

Bethel Christian Reformed Church
January 16, 2022

Welcome to worship at Bethel! We are thankful that you have joined us for a time of refreshment, renewal, and encouragement. We invite you to make Bethel your church home if you are seeking a place to worship regularly. After the morning service you are invited to join us for coffee, juice, and fellowship.

Morning Worship Service – 9:30 a.m.

Led by: Pastor Brian Kornelis

- Prelude**
Welcome and announcements
Call to worship
* **God's greeting**
* **We greet each other**
* **Opening song:** *Only a Holy God*
Confession and assurance of pardon – from Exodus 20
Song of Response: *Afflicted Saint to Christ Draw Near*
(Children's sermon for grades 2-4 in the society room)
Prayer of God's people
Offering: 1st is for CRC Cuba
2nd is a Communion Thank Offering for Edgerton Food Shelf
Song of preparation: *How Deep the Father's Love for Us*
(Children's church (ages 3-5) and children's worship (grades K-1) dismissed)
Scripture: Genesis 19:23-29
Message: THE JUDGE AND THE ADVOCATE
* **Song of response:** *O Lord, My Rock and My Redeemer*
Celebration of the Lord's Supper
During the passing of the elements: *Beneath the Cross*
Wonderful, Merciful Savior
* **God's blessing to his people**
* **Parting song:** *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow* – PsH 638

Evening Worship Service – 6:30 p.m.

Led by: Pastor Brian Kornelis

- Prelude**
Welcome
Call to worship
* **God's greeting to his people**
* **Opening songs:** *Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing* – PsH 501 (1-5)
You Are Worthy – PsH 232 (2x)
Apostles' Creed
Song of response: *Come, Thou Almighty King*– PsH 246 (1-4)
Prayer
* **Song of preparation:** *Holy Spirit, Mighty God* – PsH 246 (1-4)
Scripture: Jude 5-7
Message: A FURTHER LESSON FROM SODOM
* **Song of response:** *May the Mind of Christ My Savior* – PsH 291 (1,2,4,5)
* **God's blessing to his people**
* **Closing song:** *Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing* – PsH 501 (7)
(Your evening offering for CRC Cuba can be put in the collection bags at the sanctuary doors as you exit.)

Offering Schedule:

January 23: Mary Buys (Mission to the World – SE Asia)

January 30: Edgerton Cadets

Church Family:

- As a congregation we celebrate God's faithfulness to **Ted Hanenburg** in the anticipation of his 100th birthday on January 19. Cards can be sent to him at 505 Trosky Rd W Apt 101, Edgerton, MN 56128.
- **Gloria Brouwer** had knee replacement surgery this week. Pray for complete healing.

This Week's Activities:

MONDAY:

9:15 am **Gleaners** – lesson 7 Society Room
7:00 pm **Elders Meeting**..... Council Room
7:00 pm **Deacons Meeting** Deacons Room

WEDNESDAY:

9:30 am **Coffee Break/Story Hour**..... 1st CRC
6:30-8:15pm **GEMS**..... 1st CRC
6:30-8:30pm **Cadets**..... Bethel

NEXT SUNDAY:

9:30 am **Morning Worship Service** Bethel
9:45 am **Sunday School Classes for grades 1-8** classrooms
11:00 am **Choir Practice**..... Sanctuary
6:30 pm **Evening Worship Service**..... Bethel



STEPHEN MINISTRY:

As you have heard from the beginning, his command is that you walk in love. -2 John 1:6b

Announcements:

CHURCH

Directory Updates for 2022: Please submit any address, telephone, or email address changes to the church office (bethelcrcedgerton@yahoo.com) by January 16th.

If your family uses the **Keys for Kids or Unlocked** daily devotional booklets and you've been missing them since January 1, please notice that the new booklets have finally arrived!

Dear Bethel CRC:

¡Feliz Año Nuevo! Lately it has struck me how amazing God's providence is. Although God is sovereign, he uses human agents to carry out his will for our wellbeing, our salvation, and for the good of his world. He is the ultimate orchestra director! Even though we are no longer in Mexico with Resonate, we thank you one last time for your final very generous gift in October for the sake of the gospel in Mexico. Thank you! --Rev. Ben and Amy Meyer and family, formerly with Resonate Global Mission, Mexico (benjaminmeyer1975@gmail.org)

SCHOOL

Circle #11 will be selling **Papa Murphy's Pizzas** one more night! Come on down to SWC High School Campus Kitchen! Tuesday January 18, we will be selling them at the SWC girls basketball games, From 4pm-5pm then after each game that night too or till they are gone. We will have Chicken garlic (\$16) , 3 meat (\$16), Cowboy (\$16), Hawaiian (\$16), Cheese (\$13), and Pepperoni (\$16). They are all large pizzas, double wrapped so they can go right in your freezer, or right to your oven! Thanks for supporting SWC!

