

**Bethel Christian Reformed Church
Sunday, July 12, 2020**



Welcome to Bethel Church! We are happy to have you join us as we pause from our week to call on the name of the Lord together. If you are visiting with us we hope and pray you experience God's love and the friendship of God's people. This morning Pastor Rick will be looking at Philippians 4 on the secret of contentment.

Today we start our evening worship services once again, for now at 6:00 p.m. Pastor Rick will be introducing an opportunity to do a manuscript study on the gospel of Mark. Books will be handed out to those who are interested.

Morning Worship

Welcome
Opening Song: "As The Deer"
Scripture Readings
 Psalm 73:25
 Psalm 63:1
Prayer
God's Greeting
"All Creatures of Our God and King"
"Jehovah Jireh"
Prayer of Confession
Scripture: John 6:35
Song: "O Christ, Our Hope, Our Heart's Desire"

Prayer
Philippians 4:10-13
Message: **Paul's Secret to Contentment.**
Parting Blessing
Closing song: "He Leadeth Me"

SERVING TODAY July 12
Piano Amy Dekker
Usher AM: Larry Ouwenga
Media Shout Katie Eenigenburg
Offering Ministries of Bethel and Benevolence

Evening Worship

Welcome
Time of Worship:
 • "To God Be the Glory"
 • "Seek Ye First"
 • Prayer
 • Confession of Faith: Apostles' Creed

Scripture: Mark 1:1-13
Introduction to Mark and the Manuscript Bible Study
Time of prayer
Parting Blessing
Closing Song: "Beautiful Savior"

SERVING NEXT WEEK July 19
Piano Marla VanderMolen
Usher AM: Wes VanBruggen
Media Shout Scott VanVlymen
Offering Ministries of Bethel and Open Their Eyes

CHURCH FAMILY

Congratulations to Nathan and Elizabeth DeJong who were united in marriage here at Bethel Church on Friday afternoon. We wish them the Lord's blessings, that their lives together will flourish in the worship and the love of God.

Continue to remember Elmer VanderMolen as he and Norma await the results of the tests they had at the beginning of the week.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

In your mailbox last week was an information sheet about "**Open Their Eyes**". In the past we had supported Margham founded by Darrel and Joel Dunham. They have resigned from Margham to start a new mission "Open Their Eyes" which this information will further describe. We will be taking an offering on July 19 for this new ministry.

Thank you to everyone for your continued support of Bethel Church and the ministries we support! Online giving continues to be available through our church website, and through Tithe.ly. The link to the giving site is: <https://www.bethelcrcdemotte.org/giving/>. You can also give by downloading the app on your phone and creating an account. There are baskets setting by the doors to the sanctuary for your cash and check offerings. We are grateful for your continuing faithfulness in worshiping the Lord through your gifts and offering!

We welcome anyone who might be visiting with us here at Bethel!
In light of worshipping together with the social distancing restrictions still in place,
we want to share some of the guidelines we are continuing to follow:

- We will hold worship services for the morning only. We plan to restart the 6:00 pm service on July 12th.
- There will be no greeters at church. The doors will be propped open so that worshippers can walk right into the church building and sanctuary without touching any door handles.
- Ushers will be present to help seat. Every other pew has been “cordoned off” by the placement of hymnals and Bibles on the seats.
- We ask and encourage that people adhere to CDC guidelines in terms of washing their hands, not touching their faces, and maintaining social distancing while we are together.
- We encourage that if you are sick, or have a temperature, or believe you are an “at risk” person according to CDC guidelines, that you stay home.
- We will not enforce the wearing of masks, but we ask that you please consider wearing one if you feel it will help you.
- There will not be an official nursery, with people there to watch children. Yet the nursery room will remain open in case a diaper needs to be changed, or to serve as a cry room if needed.
- Bathrooms are available. Again, please follow CDC guidelines about good hygiene.
- No offering plate will be passed during the worship service, but offering boxes will be available by the sanctuary doors in which you may place your gifts. Again, online giving continues to remain an option.
- Following the worship service, there will be no coffee or snack time. You are encouraged to NOT linger in the narthex. If you want to socialize, we ask that you do so outside, again remembering to maintain proper social distancing guidelines.

SCHOOL NEWS

DeMotte Christian Grade School/Covenant Christian High School Registration Dates

DeMotte Christian Grade School and Covenant Christian High School Registration will be held on the evenings of Thursday, July 23, and Tuesday, July 28, from 6:00p.m. - 8:00p.m. These registration nights are intended for all parents of DMC and CCHS students enrolled for the 2020-2021 school year. It allows parents to complete necessary forms, pick up vital information, ask questions, make financial arrangements, etc. All parents must plan to attend one of these evenings. If you have children at both schools, you need to visit both schools. Your Tuition Agreement Plan will be at DeMotte Christian Grade School.

Boxed Cards Discontinued

Boxed Cards will not be available once the current stock is depleted, so stop by and get your supply before it's sold out!

SERMON NOTES

9:30 a.m.

Scripture: Philippians 4:10-13

Message: “Paul’s Secret to Contentment”

Pastor Rick Vanderwal

Service 9:30a.m.

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