



## Bethel Christian Reformed Church

Sunday, February 13, 2022

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

Welcome to Bethel Church. If you are visiting with us we are glad you've joined us. Visitors, please take a mug from the table in the back of church which includes all of our contact information. Any questions we would love to hear from you.

This morning Pastor Rick will continue a new sermon series on Prayer. Today we will be looking at "This is How You Should Pray..." from Matthew 6:9-13. Join us at 5pm as we look at Mark 10 – "Hosanna to Heaven's King!"

**REDISCOVERING PRAYER!** As Pastor Rick continues his series on Prayer, the Outreach Team has selected the date of February 28 to focus on our God given gift of Prayer. Everyone in Bethel will be given a Prayer Guide. You will be asked to sign up for a specific 1/2 hour time frame on Feb.28 during which you will be praying in the convenience of your own home. "Why?" You may ask? This is our first step forward of many being planned for Bethel. Please find and read article in your mailbox titled "Rediscovering Your Church's Call to Mission Begins with Prayer."  
"The prayer of a righteous person has great power as it is working." James 5:16



**"SHOW ME JESUS"** Sunday School for all PK (4 yr.) – 6<sup>th</sup> Grade and **Catechism** for all 7<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> graders **will NOT meet today**. See you back next week.

Join us **MARCH 13 FOR A 5pm SERVICE OF PRAISE AND WORSHIP.** It will be similar to the hymn sing we had except it will be a little more expansive, with different styles of music. We would love your input. What is one of your favorite songs, whether a hymn or a contemporary praise song, or one of the new contemporary-like hymns? Please share them with Shiela at [bethelcrc@netnitco.net](mailto:bethelcrc@netnitco.net) or Pastor Rick, as we will hope to craft a service together from the various responses. Thank you!

<b>SERVING TODAY</b>	<b>February 13</b>
Nursery:	Velma O., Heidi D.
Piano:	Amy
Usher AM:	Larry O.
Media Shout	Katie E,
Offering	Ministries of Bethel and Oak Grove

No offering will be taken during the service, but offering boxes are available by the sanctuary doors to place your gifts. Also, you can use our online giving at [www.bethelcrcdemotte.org](http://www.bethelcrcdemotte.org). Thank you!

## MORNING WORSHIP

Welcome

Opening Words: Psalm 139:1-12

Prayer of praise

Song: "God Himself Is with Us"

God's Greeting

Songs of Praise:

- "How Great Is Our God"
- "Be Unto Your Name"

Prayer of Confession

Response – God's Guide for Gratitude

Song: "You Shall Love the Lord Your God"

Prayers of God's People

Scripture: Matthew 6:9-13

Sermon: **This is How You Should Pray...**

Prayer, followed by singing: "The Lord's Prayer"

Parting Blessing

Closing Song: "Make Me a Channel of Your Peace"

## 5PM WORSHIP

Welcome

Opening Song: "Open The Eyes of My Heart, Lord"

Prayer of Praise

Scripture: Psalm 118:19-28

Songs:

- "Hosanna" (Hosanna, hosanna, in the highest)
- "Oh for a thousand Tongues to Sing"
- "Amazing Grace"

Prayers of God's People

Scripture: Mark 10:46-11:11

Sermon: **Hosanna to Heaven's King!!**

Closing Prayer

Closing Song – "Lead On O King Eternal"

**CHURCH FAMILY – Please keep in prayer:**

- Congratulations to Jeremy and Laura Visscher as they welcomed little Esme Joy into the world. Esme was born Friday, February 4 and we rejoice that mom and daughter (as well as dad and siblings) are doing well! We praise God for the gift of new life!!
- Elmer VM, Rich K, John B., Bill VW

The Synod of the Christian Reformed Church will meet this June for the first time in 3 years due to the pandemic, and will be discussing various weighty issues, including the human sexuality report. Please be in prayer, even now already, for Synod, for the time that it meets (June 10-June 16), for the delegates as they are chosen and as they prepare, and for the Holy Spirit's leading and discernment so that the Church will remain faithful to Scripture and to her Lord and Savior.

**MEETINGS & ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK**

Tuesday 1:30pm Ladies Afternoon Bible Study  
Wednesday 9:30am Coffee Break  
1:00pm Phil's Friends at Connection Center  
6:30pm GEMS  
7:00pm Worship Team

**SERVING NEXT WEEK February 20**

Nursery: Kim K., Brenda V.  
Piano: Marla  
Usher AM: Steve R.  
Media Shout: Katie E,  
Offering: Ministries of Bethel and Capital Improvements

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**LADIES AFTERNOON BIBLE STUDY** will meet on Tuesday, February 15 at 1:30pm at the home of Dianne D.V. We will be studying lesson 8 – Friendship Evangelism.

**COFFEE BREAK** meets on Wednesday's from 9:30am-11am. We are doing a study called "Discover Comfort" helping us to learn from various passages what God's Word has to say about suffering. Nursery is provided!

**PHIL'S FRIENDS-** Connection Center-Wednesday, February 16 - 1:00-3:00.

**GEMS** meets this week Wednesday at First CRC from 6:30pm-8pm.

**WORSHIP TEAM** will meet this week Wednesday at 7pm.

We are looking for a new **Nursery Coordinator** caring for our little ones. Any questions about what it involves please talk to Stephanie.

There is a **SIGN-UP ON THE ROUND TABLE** in the back of church if you would like to bring cookies/snack for our coffee fellowship time after the am worship. Questions see Steph.

**SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Restored Resale Inc.**

Restored Resale, a DMCS partner, is in desperate need of volunteers and monetary donations to get the store up and running. They have a great many needs to meet, so please consider how you may be able to help them. Contact them at [RestoredResaleInc@gmail.com](mailto:RestoredResaleInc@gmail.com) to find out more and get involved. Thank you!

