

YOUTH NEWS



True North Bible school – trusting Jesus in a Wild world!

June 23-26. We will begin serving supper each evening at 4:45. VBS will start at 5:30 each evening and run till 7:45.

Registration is available online! ***We need your help to make***

VBS a Success! We will need people to help with the following areas:

Group leaders, games, kitchen help and extra hands.

Next planning meeting will be June 8 at 5:30 if you would like to be part of the fun, come join our team!

Mentors are Needed for Confirmation Students. Bethel Members: we need your help as mentors for our Confirmation Students. Here is what we expect:

- Be the Adult – check in with your student regularly
- Be a Role Model – be a trusted & admired Christian adult
- Be Involved – attend events, send encouragement, spend time together, & pray for them
- Be Supportive – middle school is tough; your support is crucial

Questions? Contact Lisa! Join us in making a positive impact on our youth!

Want Bethel water bottles (\$20) & Bethel t-shirts (\$15)? Find Lisa if you're interested or if you need to pay for a shirt you've picked up.

Needed: Gallon milk & water jugs – Lisa is looking for donations of **rinsed out** gallon jugs. Thanks!

Congratulations to our 2025 Graduates!

Breckin Anderson, Kennedy Beto, Aidan Bohn, Landon Dimmer, Danika Gregor, Levi Hagelstrom, Olivia Hansen, Harleigh Higdem, Ella Hirschey, Paige Hirschey, Jacob Hoefs, Macy Kraft, Bjorn Kubela, Lataya Lunnborg, Shelbie Medenwaldt, Kinzee Miller, Maci Miller, Andrew Pauly, Andrew Schulz, Carson Vaneps and Dan Wold



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This week at Bethel: May 19 through May 25

Tuesday-9:00 Circle 1, 10:30 Bible Study

Wednesday-9:30 Circle 5, 1:00 Friends of St Catherine's

Thursday-9:00 Quilting, 3:00 Helping Hands

Sunday-ONE Service-9:30 Coffee hour, 10:00 Worship with baptism

Prayer list for the week:

Jay Erickson	Brent Phelps	Cullen Kase	Elaine Ross
John C. Carlson	Phillip Dimmer	Bonnie MacIver	Bob Gette
Sommer Schuler	Wes Hendrickson	Judie Seavert	
Gary Carlson	Chad Jokumsen		

Ongoing Prayer list:

Sharon Deichert	Jan Townsend	JoAnn Klein	Joan Hardie
Howard Jenson	Esther Krause	Connie Sletten	
Gwenda Carlson	Peterson Family	Arlo & Janice Kilber	
Sawyer Bertelson	Meyer Mixdorf		

Spring Cleaning Day at Bethel! Join us on Thursday, May 29th @ 9am to do some deep cleaning here. Many volunteers are needed!

Summer Worship Schedule starts May 25th – ONE service – 10am.

Graduation is quickly approaching for the class of 2025. We are looking for *Prayer Sponsors* for our Bethel seniors. A Prayer Sponsor will send a card or text to the graduate as they go through their first year of college or first year of being out of high school. This is a big change for these young adults & we want them to know Bethel members are praying for them as they begin this journey. If you would like to lift one of our seniors in prayer & sent them encouragement for the next year, email Joyce @ joyce@bethelwahpeton.com.

Noisy Offering for May is to go towards snacks offered at the Campfire Worship Services this summer. Please join us May 28th, July 2nd, July 30th & August 27th for our Campfire Worships. **Noisy Offering for June & July** will go towards can openers that will be donated to the Richland Wilkin Food Pantry.

What topics would you like to hear preached about this summer or fall? Do you have questions you would like addressed? Certain books of the Bible you would like to learn more about? Drop your ideas in the box covered with question marks by the volunteer board & then watch in the Beacon, for when your question or topic is going to be addressed! Thanks for your feedback!

It is the month of May! At the Prayer Station, there is a prayer for you to use if you wish, to thank God for your many blessings! You may also take one of the small cards with flowerpots on them to remind you to continue to pray for all of our many blessings!

Hey Bethel friends & family! Did you wonder why we were collecting *plastic bags*? Would you like to lend a hand with the project? Join us on Mondays from 10-11, beginning in June for **Mat Makers**! We are working on making mats for homeless folks to sleep on to stay warm/cool & dry during the changing seasons. No experience necessary, just come join us for the fellowship & fun! Want more information? Talk to Pastor Amy! All ages welcome to come join the fun!

Volunteers Needed

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

**** Helping Hands needed @ St. Catherine's!** Help brighten someone's mood & put a smile on their face. We will be helping plant potted flowers. No date has been set yet. If signed up, you will be notified.

****Summer watering teams for St. Catherine's flowerpots.** Joyce is setting up teams to help water 25 flowerpots. One team on Monday & one on Wednesday (the Friday team is full!) Please sign up or call Joyce if you would like to help.

****Meals on Wheels** volunteers are needed for May! Please sign up if you are available to help!

****Volunteers needed to help intake & sort clothes** for a back-to-school clothes distribution. We are looking for gently used clothes sizes 3T-Adult 2XL for students to wear to school next year. We will be accepting clothes each Tuesday 9am-5pm during the month of June, with the exception of June 10th until 7pm. If you need a different time, contact the church office. Volunteers will work at the church sorting the clothes into bins by size. Please sign up if you can help. Questions? Contact Joyce.

****Do you like to chat? Drink coffee?** Get to know other people? We are exploring starting a coffee & conversation group with our friends at Sienna Court a couple of mornings a month. If this is something you might be interested in, please sign up!

Looking for a meaningful way to spend your Monday evenings this summer? Join Bethel Lutheran Church & Evergreen United Methodist Church for a **Walk & Talk**.

When: Monday evening: 5:45-6:30pm

June 9, 16, 23 & 30

July 7, 14, 21 & 28

August 4, 11 & 18

Come together with friends & neighbors for a refreshing walk & engaging discussion. It's a wonderful opportunity to connect, reflect & grow in faith. All are welcome! If interested, please call one of the church offices (Evergreen 701-642-6202 or Bethel 701-642-4472) and you will be added to a text message list. We text the location & the Bible text we will be covering that evening.