

## **Pastor Hanson's Notice of Retirement - 2010**

Pastor Jessica Shields

Members of Bethlehem Church Council

I began my service as Bethlehem's Visitation Pastor in October of 2002. It has been my duty and delight to have been part of a pastoral ministry to your members, many of whom I have known for almost thirty years! I have been part of your pilgrimage these past eight years as I ministered to you in sickness and in health until, in many instances, death has parted us.

I plan to conclude this aspect of my life on December 31, 2010 and to enter into full time retirement. You have been friends and mentors whose names and face will enrich my memories in the days that lie ahead. Thank you and God bless.

Pastor Robert E. Hanson