

	TODAY	Next Week, Sunday, February 10
Sound	Bruce & Deb Dooyema	Sean Quinlan & Kyle Vanden Bosch
Video	Travis Mulder	Trey Haverhals
Power Point	Wanda Vande Kieft	Ladd Wielenga
Welcome Center	Stan & Karen Wynia	Merlin & Bev Zwart
Ushers	AM – Dan DW, Jordan H, Justin N Scott TN, Jason VH PM – Mike H, Allen M, Dave VH	AM – Dan DW, Jordan H, Justin N Scott TN, Jason VH PM – Mike H, Allen M, Dave VH
Greeters	AM - Junior & Kim Hoogland Kathy & Wanda Vande Kieft PM – Terry & Mary Hubers Bruce & Phyllis Hooyer	AM – Doug & Cindy Hubers Aaron & Charity Hulstein PM – Mike & Pam Hulstein Greg & Angie Jansma
Coffee/Juice Servers	Mike & Stacy Schaap Ron & Alma Schaap Harlan & Jane Schelling	Brent & Robin Suing Scott & Amy Ten Napel Daniel & Jina Tinklenberg
Nursery	AM – David's Meadow – Melissa Gulker Ella Dekkers Jackson Gulker AM – Noah's Ark – Dan & Martha Draayer Donte Gulker Carter Mulders PM – Ron & Marg Fedders Kayda Vanden Berg	AM – David's Meadow – Kristin Haan Austin Van Wyk Daylea Tinklenberg AM – Noah's Ark – Jessica Feekes, Alexis Haverhals Alex Saarloos PM – Arlin & Lou Ann Franken Mikayla Meyers
Bus Driver	Ron Fedders	Beau Bosma
PM Offering	Back to God Ministries	The Lighthouse
C & W	Maggie R, Danikka J, Megan M	Maggie R, Danikka J, Megan M
Tiny Tots	Shawn M, Daylea Tinklenberg	Shawn M, Ashley W

THIS WEEK AT BETHEL

TODAY	9:30 AM	Prayer for Worship – Prayer Room
	10:00 AM	Morning Worship Service
	11:15 AM	Reservation – Lighthouse
	11:15 AM	Sunday School & Catechism
	11:20 AM	Choir
MONDAY	6:00 PM	Evening Worship Service
	7:15 PM	Care & Concern Prayer time – Groups 1-5
	7:00 PM	Ladies Bible Study – Room 15
TUESDAY	7:00 PM	Building Committee meeting – Room 10
	7:00 PM	Evangelism Committee meeting – GEMS room
WEDNESDAY	7:00 PM	Worship Committee Meeting – Council Room
FRIDAY	7:00 PM	YPS – Small Groups
NEXT SUNDAY	7:00 PM	LIFT Bible Study - Lighthouse
	10:00 AM	Morning Worship Service
	6:00 PM	Evening Worship Service



Christian Reformed Church

"Connecting people to Christ and one another"



Lord's Day Ministry

Morning Worship 10:00 am | Evening Worship 6:00 pm
Church Education for Children & Adults 11:15 am

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WELCOME TO BETHEL CRC ~ February 3, 2019

Welcome to all who worship with us on this Lord's Day! We especially welcome all visitors and those who may be seeking a new church home and invite you to fill out a welcome card either in this bulletin or at www.bethelcsc.org so we can get to know you. Everyone is invited to stay for a time of fellowship following the services.

WORSHIP NOTES

This Week

- This Sunday morning, our worship service will be led by Pastor John Lee. He will continue his series "Hidden Graces" and will focus on Matthew 26:36-46 – "Unanswered Prayer". We will also witness the Public Profession of Faith of Ryan Van Schouwen and the Baptism of Skylar Lindbergh, infant daughter of Kyle & Kara Lindbergh.
- This morning's first offering (Bethel Ministry Fund) supports the many ministries of this church and denomination. Our second offering is for the Christ-centered education of our children
- This Sunday evening, our worship will be led by Pastor Joel De Boer. He will focus on Genesis 4:1-16 –and Luke 15:11-32 – "When Children Walk Away from the Faith". Pastor John will be preaching at Dordt's GIFT service tonight.
- Our evening offering is for Back to God Ministries. You probably recognize them for broadcasts like the Back to God Hour and Kid's Corner, and publications like the Today devotional, but they also proclaim the Gospel over various media in native languages across the globe. You can learn more about them at <https://backtogod.net/> If you are unable to attend this evening, but would like to give to Back to God Ministries, please put a donation in the offering this morning, with Back to God listed on the memo line.

