. It helps build relationships, rooted in faith and nurtures support as we pray for our new pastor. Hebrews 10: 24-25 encourages us believers to meet regularly and pray together. Gathering even apart in our homes, and yet together spiritually strengthens our bonds between believers, creating a spiritual family that withstands strong during trials and tribulations. Let us pray on Tuesdays as God leads us for Bethel Baptist Church.

A Special Welcome

Today, we are delighted to welcome Pastor Issac Obure and Mama Angeline from Kenya to our service! They have faithfully worked alongside Marshall and Eddy Rushing for several years, helping spread God's Word and share the love of Christ. We are truly blessed to have them worship with us today.

Guest Speaker

Dr. Michael Jones will be preaching next Sunday as a prospective candidate for our pastor position. Please join us in prayer as he comes to share God's Word with us.

Prayer Concerns

Daryl Abbott-kidney cancer
Daniel Berryhill-David's son
David Berryhill
Richard Campbell-Linda's son
Mike Evans - back surgery
Faye Franklin
Michael Harp-cancer
Hegwood family & baby Tuff
Anne Hentz-hip surgery
Susan Hentz
Susan Kennedy Taylor
Tommy Kennedy-cardiac issues
Randy Luttrell
Vanessa Martin-hospice care
Sue Miracle-health issues
Wayne Nation
Mike & Rita Parrish
Voncille Phillips-Alzheimer's
Aydan Pitts-Bobbie's grandson
Sandra Stansel-cancer
Brenda Williams
Bethel Baptist Church
Our nation & its leaders
Unspoken requests
Lost/Not in Church

Shut Ins:

Jo Burrows
Ann Dockery
Ozzie Jenkins
Glenda Sehorne-The Canopy
Burmah Teague-Morning Pointe

Visitor's Card

Welcome! We are delighted you have chosen to worship with us today. Our prayer is that you feel at home, experience the love and presence of our Lord Jesus Christ, and are encouraged through our time of worship together. If we can serve you in any way, please let us know. We are thankful you are here!

Date

Name

Address

City

State

E-Mail

Cell Number

Home Number

AGE GROUP

- ☐ 12-15
- ☐ 16-20
- ☐ Young Adult
- ☐ Adult
- ☐ I have moved into the area.
- ☐ I am looking for a church home.
- ☐ I would welcome a visit/call from a church member.

I Praise the Lord

I praise the Lord with every breath I take
With every move I make
All for Heaven's sake.

I praise the Lord for the sunshine rays
For His merciful ways
Even for the rainy days.

I praise the Lord with my arms lifted high
Even when the "good times" are nigh
And all I can do is cry.

I still praise the Lord on stormy nights
During spiritual fights
And in all my plights.

I praise the Lord for the good and for the bad
When I'm down
And when I'm glad
For this precious life I have had.

I praise the Lord.

A.A. McGuire

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*We exist to serve our community by sharing
Christ's love and exalting Him with our lives.*



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