

When dropping kids off on Wednesday night please remember we don't have people to watch your kids before Wednesday school & confirmation starts. We start serving supper @ 4:45, no one should be dropped off before that time.

February Noisy Offering is going to the Richland/Wilkin Food Pantry. The donations will be given in March when there are matching dollars. If you wish to write a check for this project, it can be made out to the Richland/Wilkin Food Pantry. In the memo write: Bethel Good Gifts Noisy Offering.

The Board of Outreach is collecting specific items for the food pantry to make special family meal bags. Each family meal bag will include: 2 cans of chicken breast, 2 packs of Knorr's rice, 2 cans of cream of chicken soup, 1 can of chicken broth and shredded cheese.

We will collect items as follows:

Feb 2-chicken in a can

Feb 9-Knorr's rice packets

Feb 16-cans of cream of chicken soup

Feb 23-cans of chicken broth.

March 1-Financial donations for cheese purchasing or bags of cheese

9th Grade Confirmation Students Schedule: February 5, March 5, April 2, April 27 - Confirmation Rehearsal, May 4 - Confirmation

Ongoing Prayer list:

Sharon Deichert	Jan Townsend	JoAnn Klein
Howard Jenson	Esther Krause	Connie Sletten
Arlo & Janice Kilber	Marcia Pederson	Joan Hardie
Peterson Family	Gwenda Carlson	Sawyer Bertelson
Roberta Whitehead	Luckie Bethel	

End of the year statements will not be mailed out. Please contact Joyce @ 701-642-4472 or joyce@bethelwahpeton.com if you would like your statement.

Itty Bitty Believers Book Club 2025 dates: February 9th & March 9th

If you would like to take a Poinsettia home, please pick one up in the atrium area.



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***This week at Bethel:* February 2 through February 9**

Monday-12:00 Staff Meeting; 5:00 pm Board of Outreach; 5:15 Bells Practice; 5:30 Board of Property

Tuesday-10:30 Bible Study; 6:00 Chapter B PEO Meeting; 6:30 Cub Scout Committee Meeting; 7:00 Evening Book Club

Wednesday-9:30 Bethel Coffee @ Fry'n Pan; 10:00 Wahpeton MOMs; 1:30 Library Committee; 4:45 Supper Served, 5:30 Wednesday School & Confirmation, 6:35 Worship

Thursday-9:00 Helping Hands; 10:30 Communion Worship @ St. Francis; 2:00 Communion Worship @ St. Catherine's

Sunday-9:00 Traditional Worship; 10:00 Coffee Hour, 10:00 Praise Band Practice, 10:10 Sunday School & Itty Bitty Book Club; 11:00 Contemporary Service w/baptism; Noon Baptismal Celebration

Prayer list for the week:

Jay Erickson	Brent Phelps	Meyer Mixdorf
John C. Carlson	Phillip Dimmer	

Please keep Kim and Brian Prosser & family in your prayers as they grieve the loss of Brian's mom, Joyce Perez.

Please keep Andrea & Jay Thimjon & family in your prayers as they grieve the loss of Andrea's mom, Sheryl Ask.

If you have any prayer requests, please see an usher & fill out the prayer request form.

Congratulations to the following 3rd graders. They completed their Bible classes & received their Bibles during worship on January 22nd.

Addison Nelson

Alec Carlson

Asher Cherry

Brynlee Koenig

Face Rowland

Jaxson Prochnow

Kobie Irwin

Aiden Hildebrand

Ariana Intveld

Avery Mitchell

Guyle Gamble

Jaxson Collins

Kialie Brevik

Tristianna Hobbs

Prayer station: *Blessing the Home in Epiphany.* God of light, bless our home. Make it a haven of rest for all in need of your warmth & care. When we go out from this place, may we never lose sight of Christ's light. We mark our door with the symbol of blessing. May all who enter, through the year, find love & light, for Christ has come to dwell in this home & in these hearts. Amen. **20 + C + M + B + 25** (*The numbers represent the year, 2025. The letters represent both the names of the Magi – Caspar, Melchoir & Balthasar & also the phrase “Christus Mansionem Benedicat” which is Latin for “May Christ Bless the House.”*)

You are invited to join us for an evening of free ice skating, fun, friendship and fellowship at Sterns Arena on February 23 from 7-9 pm. The Board of Education is sponsoring this event. Hot chocolate and treats will be provided to keep you warm and energized. If you have any questions, please reach out to Lisa. Bring your friends and family for an unforgettable night on the ice. We can't wait to see you there!

TODAY is \$ for Jesus Sunday! Dollars for Jesus are used to help our community when they are in need of gas vouchers, emergency housing, utility assistance, etc. Loose \$1 in the offering plate today will go into that fund. Thank you for helping in this important ministry!

Calling all Bethel Women! Please come to a meeting TODAY at 10:00 am in the Centennial Room to discuss the Spring Women's Luncheon. All women of Bethel are invited to attend. If you are unable to attend, please contact Sharon Kotnour.

New Member Sunday will be Sunday, March 30th. If you are interested in membership, please talk to one of the ushers or Joyce Johnson. We have a New Member Form that needs to be completed. We will have New Member Orientation on Sunday, March 23rd.



Volunteers Needed

****Please sign up on the Volunteer Bulletin Board**

****If you are willing** to go & visit shut-ins with Pastor Amy—sign up!

****We still need** ushers, readers, communion helpers & coffee servers.

Can you help with Meals-on-Wheels in February? We need one volunteer to help Dean Sitz deliver meals on Wednesdays in February. Dean has agreed to drive so we just need the person to take the food to the door. We are also looking for 2 delivery people for the following days: Thursday, Feb 6th, Thursday, February 20th, and Wednesday, February 26th.

Pastor Amy is looking for a couple of volunteers to join her when she leads **communion worship at St. Francis and St. Catherine this coming Thursday.** Worship at St. Francis is at 10:30 am and worship at St. Catherine is at 2:00 pm. If you are willing to come, please let Pastor Amy know!

We need to make a digital file for our church of all items within the church. This video is for insurance purposes in case something happens. We are looking for volunteers to walk through the church & record the church property. Please contact the church office if you would like to help with this project.

