



## Bethel Christian Reformed Church

Sunday, July 2, 2023

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

**WELCOME TO BETHEL CHURCH!** Whether in person, or online, we hope your time spent worshipping the Lord will be a blessing.

Today we welcome Jeff White who will lead our morning worship today – “Naaman & America: God Shed His Grace on Thee” from 2 Kings 5:1-19

Join us at 5 PM for a Combined 5pm Worship here at Bethel with First CRC. Pastor Jim Alblas will lead the sermon which will tie into Independence Day's concept of Freedom. The message will focus on ways in which we find Freedom through Christ from Mark 5:1-20 “A Story of Freedom”.

Next week Pastor Eric Schering will be with us for the morning service – “Jesus Encounters Lord willing, next week we will also celebrate the **Lord's Supper** together. May God use this gift he has given through his son Jesus to affirm our faith and draw us closer to him

### **SERVING TODAY**

#### **July 2**

Nursery: AM	Anna and Belle
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Piano:	Amy
Usher AM	Andrew
Greeters	Dave & Barb (E), Mike & Andrea (S).
Media Shout	Riley
Offering AM	Ministries of Bethel and DMCS Inc.

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

### **SERVING NEXT WEEK July 9**

Nursery: AM	Steph and Carli
Piano:	Amy
Usher AM	Andrew
Greeters	Dave & Barb (E), Mike & Andrea (S).
Media Shout	Katie
Offering AM	Ministries of Bethel and PIM – Schering's in Papua New Guinea

## MORNING WORSHIP

Welcome

Opening Prayer

\*Please Stand for our Opening Songs  
“Battle Hymn of the Republic” W/C569

\*Gods Greeting

\*Mutual Greeting

\*Time of Praise:

“How Vast the Benefits Divine”

“Grace Alone”

“Amazing Grace”

Please Be Seated!

Offering will be received for Ministries of Bethel and DMCS Inc.

Prayer

Scripture: 2 Kings 5:1-19

Message: “**Naaman & America: God Shed His Grace on Thee**”

Prayer

Please Stand for Song of Response:

“America the Beautiful” W/C 572

God's Parting Blessing

Closing Song

“Go My Children with My Blessing”

## 5PM WORSHIP

**Combined Service Here at Bethel!**  
**Pastor Jim Alblas – “A Story of Freedom”**

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

- Carolyn B. cancer was all removed and as of now there is no further treatment needed! Praise God!
- Elmer VM underwent some tests and they came back good. He will need to stay a little longer in the hospital. Pray he can come home soon.
- Emmett DB open heart surgery is this week Wednesday. Prayers for a successful surgery for him and peace for his parents as they know and trust him into God's hands. Prayers as well for his team of surgeons.
- Henry D., Ruth D.V. Elmer & Norma, Wayne & Carolyn, Andy & Cheryl, Barb E, Rich K, Ted & Donna

***ANNOUNCEMENTS***

REMINDER- There will be a brief congregational meeting following the service this morning concerning the Pastor Search Survey being handed out today. If you are unable to attend, there will be copies available on the table in the back of church. Please return filled out surveys as soon as possible to Search Committee member or place on table in back of church.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Search Committee

Please have ALL bulletin announcements sent to [bethelcrc@netitco.net](mailto:bethelcrc@netitco.net) by 6pm on Wednesday of each week Thank you!

**The *IRBC Basic Training Course in Biblical Counseling*** will be offered this fall beginning in September. This course will help you more effectively bring God's Word to bear in the lives of His suffering children. Classes will be held at Mid-America Reformed Seminary in Dyer, Indiana, 229 Seminary Dr, Dyer, IN 46311. For more information and/or an application, please visit our website at [www.reformedbiblicalcounseling.org](http://www.reformedbiblicalcounseling.org).