**DMC JOB OPENINGS FOR 2022-2023**

**2nd, 3rd, and 5th Grade Teaching Positions for 2022-2023**

DeMotte Christian Schools, Inc. is accepting applications for a full-time second grade teacher. Applicants should hold at least a baccalaureate degree in elementary education from an accredited college or university and be an active member of a church with a Reformed persuasion. Although not a requirement, it is preferred that candidates possess leadership qualities or a special education background. Opportunities to lead extracurricular activities or athletics are also available. Position will be posted until filled.

**Junior High Science Teaching Position for 2022-2023**

DeMotte Christian Schools, Inc. is accepting applications for a full-time Junior High Science teacher. Applicants should hold at least a baccalaureate degree in secondary education from an accredited college or university and be an active member of a church with a Reformed persuasion. Although not a requirement, it is preferred that candidates possess leadership qualities or a special education background. Opportunities to lead extracurricular activities or athletics are also available. Position will be posted until filled.

Contact: Mr. Dan Weaver DeMotte Christian Grade School  
Email: [dweaver@dmcsemail.org](mailto:dweaver@dmcsemail.org) Phone: 219.987.3721

**DMCS JOB OPPORTUNITIES**

DeMotte Christian Schools, Inc is accepting applications for a part time bookkeeper with potential for fulltime. Responsibilities include accounts payable, accounts receivable, payroll, etc. Quickbooks experience is a plus but not necessary. Submit applications(found at [www.demottechristianschools.org](http://www.demottechristianschools.org)) To Mr. Hucks at [lhucks@dmcsemail.org](mailto:lhucks@dmcsemail.org).

DMCS is looking to create a list of **substitute custodians** if any of our current custodians need additional help or are absent. If you are interested, please contact Superintendent Hucks at [lhucks@dmcsemail.org](mailto:lhucks@dmcsemail.org).

Do you have a CDL with a passenger endorsement, or are you interested in obtaining one? DMCS is in need of **bus drivers** for the winter sports season and 2nd semester! For more details, contact Jill Struble at [jstruble@dmcsemail.org](mailto:jstruble@dmcsemail.org).

**HIGH SCHOOL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES**

**High School English Teacher**

The applicant should be passionate about teaching English to students from a Reformed perspective. The applicant would teach classes including, but not limited to Composition, Literature, Speech, Film Literature, and Writing at the high school levels. The applicant should have a baccalaureate degree from an accredited college or university. If interested, complete an application (found at [demottechristianschools.org](http://demottechristianschools.org)) and submit it to the contact below.

### **High School Foreign Language Teacher**

The applicant should be passionate about teaching foreign language to students from a Reformed perspective. The applicant would teach either Spanish, French, German, or Latin at the high school level. There are potential opportunities to teach PE, Health, Child Development, or English, as well. The applicant should have a baccalaureate degree from an accredited college or university. If interested, complete an application (found at [demottechristianschools.org](http://demottechristianschools.org)) and submit it to the contact below.

### **High School PE/Health Instructor**

The applicant will teach classes including 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> grade PE, Advanced PE, and Health at the high school level. The applicant may also teach classes such as English or Family and Consumer Science courses. Applicants should have a baccalaureate degree from an accredited college or university. If interested, complete an application (found at [demottechristianschools.org](http://demottechristianschools.org)) and submit it to the contact below.

Contact: Mr. Richard DeFries                      Covenant Christian High School Principal  
Email: [rdefries@dmcsemail.org](mailto:rdefries@dmcsemail.org)                      Phone: 219.987.7651

*If interested in high school level positions, direct questions/submit applications to Rick DeFries, CCHS Principal, at [rdefries@dmcsemail.org](mailto:rdefries@dmcsemail.org) (or call 219-987-7651). Applications may be found at [www.demottechristianschools.org](http://www.demottechristianschools.org), under the “About” tab drop down menu, “Employment Opportunities” tab.*

### **LITTLE CAESARS FUNDRAISER (Feb. 4-22)**

It's time to stock your freezer with Little Caesars! Make their famous pizza, crazy bread, or cookies to enjoy at home! Kits are \$20-\$25 and include enough to make 3 pizzas/30 cookies. Contact any DMC student to order! Questions? Call the DMC office at 219-987-3721 ext.

### **SERVICE DINNER 2022**

It seems hard to believe, but there has not been an in-person CCHS Service Dinner since spring, 2019! Lord willing, Service Dinner 2022 will be held on Friday, March 11 (doors open at 6, dinner at 6:30). The evening will include a delicious catered meal, student-led singing, and students sharing about their Service Week experiences and blessings. A free-will offering will be taken to offset Service Week expenses, which are many! (This event and our fall jog-a-thon are the only fundraisers dedicated toward Service Week). We hope you will join us! Tickets are available in the office at either school, or by contacting any Covenant student. Questions? Call the CCHS office at (219) 987-7651, ext. 210.

### **DMCS Important Dates:**

February 4:	Little Caesars Fundraiser Begins
February 18:	DMCS NO SCHOOL
February 21:	DMCS - SCHOOL IN SESSION
February 22:	Little Caesars Fundraiser Ends
February 25:	Re-Enrollment Final Due Date
February 28:	Open Enrollment for 2022-2023
March 1:	DMCS Board Meeting
March 10:	Red Cross Blood Drive at Keener Fire Department: 1pm-6pm
March 11:	CCHS Service Dinner, 6pm
March 17:	PIE Spring Dinner at CCHS
March 21-25:	Spring Break