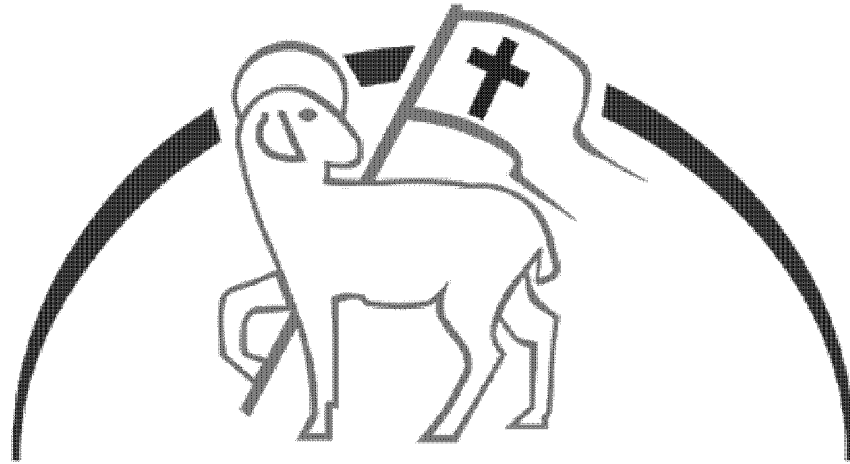


SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

SEPTEMBER 11, 2005

*Bethabara Moravian Church believes because of the love of Jesus Christ revealed in us, that Jesus is "the way, and the truth, and the life and no one comes to the Father but by (him)." John 14:6*

*Bethabara Moravian Church leads people to an active relationship with Jesus Christ by providing a path of worship, prayer, and knowledge of God's Word through our Moravian heritage and Christian fellowship.*



# BETHABARA

## Moravian Church

*Remembering the past, envisioning the future.*

### **Watchword for the Week:**

Bless the Lord, O my soul, and do not forget all his benefits.

Psalm 103:2

Bendice, alma mía, a Jehová,  
Y no olvides ninguno de sus beneficios.



# SCRIPTURE PASSAGE

*Isaiah 9:2-4*

2 The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; those who dwelt in a land of deep darkness, on them has light shined. 3 Thou hast multiplied the nation, thou hast increased its joy; they rejoice before thee as with joy at the harvest, as men rejoice when they divide the spoil. 4 For the yoke of his burden, and the staff for his shoulder, the rod of his oppressor, thou hast broken as on the day of Mid'ian.

2 El pueblo que andaba en tinieblas vio gran luz; los que moraban en tierra de sombra de muerte, luz resplandeció sobre ellos. 3 Multiplicaste la gente, y aumentaste la alegría. Se alegrarán delante de ti como se alegran en la siega, como se gozan cuando reparten despojos. 4 Porque tú quebraste su pesado yugo, y la vara de su hombro, y el cetro de su opresor, como en el día de Madián.

*The flower vases placed in the Sanctuary today are to the Glory of God and in honor of Tom Manning for his leadership of the music program by the Ellis'.  
The basket placed in the Sanctuary today is to the Glory of God and in honor of Susannah Burton's 10th birthday by Alan & Dawn Burton.*

# TODAY AT BETHABARA

9:00 AM Fellowship Breakfast	4PM	Harmony Ringers
9:15 AM Band practice	5PM	Bethabara Ringers
9:45AM Sunday school	5PM	God's Gang
11AM Worship	<i>**No Handbells on the 18th!</i>	

***Happening this week:*** Remember, check the bulletin board

<b>Mon. 12</b>	12 noon	A.A. Social Room
	7 p.m.	Church Board meeting
<b>Tues. 13</b>	7 p.m.	College Age Fellowship <i>Master's Loft</i>
<b>Wed. 14</b>	2 p.m.	Pastor's Class <i>Mind of Christ-session 2</i>
	5:45 p.m.	Wednesday Night Fellowship
	6:15 p.m.	Devotions <i>Fellowship Hall</i>
	6:30 p.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Bible Study</li> <li>➤ ESL Class</li> <li>➤ Conversational Spanish Class</li> <li>➤ Children's Choir</li> </ul>
	7:10 p.m.	Youth Activities
	7:15 p.m.	Adult Choir <i>meet at the Gemeinhaus</i>
<b>Thurs. 15</b>	12 noon	A.A. Social Room
<b>Fri. 16</b>	6:45 p.m.-11 p.m.	Board Retreat @ <i>Salemtowne</i>
	8 p.m.	A.A. Social Room
<b>Sat. 17</b>	8:30a.m.-7:15 p.m.	Board Retreat @ <i>Salemtowne</i>
	10:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m.	Apple Festival <i>Bethabara Park</i>
	6 p.m.-12 p.m.	Scrapbooking/Craft Night

## MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

Nursery TODAY

Terry Orrell

Nursery NEXT SUNDAY

Teresa Reynolds

Greeters TODAY

Bobby & Anne Kyle

Greeters NEXT SUNDAY

Jim & Paulette Kuzmanovich

## AREA MORAVIAN YOUTH MINISTRY

Sept.11	Children's Rally (K-5th grade)	Laurel Ridge	3pm-6pm
Sept.11	Youth Gathering (Middle/Sr Hi)	Providence	5pm-7pm
Oct 2	Provincial Youth Rally (Middle/Sr Hi)	Advent	3:30pm-6pm

## WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

Ladies, mark your calendars! The Women's Fellowship will hold their meeting on September 25 at 2:30p.m. We hope you will plan to be in attendance.

