#### **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		
<b>Director of Youth and Family Ministrie</b>	es: Lisa Bassingthwaite		
Director of Volunteer and Hospitality M	<b>Ministries:</b> Joyce Johnson		
Ministers: A	All baptized members of Christ's Church		
This Week	-		
<b>Organist:</b> Mary Jane Pauly			
Ushers: Chuck & Ione Muralt			
Cantor: Cyndy Kolle			
Reader: Keath Borchert			
Soundboard: Shae Jelinek/Landon Dimn	ner		
Communion Assistants: Linda Miller &	Larry Bethel		
Coffee: Treats:			
Flowers:			
Eternal Candle: Linda Miller - in honor	of granddaughter Madi Miller's		
birthday	0 0		
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August 4, 2024 10 AM 11<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

# Gathering

## **Prelude**

Welcome and Announcements

**Confession and Forgiveness** 

**Opening Hymn** "All Who Hunger, Gather Gladly"

### **ELW 461**

## 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.

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

## **Prayer of the Day**

O God, eternal goodness, immeasurable love, you place your gifts before us; we eat and are satisfied. Fill us and this world in all its need with the life that comes only from you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Word		<b>Prayers of the People</b> After each petition of the prayer, congregation responds with:		
8	Exodus 16:2-4, 9-15		"Receive our prayer"	
Ephesians 4:1-16			Words of Institution	
Special Music		Bobbi Jo Jelinek	The Lord's Prayer	p.221
Children's Messa	ge	Cambri Mauch	Communion	
<ul><li>L: The Holy Gospel according to John</li><li>C: Glory to You, O Lord</li></ul>		Communion Hymns "As the Grains of Wheat" ELW 465		
Gospel:	John 6:24-35		"Eat This Bread"	ELW 472
L: The Gospel of <b>C: Praise to You</b>			<u>Sending</u> Communion Blessing	
Sermon		Pastor Rich Kramer	Benediction	
Hymn of the Day "O Bread o	f Life from Heaven"	ELW 480	<b>Dismissal</b> L: Go in peace. Serve the Lord and one another.	
, U	is received during the ing" will be received	•	<ul><li>BE.THE.Love</li><li>C: Thanks be to God</li></ul>	
Offertory "Create in ]	Me a Clean Heart"	ELW 186	Hymn "God Be with You Till We Meet Again"	ELW 536
Apostles' Creed		p.217	Postlude	