

### October Greeters

- 5 Lin Bell
- 12 Johnnie Tayloe
- 19 Connie Sapp
- 26 Beth Mochnick



# Bethabara Bells

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### October Anniversaries



- 6 Chuck & Michele Harmon
- 18 John & Judy Tayloe
- 19 John & Edna Blevins

**Two Special Sundays in October—**  
***Mark your calendars so that you don't miss them.....***

### October Birthdays

- 4 Sandy Blackburn
- 5 Robert Boyles
- 6 Gena Howard
- 8 Andy Harmon
- 11 Chuck Harmon
- 12 Phillip Sapp
- 26 Edna Blevins
- 26 Mary Thomas
- 30 Lin Bell



### **Fellowship Potluck Lunch Sunday, October 5th**

Come, bring your favorite dish and join your church family for a potluck lunch. This is a great time for fellowship with other members and visitors.

### **Lunch & Church Council Meeting** **Sunday, October 26th** *(after Worship)*

We hope everyone will attend this very important Council meeting after a **Potluck Lunch** with your church family. Visitors are always welcomed.

**World-Wide Communion  
Sunday - October 5th**

**Circle Meeting  
Wednesday, October 8th  
10:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall**

**October Board Meeting  
Sunday, Oct. 12th  
(after worship)**

**PLEASE NOTE:**

**Chairs of Committees and Commissions are reminded that the deadline for including their annual report in the Church Council Packet is due in the church office - NO LATER than Friday, October 3rd. so they can be mailed out by October 10th.**

**Bethabara's Congregational Watchword for 2025**

*"My whole being shall exult in my God; for he has clothed me with the garments of salvation, he has covered me with the robe of righteousness."*

Sing praise to God, who reigns above, the God of all creation,  
The god of power, the God of love, the God of our salvation;  
With healing balm my soul he fills, and every faithless murmur stills.  
To God all praise and glory! (p15)

**Food Pantry Report for September**

There were 63 families served, representing 208 individuals the month of September. A **BIG Thank You** to all who came out and gave their time to help others.

**If you would like to serve to serve others, please come and join us!**

**\*\* NEXT Food Panty  
Sat., October 18th – 10 a.m. 12 p.m.**

**Clothing Closet Report for September**

We had a busy day today in the Clothes Closet! Our total number of items distributed was 904 plus a case of brand new men's underwear that probably contained 100 items. We had a total of **30 shoppers**. In order to allow everyone in line to shop, we had to limit their shopping time in the Clothes Closet, and we actually had to stay open past closing time.

A group of social workers at Carter High School came today with their special needs students and their parents. This was their first time at Bethabara, and they were overwhelmed with our generosity. They have ages 16 through 22, and the need for clothing is great. Many students don't have any clothing so the school keeps a clothing locker at the school for them. That is where the case of men's underwear was donated.

Earlier this month we were able to help The Dream Center with donations of 327 items of men's and women's clothing and shoes. They serve many people who have no place to live. Thank you for all your donations and for allowing us to be a blessing in our community!

The Clothes Closet Team

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