## SILENT AUCTION UPDATE

Dear Fellow Bethabara Members: I need your help in regard to items for the Silent Auction. If you plan to contribute something for the Silent Auction, please let me know who & what. I can then better concentrate on obtaining other items from outside sources. Thank you. *Beth Whitehouse* 723-5666

## BETHABARA STAFF

Our custodial staff will be on vacation Sept 17-24, let's all work together to take care of the church in their absence. Remember to throw away your trash and empty trash cans after dinners. Your help is greatly appreciated.

## A CALL FOR SERVANT LEADERS

You are invited to be a part of an ecumenical effort to build a community of Servant Leaders in Winston Salem. Servant Leadership I will be offered at 3 different locations and the classes run for 10 weeks. The cost of the series is \$50 (includes 3 books, notebooks, materials). More information and registration is available on the bulletin board.

## SENIOR FRIENDS RALLY/LUNCHEON

The Senior Friends are having a Rally and Luncheon on Tuesday October 11, 12noon at New Philadelphia Moravian Church. Entertainment provided by The Glory Street Quartet. Tickets are \$7. Reservations and payments must be received at the Board of Evangelism and Home Missions by September 27th. RACHEL has 8 tickets. Pastor May plans to attend and would like to Bethabara to have a large group represent the church. Please see Rachel if you are interested in attending the Rally/Luncheon.

## JOY AND PRAISE

Jennifer Gragg, daughter to BILL and CAROLE ROSENBAUM, had tests and scans recently and everything turned out Great! The entire Rosenbaum and Gragg Family offer thanksgiving for all the continued love and support received by their Bethabara Church Family.

## LIFT IN PRAYER

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| † Brandon Bailey ( <i>servoing in Iraq</i> )                               | † Ernest Holland <i>at home</i>                               |
| † Mary Boles <i>Oak Dale Heights</i>                                       | † Sarah Holland<br><i>Oak Dale Heights</i>                    |
| † J.C. Bruce   | † Barbara Key   |
| † Bill Caudle ( <i>servoing in Iraq</i> )                                  | † Mike & Edith Kudelka<br><i>Independence Village Apt 303</i> |
| † Cliff Childress ( <i>Hospice Care</i> )                                  | † Jeff Lowrance<br><i>Margaret Gabriel's nephew</i>           |
| † Sara Cooke   | † Ruby Mathis<br><i>Fern Hunters' sister</i>                  |
| † Leona Chatham<br><i>Vienna Village Room #F57</i>                         | † Kate McBride <i>blood pressure</i>                          |
| † Marie Choplin<br><i>Kerner Ridge Assisted Living</i>                     | † Eva Morgan<br><i>recuperating at home</i>                   |
| † Tommie Choplin<br><i>Britthaven of Kernersville</i>                      | † Roberto Ramirez<br><i>knee surgery</i>                      |
| † Faye Cherry<br><i>step-mom to Jeannie May</i>                            | † Carolyn Redding   |
| † Rev. Russell Cherry, Jr.<br><i>Jeannie May's father</i>                  | † Gay Nell Reich<br><i>Homeplace of Burlington</i>            |
| † Margaret Gabriel<br><i>Chemotherapy</i>                                  | † Teresa Reynolds   |
| † Jennifer Gragg<br><i>upcoming scans</i>                                  | † Anne Roberts  |
| † Carol Griffin  | † David & Norma Segraves                                      |
| † Ann Gupton <i>health concerns</i>  | † Judy Cherry Smith<br><i>Jeannie May's sister</i>            |
| † Robbie Gupton<br><i>cousin to Terry &amp; David<br/>In Mississippi</i>   | † David West<br><i>(grandson to Dot Bruce)</i>                |
| † Stephanie Hedrick<br><i>heart surgery<br/>great-niece to Rosenbaum's</i> | † Terrell White ( <i>cancer</i> )                             |
|  | † Victims of Hurricane Katrina                                |

*Contact the church office if you have any updates and/or changes to make to the list.*



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*We are so glad you came to worship with us today.*  
*We pray our service was memorable and meaningful for you in every way.*

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*Nos alegramos tanto de que Ud. haya decidido adorar a Dios con nosotros hoy.*  
*Rezamos que nuestro servicio sea memorable y significativa para Ud. en cada*  
*manera.*

*In Essentials, Unity; In Non-essentials, Liberty; In All Things, Love.*