Next Week

- Next Sunday morning, our worship service will be led by Pastor John Lee. He will continue his series "Hidden Graces" and will focus on 2 Corinthians 1:3-11 – "Pain".
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- Next Sunday evening, our worship service will be led by Pastor John Lee. He will focus on Heidelberg Catechism LD 39 – 5th Commandment – Proverbs 4:1-13. We will also celebrate the sacrament of Communion by Intinction.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Children & Worship and Tot Church meet during the morning service for children ages 3 & 4. The dismissal is indicated in the order of worship. Parents, please bring your 3 yr. old children to the Tot Church room (Classroom #5) and bring your 4 yr. old children to the Children & Worship room. All children will meet together toward the end of the service for singing. All children can be picked up in the Children & Worship room. Children are welcome to bring an offering.

The GEMS just completed a service project for Sole Hope where they cut out patterns for 69 pairs of shoes to send to Uganda. Thousands of children in Uganda suffer from a crippling foot parasite called jiggers. Through education, medical care, and shoes, Sole Hopes aids Ugandan people to become jigger free, restoring health and hope for a future. Each pair of shoes made needs a donation to send along to cover shipping and pay the sewers and shoemakers in Uganda. If you would like donate, please put your donation in the GEMS mailbox or in the offering plate, labeled GEMS-Sole Hope.

From the Hospitality Committee: On Sunday, March 3, there will be an All-Church Potluck immediately following the morning service. Come and join us for food and fellowship. Details will be posted in the bulletin next week.

From the Deacons – 2018 year-end giving statements have been distributed. If you have any questions on your statement or if you did not receive a statement, please contact a deacon.

FAITH VITAMINS: Are you looking for a way to grow in your faith or have a healthier faith life? You are invited to attend one of the 5 new multi-generational options. These classes are open to high school and college students, and adults and will run for 2 more weeks. Descriptions are below sign-up is in the back of church.

- **Profession of Faith Class/New Member's Class:** Council Room. Leader – Pastor John.
- **Spiritual Disciplines:** Meet in the adult Sunday school room by the kitchen – Dan Elgersma
- **Christian Finance:** Meet in classroom #15 NE corner of the education wing. Leader – Nathan Tintle.
- **Like Arrows Study (The Art of Parenting):** New members are still welcome. Grow as a parent and be encouraged by other parents. Leaders are Martha Hulshof and Amy Ross.

Get involved: Youth as well as any interested college students or adults may also choose to participate in the church choir or to be a helper in a Sunday school classroom.

The Bethel Library has books to give away. There is a table set up by the Welcome Center of non-fiction books as well as a few children's books. Check it out and pick up something to read.

7-3-4, a great way to meet people from your church. Sign up will remain at the Welcome Center. Please consider signing up. If you have questions, please contact Matt & Janey Boogerd (mjboogerd@yahoo.com) or Kevin & Sandi Wynja (kscwynja@mtcnet.net).

Bethel Ladies Bus Trip-TAKE 2! Ladies, please mark your calendars for Friday, August 9-Saturday, August 10, 2019, for the next addition of the Bethel Ladies & Friends bus trip. We will be heading back to Minneapolis for more fun! More details & sign-up will be coming later spring, but mark your calendars now.

Bethel Men's Bus Trip- Men, we are planning a men's bus trip this year to Minneapolis as well! Mark your calendars for Friday, July 19-Saturday, July 20, 2019. More details & sign-up will be coming later this spring.

A Time of Celebration will be held in the Fellowship Hall following our evening service on March 3
Come with your family and join us for a light lunch and fellowship to celebrate with the following families:

Colter Joe, son of Joe & Tarah Kooima, born on October 21
Skylar Jae, daughter of Kyle and Kara Lindberg, born on November 28
Alijah Isaiah, 6-year-old son of Dean and Tara Dekkers, forever a Dekkers on November 19
Logan Bennett, son of Kyle and Tessa Vanden Bosch, born January 24

Contributions toward gift cards may be given to Verla Hoogland until Friday, March 1. Baskets for each couple will be available in the narthex. Anyone may contribute gifts to any of these baskets.

