

# *September Lamplighter*



**United Methodist Church of Bolton**  
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**Office Hours:**  
Monday & Thursday, 8:00 to 3:00P.M.,  
Tuesday: 8:00 to 5:30  
(At North United Methodist)

**Bolton United Methodist Church**  
Carol Franklin, Pianist

## **CALENDAR**

Sunday Morning Worship: 9:00 a.m.

Sunday School 9:15 a.m.

Youth Group every Sunday: 5:00-7:00 at North United Methodist Church

Holy Communion first Sunday of the month.

Food Collection for MACC First Sunday of each month.

Potluck supper at 6:00 and Bible Study at 7:00 from Sept. 19-Oct. 10

ZOOM will continue to broadcast Sunday worship service at 9:00 BUMC and 10:30 from NUMC. See links and instructions inside.

Praise the Lord. BUMC sanctuary is open for Sunday worship. Bring the children to Sunday School! Come and join us.

If you would like to receive the bulletin and insert to follow along the Sunday service on Zoom, just email me ([marthabaskerville3@gmail.com](mailto:marthabaskerville3@gmail.com)) your email address and I will be glad to send it to you. They usually go out on Tuesdays.

**OUR MISSION**  
**To Invite Everyone to know God's**

## Love through our community of Faith

Greetings brothers and sisters! As September gently releases the last few weeks of summer, the worship welcomes you to engage in corporate worship once again in our beautiful space. Many of you have been blessed to take vacations, spend time in summer homes, or just enjoy time with family in the warmth and sun. These things are truly a blessing from God, and of course should be enjoyed! As we look towards the colder months, I am reminded of the rhythm of the seasons: the blush of life, the verdant vitality of summer, the colorful crispness of the waning sun and shorter days, and the deep cold that makes us long for warmer days and sunshine. In fact the memory of Spring, and the promise of a new season are what helps sustain us in winter. We mix in the holidays and traditions of the year, and we have patterns and rhythm. Going to church too is a rhythm. Praying daily, reading scripture, and healthy living are also rhythms. So, as summer winds down, take this opportunity to establish a healthy rhythm to your life. Exercise regularly, make smarter food choices (one I really need to work on!), read and study God's word, and make a commitment to be in worship. A recent NIH study states, "All life exists within a sea of vibration, and rhythm is fundamental to all of life. Diurnal, seasonal, lunar, and solar cycles, and the resonant electromagnetic field (EMF) oscillations of our planet make up the symphony of rhythms in which life on Earth exists." Ake your life a symphony to God as you vibrate with the rhythms of praise and worship!!

Pastor David Martin



## **MOBILE FOODSHARE TRUCK**

The Mobil Foodshare Truck will be at St. Georges Episcopal Church, 1150 Boston Tpke. Bolton, September 12 & 26 from 10:00 to 10:30 a.m. Just bring 2 bags and receive a variety of fresh fruits, vegetables, bread, etc. If you know of someone in need, please pass this information along. There are no forms to fill out or questions asked. You can also come and help pass out the food.



## **SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS**

**7 Sierra Baskerville 9 Irene Bavier**

**11 Ania Saur 11 Gilman Reed**

**19 Isabella Flood 21 Abby Jeffers**

22 Justin Mayo 24 Joey Hoar

26 Roxann Bickford 30 Harry Hoar



As we are not sure how long Covid 19 protocol will last, modern technology has provided us with a connection to share Bible studies, Childrens Worship (9:00am at Bolton and 11:00am at NUMC) and Adult Worship (9:00 BUMC, 10:30 NUMC). You will find instructions and links inside to connect you at home through Zoom.

**If you want to attend church service on Zoom and would like a copy of the Bulletin, the insert with upcoming event information and the hymns, please email me at: [marthabaskerville3@gmail.com](mailto:marthabaskerville3@gmail.com).**

**Tentative Worship Schedule:**

(times and venues subject to change if Covid numbers spike)

Services will remain on Zoom. Services will also be held in the sanctuary at BUMC and NUMC following Covid protocol. Those who wish to worship in the church at BUMC on Sunday morning are welcome.

9:00am BUMC/Zoom <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/268830607>

10:30am NUMC/Zoom <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83102141139>

Password: 1234

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- o Google Play <https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=us.zoom.videomeetings>

- Click/select link for the meeting at the meeting time.
- Gallery/Speaker View – you can toggle between Gallery and Speaker View
- o On iPad/Tablet – Tap the screen, then select the grid icon in the upper left-hand corner to display Gallery view. You can see up to 9 people.
- o On Smart Phone – swipe left to see Gallery View. Swipe right to go back to active speaker view.
- o On the computer select Gallery View in the upper right-hand corner to see up to 49 participants.
- Select Speaker View to go back to the speaker view (also in upper right-hand corner)
- Audio, Video, and Chat controls are at the bottom of the screen. You may need to move your mouse to the bottom of the screen to access.

## BELOW IS A MEETING INVITATION:

It has a call in number, and the meeting number so you can join only by phone.

Those who do not have a smart phone or computer with internet can still participate!

David Martin is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: NUMC Sunday worship

Time: 10:30 AM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Every week on Sunday morning.

Please download and import the following iCalendar (.ics) files to your calendar system.