COMMUNITY & OTHER ITEMS

Coffee Break Bible Study: Join us for a 7 week Bible Study on 1 John. The study will start, Lord willing, on Wednesday, January 26 at First CRC in Edgerton. It starts at 9:30 and goes until 10:45. There is Story Hour for children

3-5, and nursery for infants - 2 year olds. If you are interested and would like a book, you can pick one up in First CRC kitchen or contact Coffee Break leaders - Thea Nykamp(507-227-9513) Ashley Stoel (507-227-6446) or Beth Fennema (507-215-7140)

There will be a **Red Cross blood drive** at the First Presbyterian Church in Edgerton on Wednesday, January 26, 2022 from 12:00-6:00pm. Please call Betty at 507-227-8416 or fbhuisken@gmail.com to make or confirm an appointment. There is a constant need for blood. Every 2 seconds someone/somewhere in the US needs blood. Anyone 17 years or older and in good health is able to donate.

Cornerstone Prison Church, Sioux Falls, Faith Fellowship Weekend, Friday, February 18 – 6:00-8:00pm-Kick Off Worship Service, February 19 and February 20 – 7:15am-4:00pm each day. The theme for the weekend is **RENEWAL**. Scripture texts come from Zechariah 4:6-10 and John 15:7, 10-12 &15. Join us for worship, large group talks and small group discussions. The deadline for signing up is Thursday, January 27. We would be happy to have you join us for part of the weekend or all of it. If you would like more information or to sign up, please contact us at office@cornerstonepcsd.org or call 507-215-3670.

Justice For All is planning a UTAH BUS TOUR, focusing on our ministry partners Great Commission Utah and Grace Reigns. The dates are April 5-11, 2022. Join us, learn, and see how God is using these amazing ministries to share His love and grace to those within the FDLs communities in Utah. We will be spending time in Salt Lake City and Hildale, UT/Colorado City, AZ. We will also enjoy some of the amazing beauty of God's creation in UT. If you are interested or want more information, please contact Pat Vander Pol at JFA (patvp@jfa-nwiowa.org – 712-476-2804).

KIDS CORNER: - Word Power: MLK Day - Check out the new kids' devotion at www.kidscorner.net. Did you know words have power? Your words. Your neighbor's words. Everybody's! Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. knew that. He used his word power to help people see each other as equals, no matter their skin color. Listen now at kidscorner.net and check out all the new content.

GROUNDWORK: You Belong. Be Rooted in Christ's Love - Keeping up faith can be hard when life's circumstances are difficult. Join Groundwork as we study Ephesians 3 to hear the Apostle Paul's assurance that we belong in God's family, that his promises are, indeed, for us, and be blessed by his prayer for the Holy Spirit to root us in Christ's love. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

CRCNA Senior Leadership Search - The Christian Reformed Church in North America (CRCNA) is searching for senior leaders to fill two new positions: a General Secretary and a Chief Administrative Officer. It is hoped that these positions will be filled during Synod 2022, pending approval of the Structure and Leadership Team's report. A search for a third position, Executive Director - Canada, also will begin soon. Please pray for those involved in these searches. Pray for wisdom and the Holy Spirit's leading. Please also pray for the persons that God is preparing to fill these roles, that they may be equipped for leadership of the church during this time and into the future. For more information, or to apply, visit crcna.org/ExecutiveSearch

At-home Faith Practice Reflection Tip - Reflection and Discussion Starter—the Practice of Engaging Scripture: Read Isaiah 55:10-11 and ponder or discuss the following questions. The verses right before this passage are about forgiveness of sins, and the verses right after are about the joy of having the curse of sin lifted. How does this passage give you hope, both for your own life and for the world? In what ways have you felt God's Word helping you and those around you “bud and flourish”? (For more on faith practices from Faith Formation Ministries, visit bit.ly/FaithPracticesProject)

January Series 2022 - Coming this January for the 35th year, Calvin University presents the January Series 2022 – the award winning free liberal arts education delivered in 15 weekly, lunchtime lectures. This year the series begins on January 10 and continues weekdays through January 28 from 12:30 – 1:30 p.m. Viewing options include attending the live presentations on Calvin’s campus, attending simulcast presentations at over 50 remote sites across the continent, or watching digitally on demand each day until midnight on your own device. For all the details visit www.calvin.edu/january