All Bethel members are encouraged to write our missionaries this week.

Farmer to Farmer
Rolando & Yessenia Mejia
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Managua, Nicaragua
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Bethel CRC Welcomes You!

We invite visitors and guests to complete the information below and place it in the offering plate or complete a visitor info request form online at www.bethelcsc.org/contact-us.

Today's Date: _____

Time of Service: (please circle one) **AM** **PM**

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Home Phone: _____ **Cell(s):** _____

Email: _____

Please Check One:

Visitor _____ **Guest** _____ **College Student** _____

Requests:

- I desire to learn more about Jesus as my Lord and Savior.
- I desire to be baptized or make Profession of Faith.
- I would like more information on joining Bethel CRC
- I would like to talk to a Pastor.
- I desire information about the ministries of Bethel CRC
- I desire information about youth ministries.
- I would like to know more about ministry opportunities at Bethel CRC and where I might serve.
- I would like to volunteer for _____
- I would like to request prayer for _____
- Other _____

PRAYER MINISTRY

- Kyle and Tessa Vanden Bosch were blessed with a baby boy on Thursday, January 24! His name is Logan Bennett. He spent a night in the NICU, but they are home now and doing well.
- We pray for God's comfort to surround Harlan and Jane Schelling, Tim and Marlys Obbink, and Arlys Zomermand and her family at the death of Harlan's mom and Arlys' sister, Wilma Schelling, on Thursday, January 24 in Pleasant Acres in Hull. She was 88 years old and had just returned to Pleasant Acres from the hospital for treatment of Influenza. The funeral was Tuesday, January 29 at the Netherlands Reformed Church in Sioux Center.
- Elizabeth Gesink underwent successful knee replacement surgery in Orange City Hospital on Tuesday, January 29. She hopes to return home early this weekend.
- Jared Anderson had same day surgery on Friday, February 1 in Sioux City to repair a torn meniscus on his left knee.
- We praise God that Jared Haak and his team from Nellis Air Force Base have returned from deployment in Iraq! They are back on base near Las Vegas, NV again as of Wednesday, January 30. We are thankful for a safe tour of duty and safe travels for him and his fellow airmen. Jared would also like to say thanks to the congregation for the all the cards, letters of support and care packages he received while abroad. Staying in touch like that was a welcome blessing while out of the country.
- Happy Birthday to Gladys De Weerd! She will be 87 on Tuesday, February 5.
- We continue to join our community in praying for different local congregations. This week, we will be in prayer for the Free Grace Reformed congregation. We also pray for Pastor Mark Schwarz.
- If you have a prayer request that you would like included in the bulletin, please contact Pastor John Lee at (irlee12@gmail.com) or the Bethel office (office@bethelsc.org).

These Care & Concern groups will meet for a time of prayer following the evening service:

- Group 1 (Bronner/Van Schouwen/Schelling) – Room 9
- Group 2 (Vande Kamp/Moget/Haverhals) – Room 8
- Group 3 (Draayer/VanVoorst/Draayer) – Room 10
- Group 4 (VanVoorst/Meyer/Zomermaand) – Room 11
- Group 5 (Tinklenberg/Vanden Berg/Vanden Berg) – Room 12

**Youth Group
Schedule**



YPS: This Wednesday is an activity night planned by the student leaders from 7-9 pm (Postponed from last week). Girls should meet at the lighthouse for some canvas painting (wear appropriate clothing). Guys should meet at the SCCS gym for a dodgeball tournament (wear athletic clothes and bring along gym shoes).

Jr YPS (7th-8th): No Large group tonight. Large Group Meeting next Sunday from 7-8:30. Sam & Caleb Westra are down for snacks & drinks.

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The Lord's Day ~ February 3, 2019, 10:00 AM

THE APPROACH TO WORSHIP

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Prayer of Invocation

*Call to Worship

*Opening Hymn: **"O Praise God's Name Together" st 1,2,4 (LUYH #558)**

- 1) O praise God's name together, you servants of the Lord;
O Lord, for all your favor to us, you are adored!
Within your holy temple, before your sacred throne,
The chosen heirs of Jacob proclaim you God alone!
- 2) O Lord, no mind can measure the greatness of your might;
You gave the earth its orbit and set the stars to flight.
The clouds you raised in heaven give to the fields their rain;
Your Word lifts waves from oceans and mountains from the plain.
- 4) False gods may rise before us, their vanity display;
but as the hands that made them, they too shall fade away.
Your name, O God Almighty, endures for endless days;
and newborn generations unite to sing your praise.

