



Bethel Christian Reformed Church

Sunday, October 8, 2023

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9:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Services

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.

Today we welcome Dr. Cornel Venema. He will continue looking at the Beatitudes from Matthew 5.

AM – “Blessed Are the Meek” and PM – “Blessed Are Those Who Hunger and Thirst for Righteousness”.

Next week Pastor Jeff Hale from Emmanuel Sauk Village will lead us in worship. AM: The Beginning of the End, Part 1 and he will conclude at the 5pm service with Part 2 from Matthew 16:21-28.

We are excited to offer **CHILDREN'S CHURCH**. The children will be dismissed after the Time of Praise. 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.

Ray VanderLaan video series will meet TODAY after the worship service in the council room. Grab your coffee and a snack and come join us!

SERVING TODAY

October 8

Nursery: AM	Steph and James
Piano:	Amy
Usher AM	Todd
Greeters	Hank & Marlene (E), Larry & Velma (S).
Media Shout	Katie
Offering AM	Ministries of Bethel and CRWM - Gifford's

You can continue to give online at www.bethelcrcdemotte.org. Thank you!

SERVING NEXT WEEK October 15

Nursery: AM	Suzy and Amy
Piano:	Marla
Usher AM	Joseph
Greeters	Hank & Marlene (E), Larry & Velma (S).
Media Shout	Scott
Offering AM	Ministries of Bethel and Jim & Karen Getz's with the Navigators at MSU

CHURCH FAMILY: PLEASE CONTINUE TO KEEP IN PRAYER:

- Carolyn VV – Please pray for healing and that she regains strength.
- Henry D., Mary R., Andy & Cheryl, Barb E, Rich K, Ted & Donna, Elmer & Norma
- Ruth DV who has been diagnosed with Parkinson's Disease. Prayers on her behalf as she faces this challenge.

THIS WEEKS MEETINGS

Wednesday 6:15pm Cadets

CADETS meets this week Wednesday for all boys 2nd thru 8th grade from 6:15-8:15pm First CRC.

MORNING WORSHIP

*Please stand for Our Opening Song: "Offering"

*Welcome & Opening Prayer

*God's Greeting

*Mutual Greeting

*Time of Praise

"Who You Say I Am"

"Holy Spirit Living Breath of God"

Please Be Seated! **Children are dismissed for Children's Worship!**

Offering will be received for Ministries of Bethel and Gifford's - CRWM

Morning Prayer

Scripture: Matthew 5:1-16 Text Matthew 5:5 (pg. 1501)

Message: "**Blessed Are the Meek**"

Prayer

*Please Stand for God's Parting Blessing

*Closing Song: "I Give You My Heart"

5PM WORSHIP

Welcome

*Please Stand for our Opening Song:

"Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" 3 vs.

*Opening Prayer

*Continue in Song:

"How Blest Are They Who Trespass" vs.1,2,3,4

"For the Fruit of All Creation" 3 vs.

Please Be Seated

Prayer

Scripture: Matthew 5:1-16 Text Matthew 5:6 (pg. 1501)

Message: "**Blessed Are Those Who Hunger and Thirst for Righteousness**"

Prayer

God's Parting Blessing

Closing Song: "God of Mercy, God of Grace" 3 vs.

HARVEST FEAST - Sunday, Nov. 5!

Fall is here! and so is our annual Harvest Feast! Join us following the morning service for a time of great food and thanksgiving for all that God has blessed us with this year. All are invited. Please sign the sheet located in the back of church for number attending and choice of dish you would like to contribute. See you there!

ANEW Ministries is a nonprofit looking to fill a position for an Assistant. 10-15 hours a week. Ideal candidates would have a heart for serving young moms, ability to work independently, detail oriented with computer and internet access and love Jesus! Full job description available. To learn more about ANEW or for a full job description contact Janell@anewministries.org

Joni Vander Woude is in Urgent need of Home Health services. The State has not been able to provide a nurse for 7 months, Joni also needs an aide to be with her during the day while Jason is at work. If you are a licensed nurse, RN or LPN, the average wage is \$25- \$35/hr. CNAs start at \$15/hr. and there are benefits available if you work 30 hours or more per week. The State has now started a new program where family and friends can be hired as Paid Caregivers, this position starts at \$13/hr. If there is any chance you are available and able to help, Please call Joni at 219-898-0581 ASAP. Thank you!