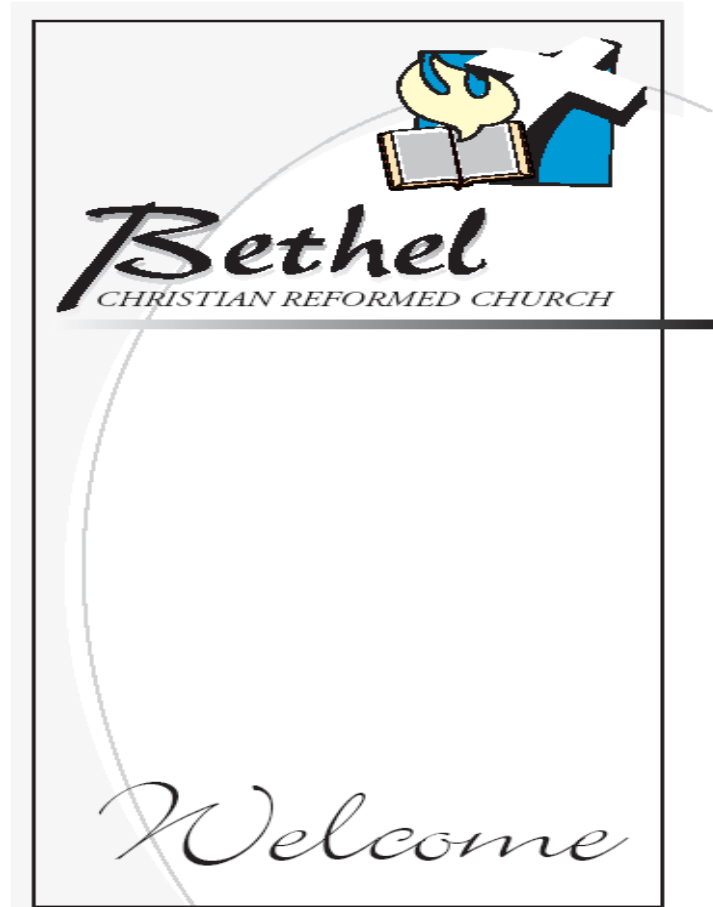
Launch of Thriving Essentials - Thriving Essentials is a new course for elders, deacons, church staff, and any volunteer ministry leader. These four, one-hour sessions are offered on Zoom and cover key ideas about mission, discipleship, discernment, and leadership. New groups start every month. Learn more and register now at cena.org/Thrive

Helpful Information

NURSERY: infants and toddlers on lower level
CHILDREN’S CHURCH & WORSHIP (AM): ages 3-1st grade are dismissed to their classes downstairs after the offertory
CHILDREN’S MESSAGE (AM): grades 2-4 in the society room during the pastoral prayer
HEARING AID DEVICES: available at the media desk
REFRESHMENTS: after the morning service
PRAYER ROOM: you are invited to join the prayer team before the Sunday services
WEBSITE: www.betheledgerton.org
OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday 1-5 pm & Thursday 9:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.
 Secretary ph: 442-3063 bethelcrcedgerton@yahoo.com
 Announcements need to be in by Thursday, 10:00 a.m.
JANITOR: Marv 507-236-5368; Kendra 507-227-0488; kuipers@vastbb.net
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WEATHER RELATED SERVICE INFORMATION: KDWC (99.3FM), K101 (101.1FM), KLOH (1050AM), KNWC (96.5FM), KELOLAND TV

Our Helpers

PREACHING Today: AM: Pastor Brian Kornelis PM: Pastor Brian Kornelis
 Next Week: AM: Pastor Brian Kornelis PM: Pastor Marlin Van Schepen
ACCOMPANIST Today: AM: Kendra Van Hill PM: Kendra Van Hill
 Next Week: AM: Koni DeKam PM: Linda Vanderaa
CHILDREN’S MESSAGE Today: Cal Spronk Next Week: Amber Vos
CHILDREN’S CHURCH Today: Bonnie De Boer Next Week: Carissa Odland
CHILDREN’S WORSHIP Today: Rose Kroll & Hannah Caspersen
NURSERY Today AM: Infant: Erin Krosschell, Lauren Van Stelten
 Toddler: Nicole Fey, Cami Rozeboom, Myah Vander Maten, Gavin Rieck, Tytus Vander Pol
 PM – Becca Van Schepen, Avery Fey
 Next Week AM Infant: Michelle Van Essen, Hannah Caspersen
 Toddler: Tricia Tinklenberg, Kristi De Boer, Jacob Uilk, Trevin Prins, Brenna Jasper
 PM – Jon Walhof Family
USHERS Today: Arwin Spronk, Justin Prins, Lloyd Prins
 Next Week: Rob Van Hill, Randy Pfeifle, Ben Hanenburg
HOST/HOSTESS Today: Lois Van Dyke & Jolene Walhof
 Next Week: Lois Van Dyke & Jolene Walhof
SOUND SYSTEM Today: Derek/Denny Next Week: Justin/Denny
VIDEO CAMERA Today: Arlin Next Week: Jon
MULTI-MEDIA Today: JT Next Week: Dan
REFRESHMENTS Today: Gloria Brouwer, Marilyn Buys, Larissa Caspersen, Chris & Michelle Moosey
 Next Week: Bonnie De Boer, Kristi De Boer, Liz De Jongh, Jon & Janet Walhof



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 Rev. Bill & Aletha Green - Costa Rica
 Rev. Ben & Amy Meyer - Mexico
 Cornerstone Prison Church - South Dakota
 Rev. Carl & Jan Van Voorst – Watertown, SD
 Children of the Promise – Haiti
 Vasya & Maranda Heytsi - Ukraine

**Worship Guide
 and Weekly News**
Morning Worship – 9:30 a.m.
Evening Worship - 6:30 p.m.