*God's Greeting

*Mutual Greeting

*Song of Praise: **"Hallelujah for the Cross" st 1-3 (CCLI)**

- 1) Up to the hill of Calvary, my Savior went courageously
and there he bled and died for me. Hallelujah for the cross.
And on that day the world was changed, a final perfect lamb was slain.
Let earth and heaven now proclaim, "Hallelujah for the cross."

Chorus: Hallelujah for the war He fought, love has won, death has lost.

Hallelujah for the souls He bought Hallelujah for the cross.

- 2) What good I've done could never save, my debt too great for deeds to pay,
But God, my Savior, made a way. Hallelujah for the cross.
A slave to sin, my life was bound but all my chains fell to the ground.
When Jesus' blood came flowing down. Hallelujah for the cross. (*Chorus*)
- 3) And when I breathe my final breath, I'll have no need to fear that rest.
This hope will guide me into death: Hallelujah for the cross. (*Chorus x2*)
Hallelujah for the cross. Hallelujah for the cross.

RENEWING GOD'S COVENANT IN CHRIST

Call to Confession

Silent Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Song of Assurance: **"Before the Throne of God Above" st 1-3 (LUYH #682)**

- 1) Before the throne of God above I have a strong and perfect plea:
A great High Priest, whose name is Love, who ever lives and pleads for me.
My name is graven on His hands, my name is written on His heart;
I know that while in heaven He stands no tongue can bid me thence depart,
No tongue can bid me thence depart.
- 2) When Satan tempts me to despair, and tells me of the guilt within,
Upward I look, and see Him there who made an end of all my sin.
Because the sinless Savior died, my sinful soul is counted free;
For God the Just is satisfied to look on Him and pardon me,
To look on Him and pardon me.
- 3) Behold Him there, the Risen Lamb my perfect, spotless righteousness,
The great unchangeable "I AM", the King of glory and of grace!
One with Himself I cannot die my soul is purchased by His blood;
My life is hid with Christ on high, with Christ, my Savior and my God,
With Christ, my Savior and my God.

Baptism of Skylar Jae Lindbergh

Song of Response: **"Who You Say I Am" st 1-2 (CCLI)**

- 1) Who am I that the highest King would welcome me?
I was lost but He brought me in. Oh, His love for me!
Oh, His love for me!

Chorus: Who the Son sets free, oh, is free indeed.
I'm a child of God, yes, I am.

- 2) Free at last, He has ransomed me; His grace runs deep.
While I was a slave to sin, Jesus died for me,
Yes, He died for me.

Chorus: Who the Son sets free, oh, is free indeed.
I'm a child of God, yes, I am.
In my Father's house there's a place for me.
I'm a child of God, yes, I am.

Bridge: I am chosen, not forsaken, I am who You say I am.
You are for me, not against me, I am who You say I am. *(Repeat)*
I am who You say I am. *(Repeat Chorus and Bridge)*

Profession of Faith of Ryan Van Schouwen

Song of Response: "Your Great Name"

(Children ages 3-4 are invited to Children & Worship)

THE MINISTRY OF GOD'S WORD AND SPIRIT

Prayer for Right Hearing

Scripture: **Matthew 26:36-46**

Sermon: **Hidden Grace – "Unanswered Prayer"**

Prayer of Application

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

*Hymn of Response: **PH #579 "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" st 1-3** *(Sung to the tune of CH #630)*

Pastoral Prayer

Offertory

Offerings: 1) Bethel Ministry Fund; 2) Bethel Christian Education Fund

OUR DEPARTURE IN THE BLESSING OF GOD

*Closing Song: **"All Glory Be to Christ" st 1 (CCLI)**

- 1) Should nothing of our efforts stand, no legacy survive;
Unless the Lord does raise the house, in vain its builders strive.
To you who boast tomorrow's gain, tell me what is your life?
A mist that vanishes at dawn; All glory be to Christ!

Chorus: All glory be to Christ our king! All glory be to Christ!
His rule and reign will ever sing, all glory be to Christ!

