

Bethlehem United Church of Christ

Refrigerator Page May 24, 2026

Sun., May 24 10:00 am 10:00 am 11:00 am	Pentecost Sunday Worship Service, In-Person, Phone Stream & Live Stream Sunday School during Worship Community Time, Youth Room
Mon., May 25	Office Closed Memorial Day
Tues., May 26	Office Open 9:00 am—2:00 pm
Wed., May 27 12:00 pm	Office Open 9:00 am—2:00 pm Bethlehem Crafters, Lounge
Thurs., May 28 6:00 pm	Office Open 9:00 am—2:00 pm Executive Committee Meeting, ZOOM
Fri., May 29	Office Open 9:00 am—2:00 pm
Sat., May 30	Office Closed
Sun., May 31 10:00 am 10:00 am 11:00 am	Trinity Sunday Worship Service, In-Person, Phone Stream & Live Stream Sunday School during Worship Community Time, Youth Room



IMPORTANT MESSAGE
CONGREGATIONAL MEETING


Dear Bethlehem,

The annual congregational meeting will be held on **Sunday, June 7, 2026**. The meeting will start immediately following our Sunday service. The planned agenda items will be sent out, via email, in advance of the meeting. Printed copies will be available in the church office. As in years past, **we need 25 members in attendance to have a quorum**. Please add this date to your schedule. I hope to see you all at the meeting.

God Bless,
Jim Rowan


Ann Arbor Roads


There are so many closures and detours they cannot be listed here. Please click [HERE](#) for the latest information




Happy birthday to the following Bethlehem members who are celebrating birthdays this week:
Steven L

Pray for Peace





Strengthen the Church



Through the Church Assessment, Support, and Advancement (CASA) Program, new and renewing ministries receive grant funding to establish and strengthen transformative faith communities within the United Church of Christ.

One of these grant recipients is the Service Learning Community Fellowship Program at Kailua Christian Church. Their mission to cultivate a loving, Christ-centered community is reflected in their investment in young adults discerning pastoral and social service vocations. By partnering with The Institute for Human Services and offering hands-on, community-centered learning, housing support, and spiritual formation, KCC is developing the next generation of compassionate, justice-oriented Christian leaders.

Medical Loan Closet

The Loan Closet is a valued resource that serves many members of our community. Our office staff maintains an inventory of items both in the Loan Closet and online to help us efficiently respond to requests and ensure equipment is distributed fairly.

To help us continue serving everyone effectively, we kindly ask that all equipment requests and pickups be arranged through the church office. Our staff will be happy to check availability and assist you.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation as we work to provide this important service to our community.

Food Gatherers Volunteer Days

Bethlehem has volunteer days at the Food Gatherers Warehouse at 1 Carrot Way:

Sat June 6, 1:00 - 3:00 PM

You can sign up here:

[Food Gatherers Signup](#)

This is a fun way to work alongside fellow Bethlehem members to combat hunger in Washtenaw County. Join us!!

Football Parking Coordinator Needed

Seeking a volunteer to lead our 2026 Parking Fundraiser. This role involves early and regular communication with season pass holders, coordinating volunteers, and serving as the main contact. If you enjoy welcoming visitors and supporting church missions, please consider helping. Leadership experience is helpful but not required. Previous leader will help with the transition. Interested? Contact the church office or Jennifer Vasquez jvasquezkk@gmail.com



Please make sure that the office receives all **Refrigerator Page** and **Email Blast** submissions by **5:00 pm Tuesday each week**. There will be a **June/July**

2026 Visitor. Deadline for submissions is May 27th.

Submit to: churchoffice@bethlehem-ucc.org

Note: Article's may be edited as needed for space and clarity.



Building Room Requests

Our building has many lovely spaces to use for meetings and workshops. We also have a demand for rental of these spaces.

PRIOR to planning an event, please contact office staff to verify room availability and to have your event scheduled on the calendar.

734-665-6149

info@bethlehem.ucc.org



Beautify Our Sanctuary with Flowers

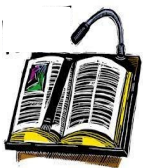


The holidays are a perfect time for you to donate flowers to beautify the sanctuary in honor or memory of your loved ones. If you are interested, please sign up either on the board in the hallway in front of the office or by [SignUp Genius](#). If you have questions, please contact the church office at:

churchoffice@bethlehem-ucc.org

Thank you!!

There were 5 dedicated people that showed up on Saturday to weed and tidy-up the church grounds. Thank you also to our maintenance person, Bill, for spreading mulch.



Calling all Liturgists!

It's easy being a liturgist, everything is already written; all you have to do is read aloud. Sign up on **SignUpGenius** using this link [LITURGIST SIGNUP](#), or contact Pastors Dawn or Diane, or call the office at 734-665-6149