

# Services for August 11 & 13

Bethlehem Church is a place where change happens by helping people take the next step in their relationship with God.

## NEW TO BETHLEHEM?

First of all, **welcome to Bethlehem Church!** We're so glad you're here. Below is information to make your visit the best it can be:

1. If you have questions, look for a member of our First Impressions Team - they are wearing orange lanyards.
2. Parents with children attending the Cove and Startown: If you are needed before the service is over, your 3-4 digit pager number will post on the small boxes on either side of the stage. You should then report to the registration desk.
3. Fill out your Welcome Card and drop in the offering basket or bring to Guest Central in the lobby to exchange for a gift.
4. Our Student Center is located down the path from the South Campus Worship Center. We offer middle & high school programming during the 9:30 AM & 11:00 AM services. Walk the path or take the shuttle.

## YOUR NEXT STEPS:

### Bethlehem Growth Track

To register for these classes, visit our website under "Next Steps".  
Childcare is provided with registration.

God has an incredible purpose for your life. The Bethlehem Growth Track is designed to help you connect with that purpose.

**stepONE - Get Started:** This class will teach you practical ways you can get to know God better. You will also have the opportunity to learn what the Bible teaches about water baptism.

- **South Campus: Sunday, September 10 at 6:00 PM**
- **West: Sunday, October 1 at 11:45 AM**

#### Baptism Opportunities:

- **South Campus: September 15 & 17**

**stepTWO - Get Connected:** This class will give you a basic intro to the story, beliefs and structure of Bethlehem Church as well as a guide to help you get connected and join the church.

- **South Campus: Sunday, September 17 at 6:00 PM**
- **West: Sunday, October 8 at 11:45 AM**

**stepTHREE - Get Grounded:** This class will help you discover how God uniquely created you. Through understanding your personality and spiritual gifts, you will be prepared to serve others in the way God designed.

- **South Campus: Sunday, September 24 at 6:00 PM**
- **West: Sunday, October 15 at 11:45 AM**

**stepFOUR - Get Involved:** This class is your opportunity to be involved with ministry teams at Bethlehem Church; based on your personality and spiritual gifts that you discovered in Get Grounded.

- **South Campus: Sunday, September 24 at 6:00 PM**
- **West: Sunday, October 22 at 11:45 AM**

## EVENTS:

### Convoy of Hope - One Day to Feed the World

You will find information on a seat near you about a very special weekend, August 25 & 27, where we will partner with Convoy of Hope's One Day to Feed the World. We will be telling the world that we are not content to just feel compassion, *we are bent on living compassionately!*

### Senior Adults

Senior Breakfast will be held Wednesday, August 16 at 9:00 AM at Cracker Barrel, 1821 Remount Rd.

### Baptism

Our next Baptism will be held on the weekend of September 15 & 17. Baptism is an outward symbol of an inward change. It is a time of celebration and public declaration of new life in Christ. If you're ready to take this next step in your spiritual journey, visit our website, under "Next Steps" for more information and to register.

### Men's Momentum - Battle Brothers

Bethlehem Men's Momentum, Battle Brothers, will be held on Thursday, September 7 from 6:30 - 8:00 PM at the South Campus Student Center. This is a free event. Wear your favorite camo or team jersey for a night of food, fellowship and a powerful message.

### Family Promise

Bethlehem will host several homeless families through Family Promise September 17-25 as they work to get back on their feet. We are in need of overnight volunteers and others to provide meals. To volunteer or for more information, contact Brooke Hovis at [bmitchem20@gmail.com](mailto:bmitchem20@gmail.com) or 980-522-6838.

### Men's Fall Golf Trip

Bethlehem Men's Fall Golf Trip will be held October 5-7 in Gatlinburg, TN with limited number of spaces. Cost is \$340 per person with \$190 deposit due by Sept. 1 and remaining balance by Sept. 17. Includes: four rounds of golf, two nights accommodations, & breakfast on Friday and Saturday. Visit the Bethlehem website under "Give" to pay and secure your spot. For more information, contact Pastor John Whitaker at [john@bethlehembc.com](mailto:john@bethlehembc.com).

## IN THE LOBBY:

EVENT  
DESK

CONNECTION  
DESK

1. Serving Opportunities
2. Lost & Found

GUEST  
CENTRAL

1. Visitors, please stop by to receive a special gift

Our weekly Tithe Offering for August 6: \$44,089.78

For more info about anything going on at Bethlehem, fill out your Welcome Card and turn it in during the offering or at the doors, stop by the Connection Desk, or visit us at [www.bethlehembc.com](http://www.bethlehembc.com) or call us at 704.823.1600.