## Bethel Prayer Concerns

Sunday, June 5, 2022



## PRAYER REQUESTS

Ruby Inman *(Darrell Guy's mother);* Nancy & Clay Landers

# PRAYER OF THE DAY

Gracious God, let this new day be a time of praise and joy as we go out to meet you in our sisters and brothers. We pray this in Jesus' name. Amen.

## A MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR CAROLYN TULLEY

will be held Sunday, June 12<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 in the Bethel Sanctuary. A service of interment in the Memorial Garden will follow. The family invites all who knew Carolyn to attend.

#### **HOME Food Collection**

For the month of June our focus foods are **soup / crackers.** These and other non-perishable food items can be brought in throughout the month and placed in the HOME collection basket in the Gathering Area. Thank you for



supporting our local pantry and helping to feed hungry families in our community.

#### **MUSICIANS WANTED**

The Bethel choir will be on summer break from June 6 through Labor Day. Anyone interested in sharing vocal or instrumental music for our worship service is welcome. Please contact Judy Yeaworth at judyyeaworth@gmail.com or 615/579-7170.

Childcare for infants and preschool age children is offered from 9:30 a.m. until noon in the nursery.

The Quiet Room is available during worship.

#### Today we receive The Pentecost Offering! Gifts to this offering:

- Provide aid to local programs focused on young adults and children at risk. 40% of giving is retained and distributed by Bethel. These funds will go to The Children's Fund of Roane County.
- Support advocacy that protects and education that nurtures our children and youth in mind, body, and spirit
- Provide aid to volunteer programs that bring young adults together in fellowship, worship, and service throughout the world.
- Support ministries that guide youth in their walk with Christ and inspire those called to accompany them.

### SUNDAY STUDY IN MARYVILLE

New Providence Presbyterian Church and St. Paul AME Zion will sponsor a six-session, Sunday study titled Becoming the Beloved Community: Through Understanding Systemic Racism. This session is a follow-up to last summer's study on bias. The 2022 study will take place at 7:00 p.m. in Westminster Hall at New Providence. The dates are June, 5,12,19,26 and July 10 and 17. The focus will be on racial history in East Tennessee. Presentations will cover St. Paul AME Zion Church, AME Zion history, New Providence Presbyterian Church, Presbyterian Church (USA-PCUSA), Maryville College, Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs), including HBCUs in Tennessee, and the Beck Cultural Center. Several speakers will guide us in this important study. This is the second guarter of a four-guarter study which we hope will produce tangible outcomes for our larger community. We welcome you to join us! Contact Jan or Alf Rybka for car-pooling opportunities.