



Bethel Lutheran Mission Statement

Bethel Lutheran Church is a community of believers called by God to invite all people into a living relationship with Jesus Christ, build them up in the faith, and send them out to be witnesses in word and deed to the gospel of Jesus Christ.

IN SERVICE TODAY:

Pastors:

Pastor Jake Dyrhaug, Pastor Erika Buller

Director of Youth & Family Ministries:

Lisa Bassingthwaite

Ministers:

All baptized members of Christ's Church

Ushers – Muriel Hedrick & Jody Rezac

Reader – Mandy Finke

Coffee Service - Matt & Mary Anderson

Instrumentals – Praise Band: Tracy Bommersbach –

drums; Ed Moore – keyboard; Troy Ballenger – bass;

Pat Trappen – guitar; Rick Hendrickson – guitar and

band leader; Kelly Voss – vocals; Alex Hendrickson –

vocals; Lara Lekang - vocals

Communion Assistants - Myrna Ball & Steph Beyer



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Gathering Songs

Welcome & Announcements

Song

Come, Now is the Time to Worship

Come now is the time to worship Come now is the time to give your heart
Come just as you are to worship Come just as you are before your God, come
One day every tongue Will confess You are God
One day every knee will bow Still the greatest treasure remains
For those who gladly choose You now
Come now is the time to worship Come now is the time to give your heart
Come just as you are to worship Come just as you are before your God, come

Call to Worship

L: Come and worship, come as you are!

A: Imperfect, are we welcome?

L: Yes, Come, worship, and praise just as you are!

A: We come this morning, different people, different lives, different histories...

L: Come ready to worship together. You are all children of the same parent.

A: Who loves us just as we are!

L: Come and see Christ the Lord in the face of the people around us.

A: All are welcome! Let us come together, and worship in this place!

Song

Shout to the Lord

My Jesus my Saviour Lord there is none like You All of my days I want to praise The wonders of Your mighty love
My comfort my shelter Tower of refuge and strength Let every breath all that I am Never cease to worship You
Shout to the Lord All the earth let us sing Power and majesty Praise to the King Mountains bow down
And the seas will roar At the sound of Your name I sing for joy At the work of Your hands Forever I'll love You
Forever I'll stand Nothing compares to the promise I have in You

Prayer of the Day—O God, our teacher and guide, you draw us to yourself and welcome us as beloved children. Help us to lay aside all envy and selfish ambition, that we may walk in your ways of wisdom and understanding as servants of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

All: Amen

Children's Message

Pastor Jake Dyrhaug

Song

God of Wonders

Lord of all creation Of water earth and sky The heavens are Your tabernacle Glory to the Lord on high
God of wonders beyond our galaxy You are holy holy The universe declares Your majesty You are holy holy
Lord of heaven and earth Lord of heaven and earth
Early in the morning I will celebrate the light When I stumble in the darkness I will call Your name by night
God of wonders beyond our galaxy You are holy holy The universe declares Your majesty You are holy holy
Lord of heaven and earth Lord of heaven and earth

Gospel

Mark 9:30-37

Mandy Finke

³⁰[Jesus and the disciples went on] and passed through Galilee. He did not want anyone to know it; ³¹for he was teaching his disciples, saying to them, "The Son of Man is to be betrayed into human hands, and they will kill him, and three days after being killed, he will rise again." ³²But they did not understand what he was saying and were afraid to ask him. ³³Then they came

to Capernaum; and when he was in the house he asked them, "What were you arguing about on the way?" ³⁴But they were silent, for on the way they had argued with one another who was the greatest. ³⁵He sat down, called the twelve, and said to them, "Whoever wants to be first must be last of all and servant of all." ³⁶Then he took a little child and put it among them; and taking it in his arms, he said to them, ³⁷"Whoever welcomes one such child in my name welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes not me but the one who sent me."

Message

Pastor Jake Dyrhaug

Song

We Fall Down

We fall down We lay our crowns At the feet of Jesus
The greatness of mercy and love At the feet of Jesus
And we cry holy holy holy And we cry holy holy holy And we cry holy holy holy is the Lamb
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Offering

Prayers of the People

More Like You

More like You Jesus, more like You. Fill my heart with Your desire to Make me more like You.

Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer—Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

Communion

Benediction

Sending Song

The Same Love

You choose the humble and raise them high You choose the weak and make them strong
You heal our brokenness inside And give us life
The same love that set the captives free The same love that opened eyes to see Is calling us all by name
You are calling us all by name The same God that spread the heavens wide The same God that was crucified
Is calling us all by name You are calling us all by name
You take the faithless one aside And speak the words you are Mine You call the cynic and the proud Come to Me now
Oh oh Oh oh Oh oh Oh oh

Dismissal

L: Go in peace. Serve the Lord. Be the love.

A: **Thanks be to God.**

COME AS YOU ARE...

What does it mean when the pastor welcomes us to worship? It means Bethel Lutheran Church family extends a special welcome to those who are single, married, or divorced. It means we want to welcome the filthy rich as well as the dirt poor and all in-between. We want to welcome those children who are crying or soon will be. It means you are welcome if you can sing like an angel or plan to lip synch your way through every hymn. You are welcome here if you're "just browsing," just woke up or just got out of jail. We don't care if you're more Lutheran than Old Martin or haven't been to worship in who knows how long. We extend a special welcome to those who are over 60 but have not grown up yet as well as to teenagers who are growing up too fast. We welcome soccer moms, NASCAR dads, starving artists, tree-huggers, latte-sippers, vegetarians, and junk-food eaters. We welcome those who are in recovery or still addicted. We welcome you if you're having problems or you're down in the dumps or if you don't like "organized religion" because we've been there too. If you blew all your offering money at the casino, you are welcome here. We offer a special welcome to those who think the earth is flat, work too hard, don't work, can't spell, or because Grandma is in town and guilted you into going to worship. We welcome those who are inked, pierced or both. We offer a special welcome to those who could use a prayer right now, had religion shoved down your throat as a kid or got lost in traffic and wound up here by mistake. We follow a strange and wonderful Lord who welcomes everyone so we at Bethel strive to do the same.

In other words...WE WELCOME YOU! ♥ BE.THE.Love

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WORSHIP ATTENDANCE:

September 12, 2021: 10:00—190 Online—19
September 15, 2021: 58