*God's Parting Blessing

*Doxology: **"All Glory Be to Christ" st 2-3 (CCLI)**

- 2) His will be done, His kingdom come on earth as is above,
Who is Himself our daily bread; Praise Him, the Lord of love.
Let living water satisfy the thirsty without price;
We'll take a cup of kindness yet; All glory be to Christ! *(Chorus)*
- 3) When on the day the great I Am the faithful and the true,
The Lamb who was for sinners slain is making all things new.
Behold, our God shall live with us and be our steadfast light.
And we shall ere his people be; All glory be to Christ! *(Chorus X2)*

*Postlude

Minister of the Word: Pastor John Lee

Organist: Leendert van Beek

Pianist: Ashley Wynia

Drums: Braden Zevenbergen

Worship Team: Marianne Bleeker, Kim Hoogland, Dave Tinklenberg, Jeff Van Voorst, Karen Vreugdenhil

Vocalist: Rebekah Vande Kamp

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WE GATHER FOR WORSHIP

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Prayer of Invocation

*Call to Worship

*Opening Hymn: **PH #185 "I Will Extol You, O My God" st 1-3**

*God's Greeting

*Mutual Greeting

*Hymn: **"We Bow Down" st 1-2 (SANC #42)**

- 1) You are Lord of creation and Lord of my life, Lord of the land and the sea;
You were Lord of the heavens before there was time and Lord of all lords you will be.
We bow down, and we worship you, Lord;
We bow down, and we worship you, Lord;
We bow down, and we worship you, Lord;
Lord of all lords you will be.
- 2) You are King of creation and King of my life, King of the land and the sea;
You were King of the heavens before there was time, and King of all kings you will be.
We bow down, and we crown you the King;
We bow down, and we crown you the King;
We bow down, and we crown you the King;
King of all kings you will be.

Hymn: **"Lord God Almighty" st 1-2 (SANC #9)**

Refrain 1—All:

Lord God Almighty, Savior, Redeemer, only true God to be worshiped and praised:
How can we tell you how much we love you? Take now our lives, Lord, and teach us to love.

Vocalist:

- 1) "Do not fear, for I have redeemed you. You are mine, by name I have called you.
When you walk through the waters, I will be there with you.
You are my witnesses, created for my glory,
Tell the nations I am the Savior. Tell them I am the Lord." (*All on refrain 1*)
- 2) Shout for joy, O heavens, and rejoice, O earth! Into joyful shouting let the mountains break forth!
For the Lord will comfort His people, show compassion to those afflicted.
He will not leave to shame those who trust in His Word.

Refrain 2—All:

Father, we praise you; Jesus, we love you. Spirit, we thank you for the gifts of new life.
How can we tell you how much we love you? Take now our lives, Lord, and teach us to love.

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Prayer for Right Hearing

Scripture: **Genesis 4:1-16 and Luke 15:11-32**

Sermon: **"When Children Walk Away from the Faith"**

Prayer of Application

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

*Song of Response: **"Standing on the Promises" st 1,2,4,5 (CH #410)**

- 1) Standing on the promises of Christ, my King
Through eternal ages let His praises ring
"Glory in the highest!" I will shout and sing,
Standing on the promises of God

Refrain: Standing, standing, standing on the promises of God, my Savior;
Standing, standing, I'm standing on the promises of God.

- 2) Standing on the promises that cannot fail,
When the howling storms of doubt and fear assail,
By the living Word of God I shall prevail,
Standing on the promises of God. (*Refrain*)
- 4) Standing on the promises of Christ, the Lord,
Bound to Him eternally by loves' strong cord,
Overcoming daily with the Spirit's sword,
Standing on the promises of God. (*Refrain*)
- 5) Standing on the promises, I cannot fall,
Listening every moment to the Spirit's call,
Resting in my Savior as my All in All,

Standing on the promises of God. (*Refrain*)

Pastoral Prayer

Offering: Back to God Ministries

Offertory

*Profession of Faith: The Apostles' Creed

WE DEPART WITH GOD'S BLESSING

*Closing Hymn: ***PH #440 "Children of the Heavenly Father" st 1-2***

*Benediction

*Closing Hymn: ***PH #440 "Children of the Heavenly Father" st 3-4***

*Postlude

Minister of the Word: Pastor Joel De Boer

Organists: Jennifer Frens and Dawn Van Den Hul

Vocalist: Jennifer Frens