Weekly: [https://us04web.zoom.us/join/jv5llf-qoqDstFiY1pPDfgo1ivI\\_EqRrtsQ/ics?icsToken=98tyKuuupjMpGtKVt1-Ce6ovW53ib9\\_ylldHk\\_JNrDvjEi8CaxXfCc\\_dTAKBrA-mB](https://us04web.zoom.us/join/jv5llf-qoqDstFiY1pPDfgo1ivI_EqRrtsQ/ics?icsToken=98tyKuuupjMpGtKVt1-Ce6ovW53ib9_ylldHk_JNrDvjEi8CaxXfCc_dTAKBrA-mB)

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/268830607>

Meeting ID's: 268 830 607 BUMC Sunday Worship

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## **OUR PRAYER LIST**

*Bear one another's burdens, and thus fulfill the law of Christ. Galatians 6:2*



Pray for all those that struggle to find peace and contentment in their lives, that God may touch them with comfort and grace.

Pray for Frank Gilnack as he recovers. May he return to our church family soon to share his voice in our choir.

Pray for the Ukrainians whose lives are being disrupted in a most horrendous way.

Pray for all the displaced populations that are having to start a new life in new surroundings that may be very foreign to them. Let them feel your Love and kindness as they struggle to find new beginnings.

Pray for those in hospitals, convalescent homes, recovering, healing and for their caregivers.

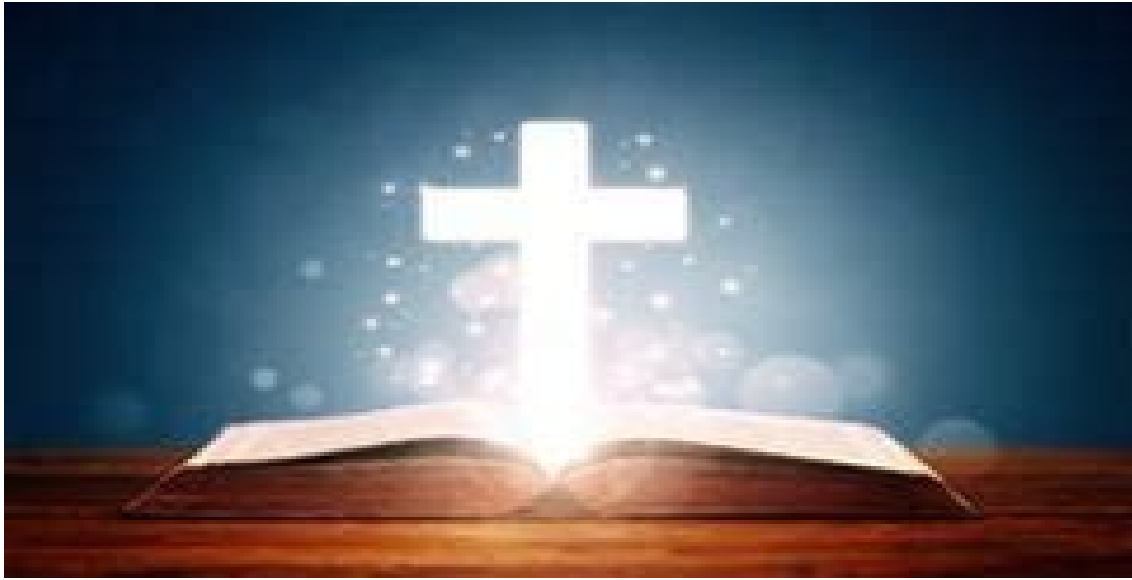
Pray for those recovering from recent illness, those who are homebound and their caregivers: Carol Flemke, Gilman Reed, Lanie Bickford, Taylor Schipani, and Kerri Renner.

Prayers for those who are separated from their worship spaces and friends. Help them to feel God's love shine down on them through those who are able, neighbors, friends, family.

Pray for all our sisters and brothers all over the world who are suffering that they may find relief in knowing God is with them.



AMEN



## **Scripture Readings for SEPTEMBER**

### **September 3, 2023**

Psalm 105: 1-6, 23-26, 45b

Exodus 3:1-15; Romans 12:9-21; Matthew 16: 21-28

### **September 10, 2023**

Psalm 149

Exodus 12:1-14; Romans 13:8-14; Matthew 18:15-20

### **September 17, 2023**

Psalm 114

Exodus 15:1b-11, 20-21; Romans 14:1-12; Matthew 18: 21-35

### **September 24, 2023**

Psalm 105:1-6, 37-45



Exodus 16:2-15; Philippians 1:21-30; Matthew 20:1-16

## WHAT'S HAPPENING AT BUMC IN 2023?

Childrens Sunday school continues. It is from 9:15-9:45. Hope to see you all there. Praise the Lord and bring the children!!!



Womens Breakfast at 8:00 am,,  
September 9 , 2023. Bring your daughters, neighbors or friends and enjoy a wonderful home cooked breakfast.

Our new Bible Study will begin Sept. 19-thru 10. There will be a Pot Luck dinner at 6:00 and Bible Study will follow at 7:00. Hope to see you there!!!



The Mens Breakfast will begin again on September 30. All men are invited so bring a friehd, neighbor or son. Great food and conversation.



Our Fall Tag and Bake Sale is right around the corner so start putting those mildly used items aside and start stocking up on goodie makings.

We have new tenants in our parsonage house, so if you see new faces give them a wave, smile and a warm welcome. They will be here for at least one year.





# *Welcome September*

New month, new chapter, new page and new wishes.

May the month give you courage, strength, Confidence, patience, self-love & inner peace. May everyday in September fill your days with Hope, love, sunshine and energy. Let there be Joy, Fun and Laughter.

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