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.

Come As You Are.....

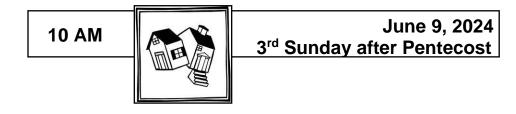
What does it mean when you are welcomed to worship at Bethel? It means Bethel Lutheran Church family extends a special welcome to those who are single, married or divorced. It means we want to welcome those children who are crying or soon will be. It means you are welcome if you can sing like an angel 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 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

Today in Service:

Interim Pastor: Pastor Rich Kramer **Director of Youth and Family Ministries:** Lisa Bassingthwaite **Director of Volunteer and Hospitality Ministries:** Joyce Johnson **Ministers:** All baptized members of Christ's Church This Week **Organist:** Roberta Whitehead **Ushers:** Cantor: Cyndy Kolle **Reader:** Soundboard: Shae Jelinek/Landon Dimmer **Communion Assistants:** Coffee: **Treats:** Flowers: Raychel & Jeremy Wallender & family Eternal Candle: Brenda Gjesdal – in memory of Annie

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Gathering

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Confession and Forgiveness

Opening Hymn

"Lead Me, Guide Me"

ELW 768

Greeting

- L: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
- A: And also with you.

Kyriep. 147-148Hymn of Praise"This is the Feast"p. 149-150

Prayer of the Day

All-powerful God, in Jesus Christ you turned death into life and defeat into victory. Increase our faith and trust in him, that we may triumph over all evil in the strength of the same Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

Word			Apostles' Creed	p.217
Reading	Genesis 3:8-15 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1		Words of Institution	
Special Music	2	Keath Borchert	The Lord's Prayer	p.221
		T · D · 41 ·4	Communion	
Children's MessageLisa BassingthwaiteL: The Holy Gospel according to MarkC: Glory to You, O Lord		Lisa Bassingthwaite	Communion Hymns "When Peace like a River" "As the Grains of Wheat"	ELW 785 ELW 465
Gospel:	Mark 3:20-35			
L: The Gospel of our Lord C: Praise to You, O Christ			<u>Sending</u> Communion Blessing	
	,		Benediction	
Sermon		Pastor Rich Kramer	Dismissal	
Hymn of the Day "Now We Join in Celebration"		ELW 462	 L: Go in peace. Serve the Lord and one another. ♥BE.THE.Love C: Thanks be to God 	
(Offering is received during the hymn and the "noisy offering" will be received by the children)		•	Hymn "I'm So Glad Jesus Lifted Me"	ELW 860
Offertory				
"Create	e in Me a Clean Heart"	ELW 186	Postlude	
	e People <i>h petition of the prayer, cong</i> Receive our Prayer"	regation responds with:		