

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

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

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

The dates have been set for Vacation Bible School, June 23–26. We will begin serving supper each evening at 4:45. VBS will start at 5:30 each evening & will run till 7:45. More information to come!

STEAM EVENT: Families with kids ages o-5 are invited to join us on Saturday, March 15 from 9am to 12pm as we have a morning of fun STEAM exploration. The Children's Discovery Center, Gallery on the Go with Tami Sirek & the PBS Learning Express will have stations with hands-on fun. Come & go as needed during this event. This event is free & open to the public, but we are asking for a donation of children's hygiene products or paper products (tissues, paper towels, toilet paper, etc.) for Three Rivers Crisis Center & Someplace Safe if you are able.

Bethel Youth let's flip, jump, tumble & play March 16th at Three Rivers Gymnastics! *1:30-2:45:* Preschool-2nd grade, *2:45-4:00*: 3rd-5th grade, *4:00-5:00*: 6th grade & up. Times are flexible if you have children in different age groups, pick the section that works best for your family. Friends are always welcome to join us. Fun & snacks will be provided. Questions contact Lisa.

Baptism today: Peyton John Brenden

Parents: Caryn & Noah Brenden

Sponsors: Paul Meindl, Elizabeth Meindl & Savannah Severson

Prayer Parents: Brenda Gjesdal



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This week at Bethel: February 10 through February 16

Monday-10:00 Book Club, 12:00 Staff Meeting; 5:00 pm Board of Lay; 5:15 Bells Practice; 5:30 Board of Education. 6:00 Cub Scouts

Tuesday-10:30 Bible Study; 12:00 Ministerial Meeting, 5:30 Exec Meeting

Wednesday- No Wednesday Programming or Worship

Thursday-9:00 Quilters; 3:00 Helping Hands. 5:30 Planning Council

Sunday-No Sunday School, 8:00 Choir Practice, 9:00 Traditional

Worship w/Communion, 10:00 Coffee Hour, 10:00 Praise Band Practice,
11:00 Contemporary Worship w/communion

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.

If you have any prayer requests, please see an usher \mathcal{E} fill out the prayer request form.

The Board of Property is looking for some folks who might be able to help finish the ceiling project in the Fellowship Hall. If you are willing to help with this project, please contact Ryan Hoefs or Jeff Olson.

Thank You! Lisa and Joyce would like to extend a huge thank you to the congregation and the executive committee for the wonderful gifts. We love doing ministry with all of you!

Hello, February check out the prayer station at the back of the sanctuary, light a candle for someone you care about and say a prayer. Think about what God's Love is for you and write it on a heart and attach it to the sign provided with GOD'S LOVE IS: on it. "A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another: just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another. By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another." John 13: 34-35.

New Member Sunday will be Sunday, March 30th. If you are interested in membership, please talk to one of the ushers or Joyce Johnson to fill out a New Member Form. New Member Orientation will be Sunday, March 23rd.

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

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/Wilking Food Pantry. In the memo write: Bethel Good Gifts Noisy Offering.

Would you like access to Icon? Please contact Joyce @ 701-642-4472 to get a link for setting up an account. With an account, you will have access to your financial statement & the Pictorial Directory. Every member who has a computer can set up an account.



Volunteers Needed

**Please sign up on the Volunteer Bulletin Board

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



**One more volunteer is needed! There is one slot open to help deliver Meals on Wheels in February. Please check your schedule to see if you are available on Friday, February 28th to ride along with Dean Sitz to deliver meals. Dean will drive and you will be the delivery person.

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.

Ongoing Prayer list:

Pantry Needs

> 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

The Board of Outreach has been made aware of families in our communities that need basic things such as cleaning supplies, paper products, groceries & gas. A little boost can do wonders for those who are struggling. With February being the "Month of Love" & Bethel reminds us to "Be the Love" we are asking parishioners to consider donating gift cards from area businesses such as Econofoods, Walmart or gas stations. The gift cards will be made into bouquets & given to the families needing support. Please drop off the gift cards in the office during the week or place in the offering plate on Sundays in February.