# Bethel UMC Office Hours: 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM Monday-Friday Church Office: 703-670-4929

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**Ministers:** ALL MEMBERS

"All persons in Christ are called to work for the building up of the church through worship, fellowship and service to the world."

# **Holy Communion:**

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday - 10:00 AM Service

Baptism: as requested

Membership: as requested

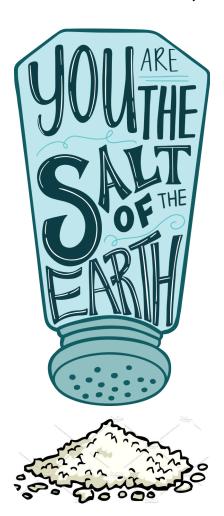
# **Sundays:**

10:00 am - Worship Service

Live streaming available @
You Tube Channel: Bethel Live 4 Christ



On the corner of Smoketown & Minnieville Since 1850 13506 Minnieville Road, Woodbridge, VA 22192 Rev. Matthew J. Benton, Pastor



Traditional Service

February 5, 2023 @ 10:00 AM

# **Love Your Neighbor**

5th Sunday after the Epiphany
Color: Green

# **Entrance**

Prelude

Cross and Flame Enter the Sanctuary

Welcome & Announcements

♣ Call to Worship:

Happy are those who worship the Lord and delight in God's precepts.

They rise before dawn as a light to the upright.

They are gracious, merciful, and righteous.

They shine their light before others for all the world to see.

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They will never be moved. Let us worship the Lord.

Opening Prayer

→ Opening Hymn #396

O.Jesus I Have Promised

Affirmation of Faith #881

The Apostles Creed

→ Gloria Patri #71

# **Proclamation and Response**

Scripture Reading

Jim Smith

1 Corinthians 2:1-16

Children's Moment

Rev. Matt Benton

Proclamation and Response cont.

I Love to Tell the Story

Scripture Rev. Matt Benton

*Matthew* 5:13-20

Sermon Rev. Matt Benton

Virginia Ham

₱ Hymn #572

Pass It On

Offertory Chancel Choir

Let Us Break Bread Together

February's Communion Offering is Heart Havens & World Vision

⊕ Doxology

Offertory Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer #895

The Great Thanksgiving UMH #9

**Sending Forth** 

Closing Hymn #585

This Little Light of Mine

Dismissal with Blessing

† Cross and Flame are Taken Into the World

Postlude #139

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty v 1 & 5

🕆 Please stand as you are able

The congregation is asked to read the bold-faced type



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7:00 PM - Solid Rock Ringers Bell Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

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6:00 PM - Cub Scout Meeting (Rooms 5,6)

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