

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

*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*

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



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Sunday School  
Attendance for  
09/02 /07  
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Worship  
Attendance  
09/02 /07

### **SENIOR FRIENDS RALLY**

**Advent Moravian Church**

Tuesday, October 9, 2007—12:00 pm

Sam Gray, Speaker

Loose Canons—Music

Price \$8.00 a person

\* There will be more information in the  
October newsletter\*

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

September 9, 2007

*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.*



*Remembering the past, envisioning the future.*

### **Watchword for the Week**

Choose life so that you and your descendents may live, loving the Lord your God, obeying him, and holding fast to him.

*Deuteronomy 30:19,20*

escoge, pues, la vida, para que vivas tú y tu descendencia; 20 amando a Jehová tu Dios, atendiendo a su voz, y siguiéndole a él; porque él es vida para ti, y prolongación de tus días; a fin de que habites sobre la tierra que juró Jehová a tus padres, Abraham, Isaac y Jacob, que les había de dar.

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

**BAND PRELUDE\***

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

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**MORNING PRAYER**

**THE CHURCH IN GIVING**

Receiving of Tithes and Gifts

Offertory Anthem

The Doxology

**CHILDREN'S SERMON**

*Adopt-a-Village offering  
will be received at this time*

**SERMON**            "A Prisoner for Christ Jesus"    Rev. Tripp May

**DEDICATION HYMN**    Grace and peace from God    Page 444

*You are invited to bring your  
Stewardship Commitment Card  
to the altar at this time*

**BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE**

\* Paul Regalado is directing the band this morning

*The flowers are given to the Glory of God and in memory of Mr. and Mrs.  
L.J. Ellis Jr. by Jim and Bet Ellis.*

Today's Greeters.....Jim & Paulette Kuzmanovich  
Today's Nursery Helper.....Suzie LaVenture  
Greeters Sept. 16 , 2007.....Dick & Eva Morgan  
Nursery Sept. 16, 2007.....Jo Beth Boyles

## WE LIFT IN PRAYER

Bernice Anderson- *congestive heart failure, Rachel Pikes sister*

Polly Applefield

Nell Barnard-*Rachel Pike's sister-*

Dot Bruce-

J. C. Bruce-

Emily Cline *great niece to Rosenbaum's-*

Denita Duncan

Tom Dunn- *Friend of David & Daphne Sams- stomach cancer*

Luella Everhart- *Dalton's mom- Kidney concerns*

Jennifer Gragg

Don & Carol Griffin

Shannon Hall-

*friend of Daphne Sams.*

Stephanie Hedrick - *great niece to Rosenbaum's-*

Sarah Holland

Mary Lou Hutchins - *Rachel*

*Pike's sister- dementia*

Judy Leahy~ *Ovarian Cancer*

Jack Long- *surgery Sept 17 for melanoma*

Susan Merry- *friend of Gina Howard & Lenny McLaughlin- cancer surgery*

Leonard McLaughlin- *congratulations-granddaughter, Astoria Grace McLaughlin, born Sept 4.*

Charlie Pfaff- *Liver cancer*

Mary Pickett- *Tripp's sister Surgery this Thursday*

Maxine Pyrtle-

*Sister of Jake Blackburn*

Gay Nell Reich

Daphne Sams

David Sams ~

Lovina Thompson

Dusty Welborn-*back concerns*



**Bethabara's Youth will be starting back  
this evening at 5:00. For more  
information you may contact Joel or  
Kristy Sapp.**

<b>Today at Bethabara:</b>		
9 a.m. ➤ Band practice	12:00 pm ➤ Women's fellowship	
9:45 a.m. ➤ Sunday school		
11 a.m. ➤ Worship service	3:00pm ➤ Bethabara Bells	
	5:00 pm ➤ Middle & High School Youth	
<b>Happening this week:</b> Remember, check the bulletin board		
Sept. 12 Wed	5:45 pm	Wednesday Night Dinner
	6:30 pm	Bible Study and Prayer Children's Activities Children's Choir ESL & Spanish Classes
	7:15 pm	Adult Choir
Sept 13 Thurs	2:00 pm	Bible Study and Prayer
Sept. 14th - Sun	3:00 pm	Bethabara Bells
	5:00 pm	Middle & High School Youth

