



# Bethel Christian Reformed Church

Sunday, February 11, 2024

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219-987-2005

9:30 a.m. Worship Service

**WE WELCOME YOU TO WORSHIP** whether in person or online. We welcome any visitors who have chosen to join us! Please take a welcome mug from the table in the back of church.

Pastor Schedule for February: February 11 - Jeff White – Welcome to Bethel today!  
February 18 - Pastor Josh Christoffels currently serving at Hammond CRC  
He will look at Psalm 121 – “Who is My Keeper?”  
February 25 – Dr. Beach – “How About a Better Way” from 1 Corinthians 13:1-13  
1) Love’s necessity; 2) Love’s character, and 3) Love’s permanence

The children will be dismissed after the Time of Praise for CHILDREN’S CHURCH. Please go to the foyer where your teacher will meet you. Children turning 4 years old by Jan. 1st are welcome along with any children parents feel would benefit from this opportunity. There will be no Children’s Worship on February 18<sup>th</sup>.

The Ray VanderLaan videos will meet in the council room after the morning worship. Grab your coffee and join us!

Pastor Jeremy Oosterhouse will be joining with us on Easter Sunday! We are excited and look forward to him and his family coming to Bethel and beginning a new ministry together. They will be moving to DeMotte after the school year. We pray our ministry will be a time of growing for us as a church, for the community, and for the kingdom of God."

## FRONTLINE

**BETHEL MEN: MEN’S “FRONT LINE” BIBLE STUDY AND DIALOGUE.**

**Something just for you!!! All Ages. Next meeting will be February 24.**

**Let’s see what we can do together to help us all grow as a spiritual  
“Front Line” force here at Bethel. It’s Time!**

**Meet in the foyer Coffee Area 7:30 AM the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday mornings of the month  
for interaction, growth, and fellowship. Questions? Talk to Gary.**

<b><i>SERVING TODAY</i></b>	<b>February 11</b>
Nursery	Sue and Ashley
Children’s Leaders	Dianne and Mary Buitert
Piano:	Amy
Usher	Scott
Greeters	Randy & Sandy(E), Steve & Alice(S).
Media Shout	Katie
Offering	Ministries of Bethel and Birth Right of Rensselaer

You can continue to give online at [www.bethelcrcdemotte.org](http://www.bethelcrcdemotte.org). Thank you!

<b><i>SERVING NEXT WEEK</i></b>	<b>February 18</b>
Nursery	Amy & Rachel
Children’s Leaders	No Children’s Worship today
Piano:	Marla
Usher	Brent
Greeters	Randy & Sandy(E), Steve & Alice(S).
Media Shout	Scott
Offering	Ministries of Bethel and Bible League

### ***THIS WEEKS MEETINGS***

Wednesday 6:15pm Cadets

## MORNING WORSHIP

Welcome

\*Please Stand for Opening Song: "King of the Nations" vs. 1,2,4,5

\*God's Greeting

\*Mutual Greetings

\*Time of Praise:

"Lord, I Need You"

"Cornerstone"

Please Be Seated

*Children are dismissed for Children's Worship!*

Offering will be received for: Ministries of Bethel and Birth Right of Rensselaer

We Offer Our Prayers to God

Scripture: 2 Samuel 23 (pg.512)

Message: "**Benaiah - Give Me More**"

Prayer

\*Please Stand for God's Parting Blessing

\*Closing Song: "God, the Father of Your People" 2 vs.

### **CHURCH FAMILY: PLEASE CONTINUE TO KEEP IN PRAYER:**

- Andy & Cheryl, Barb E, Rich K, Ruth DV, Carolyn VV, Hank VW
- Continued prayers for Donna H. as she continues her therapy at Please continue to pray for strength and healing. Pray that they will quickly adjust to their new place. **NEW ADDRESS:** Cedar Creek Health Campus, Donna Hoekstra, 18275 S, Burr St. Rm# 301, Lowell, IN 46356 (Ted for visiting is in room 106)
- Thank you for your prayers for Adam, son-in-law of Rick E. He is doing much better and back to work. God is good!
- Prayers of thanksgiving for Pastor Jeremy and his family accepting the call to Bethel. Pray that we will grow together as a church family and that we will be a blessing to one another.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**CADETS** meets on Wednesday 6:15-8:15pm at First CRC

There is a **SNACK SIGN-UP SHEET** on the table. Thank you to all who supply us with snacks each Sunday morning to go with our coffee/tea. You are all very much appreciated.

**LOOKING FOR A WAY TO SERVE?** We are in need of a volunteer to serve one Sunday service a month on **MEDIA-SHOUT**. It's not hard to do, we will teach you. Great opportunity to serve the Lord in Worship. Contact Gary. Thanks

**BIBLE LEAGUE SPRING LUNCHEON** will be March 21, 2024 at Smit's Farm Catered by Scrementis. Tickets are \$30. Deadline is March 10. Contact Ruth or Rachel B for tickets.

**YOUNG ADULT HYMN SING:** All post-high young adults are invited to a hymn sing to be held at Oak Glen URC on Sunday, March 10 following the evening service. We will have a time of light refreshments and fellowship beginning at 6:30 in the fellowship hall with singing in the sanctuary beginning at 7:30. You are welcome to attend the evening worship service beforehand which begins at 4:50. For more information contact Rebecca Walstra at 219-779-5128 or visit our facebook page: South Chicago & NWI Reformed Christian Young Adults. We hope to see you there!