*The Women's fellowship will be meeting directly after service this morning.*

OUR MEMBERS IN CARE FACILITIES: CARDS & VISITS APPRECIATED

Sara Cooke Friends Home Greensboro

Leona Chatham Vienna Village #F57

Tommie Choplin Britthaven/K-ville

Sarah Holland Forest Heights

Edith Kudelka Independence Village

Ann Roberts -Vienna Village #25 B

~ SCRIPTURE LESSON ~

Philemon 1-21

1 Paul, a prisoner for Christ Jesus, and Timothy our brother, To Phile'mon our beloved fellow worker 2 and Ap'phia our sister and Archip'pus our fellow soldier, and the church in your house: 3 Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. 4 I thank my God always when I remember you in my prayers, 5 because I hear of your love and of the faith which you have toward the Lord Jesus and all the saints, 6 and I pray that the sharing of your faith may promote the knowledge of all the good that is ours in Christ. 7 For I have derived much joy and comfort from your love, my brother, because the hearts of the saints have been refreshed through you. 8 Accordingly, though I am bold enough in Christ to command you to do what is required, 9 yet for love's sake I prefer to appeal to you - I, Paul, an ambassador and now a prisoner also for Christ Jesus - 10 I appeal to you for my child, Ones'imus, whose father I have become in my imprisonment. 11 (Formerly he was useless to you, but now he is indeed useful to you and to me.) 12 I am sending him back to you, sending my very heart. 13 I would have been glad to keep him with me, in order that he might serve me on your behalf during my imprisonment for the gospel; 14 but I preferred to do nothing without your consent in order that your goodness might not be by compulsion but of your own free will. 15 Perhaps this is why he was parted from you for a while, that you might have him back for ever, 16 no longer as a slave but more than a slave, as a beloved brother, especially to me but how much more to you, both in the flesh and in the Lord. 17 So if you consider me your partner, receive him as you would receive me. 18 If he has wronged you at all, or owes you anything, charge that to my account. 19 I, Paul, write this with my own hand, I will repay it - to say nothing of your owing me even your own self. 20 Yes, brother, I want some benefit from you in the Lord. Refresh my heart in Christ. 21 Confident of your obedience, I write to you, knowing that you will do even more than I say.

~ SCRIPTURE LESSON ~

Philemon 1-21

Pablo, prisionero de Jesucristo, y el hermano Timoteo, al amado Filemón, colaborador nuestro, 2 y a la amada hermana Apia, y a Arquipo nuestro compañero de milicia, y a la iglesia que está en tu casa: 3 Gracia y paz a vosotros, de Dios nuestro Padre y del Señor Jesucristo. 4 Doy gracias a mi Dios, haciendo siempre memoria de ti en mis oraciones, 5 porque oigo del amor y de la fe que tienes hacia el Señor Jesús, y para con todos los santos; 6 para que la participación de tu fe sea eficaz en el conocimiento de todo el bien que está en vosotros por Cristo Jesús. 7 Pues tenemos gran gozo y consolación en tu amor, porque por ti, oh hermano, han sido confortados los corazones de los santos. 8 Por lo cual, aunque tengo mucha libertad en Cristo para mandarte lo que conviene, 9 más bien te ruego por amor, siendo como soy, Pablo ya anciano, y ahora, además, prisionero de Jesucristo; 10 te ruego por mi hijo Onésimo, a quien engendré en mis prisiones, 11 el cual en otro tiempo te fue inútil, pero ahora a ti y a mí nos es útil, 12 el cual vuelvo a enviarte; tú, pues, recíbele como a mí mismo. 13 Yo quisiera retenerle conmigo, para que en lugar tuyo me sirviese en mis prisiones por el evangelio; 14 pero nada quise hacer sin tu consentimiento, para que tu favor no fuese como de necesidad, sino voluntario. 15 Porque quizá para esto se apartó de ti por algún tiempo, para que le recibieses para siempre; 16 no ya como esclavo, sino como más que esclavo, como hermano amado, mayormente para mí, pero cuánto más para ti, tanto en la carne como en el Señor. 17 Así que, si me tienes por compañero, recíbele como a mí mismo. 18 Y si en algo te dañó, o te debe, ponlo a mi cuenta. 19 Yo Pablo lo escribo de mi mano, yo lo pagaré; por no decirte que aun tú mismo te me debes también. 20 Sí, hermano, tenga yo algún provecho de ti en el Señor; conforta mi corazón en el Señor. 21 Te he escrito confiando en tu obediencia, sabiendo que harás aun más de lo que te digo.



**Music Under the Stars**  
Historic Bethabara Park Band  
Concert & Family Evenings  
**Thurs. September 13th, 2007**  
**6:00—8:30 pm**

Bring your friends, family, and neighbors to Historic Bethabara Park for a series of delightful music and dance. The Bethabara Concert Band performs pop, standards, classical, and jazz. Enjoy hay wagon rides, children's games, ice cream, and hot dogs, and wonderful music by the band.

*Stay for the Dance Band after Every Concert*

**Remember our Vets**

We decided to make this a year long drive and it's time for us to be thinking about making another delivery to the Salisbury VA hospital. Below is a list of items that they need/want. Last time we donated lots of items and also \$60 was used to purchase 60 - \$1.00 canteen cards to give out to the vets. So if you do not want to shop- please consider a cash donation - Carole Rosenbaum will be glad to do the shopping or purchase some canteen cards.

**Veterans'**  
**Wants and Needs**

Batteries  
Bedroom Slippers  
Canteen Coupon Books  
Combs  
Deodorant  
Disposable Razors  
Electric Razors (Norelco)  
Hair Dryers  
Men's Caps  
Paperback Books (Westerns)  
Post Cards  
Postage Stamps  
Shaving Cream  
Snack Crackers  
Suspenders  
Sweaters  
Toothbrushes  
Toothpaste  
Transistor Radios

\*There will be a box placed in the front vestibule to drop these items off.\*