

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.

## March 24: CRC Cuba

**Reminder: The Youth Group is selling sub sandwiches** to raise money for SERVE. Choices are Turkey/Swiss and Ham/American on white or wheat buns.

**SAVE THE DATE -** It is Tea Party time! All women (0-99+) are invited for a morning of tea, fellowship, and encouragement on Saturday, April 6 at 10:00 a.m. at First Christian Reformed Church in Edgerton. Sister's Tea will be celebrating our sisterhood in Christ as we "encourage and build one another up" (1 Thessalonians 5:11). Tea and other refreshments, a light lunch, and desserts are provided. Floppy hats optional! There will also be a free will donation box and silent auction with proceeds benefiting Royal Family Kids Camp in Southwest Minnesota (check them on out Facebook). So, gather your sisters in Christ and join us for a fun morning! For more information, visit "Sister's Tea" Facebook page. If you have any question or would like to reserve a seat(s) or a table (seats 8), please contact Ashley Stoel (507-227-6446) or Courtney Vis (507-920-2831). **RSVPs are due by Monday, April 1.**

**Beautiful Life Conference 2024** is hosting a **Teen Night** for girls grades 7-12, and a **Women's Conference** this spring! Both events will feature speaker, writer, and radio-girl, Debbie Griffith! Debbie is an animated entertainer and a passionate encourager, activated by God's grace to help you live freely in His goodness.

The **Women's Conference** will be **Saturday, April 13** from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. with doors opening at 8 a.m. In addition to a great speaker, you will also experience powerful worship, meaningful connections, and even a little shopping! Breakfast and lunch are included in the registration fee. Gluten-free options will be available. Registration is \$50 per person.

**Girls Teen Night** featuring Debbie Griffith on teen girl friendships, will be **Friday, April 12** from 7-9 p.m. We would like every teen to hear about the importance of being a good friend and having good friends, so we are offering this as a FREE event to girls grades 7-12.

Please register for either event at <https://arcluv.churchcenter.com/registrations/events/2150113> or call the church office at (507) 283-8600. Pre-registration is REQUIRED by April 1. NO tickets available at the door. Both events will be held at American Reformed Church, 304 N Fairview Drive, Luverne, MN.

**Dunamis Project #1 Gateways to Empowered Ministry:** Whether you have reached a place in your Christian faith or ministry where it feels like you are trying to do too much on your own, or you are curious or skeptical about the nature and work of the Holy Spirit for today. Dunamis Project #1-Gateways to Empowered Ministry is a fantastic way to begin your journey in cooperating with the work of God. It is the first of six events in the Dunamis Project. It is foundational to the teachings that follow. The focus is on worldview, the nature of the spiritual reality and the person and work of the Holy Spirit from a Reformed and Biblical perspective. Please join us at Swan Lake Christian Camp, Viborg SD, April 25th-28th. Register at [www.primi.org/events](http://www.primi.org/events) or contact Vicki Altena for more information at 320-226-2459.

**Kids Corner: Living a Holy Life** - Check out this week’s kids’ devotion at [www.kidscorner.net](http://www.kidscorner.net). Have you ever wanted to do something that you knew wasn’t right? We all wrestle with sin, but we need to take personal responsibility. We can’t blame Satan for our poor behavior (Ephesians 6:11-17). Check out all the great content at [kidscorner.net](http://kidscorner.net), like KC’s Lent and Easter Collection.

**Groundwork: The Shame Of The Cross** - As we seek to comprehend the fullness of Jesus’ sacrifice, we need to revisit the shame of the cross. Join Groundwork as we study Isaiah 53:1-3, Philippians 2:5-8, Genesis 2:25, Genesis 3:7-10, Hebrews 12:1-3, and 1 Peter 2:4-6 to examine the relationship between sin and shame and unpack why Jesus’ experience of shame was necessary for our salvation. Listen now at [GroundworkOnline.com](http://GroundworkOnline.com) and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

**Thrive Faith Formation Tip** - Most of us are not naturally good listeners, and that can affect our relationship with God. Practice “listening prayer” this week. Find a quiet spot, calm your mind, and invite God to speak to your heart. Learn more at [crcna.org/FaithPracticesProject](http://crcna.org/FaithPracticesProject)

*Helpful Information*

**NURSERY:** available for infants and toddlers on lower level  
**CHILDREN’S CHURCH & WORSHIP (AM):** ages 3-1<sup>st</sup> 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](http://www.betheledgerton.org)  
**OFFICE HOURS:** Tuesday 1-5 pm & Thursday 9:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
Secretary ph: 442-3063 [bethelcrccdgerton@yahoo.com](mailto:bethelcrccdgerton@yahoo.com)  
Announcements need to be in by Thursday, 10:00 a.m.  
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**WEATHER RELATED SERVICE INFORMATION:** KDWC (99.3FM), K101 (101.1FM), KLOH (1050AM), KNWC (96.5FM), KELOLAND TV

*Our Helpers*

<b>PREACHING</b> Today: AM: Pastor Rich Loerop Next Week: AM: Pastor Rich Loerop	PM: Pastor Rich Loerop PM: Pastor Marlin Van Schepen
<b>ACCOMPANIST</b> Today: AM: Lisa Vander Maten Next Week: AM: Rachel Prins	PM: Rachel Prins PM: Linda Vanderaa
<b>CHILDREN’S MESSAGE</b> Today: Rose Kroll	Next Week: Todd Jasper
<b>CHILDREN’S CHURCH</b> Today: Larissa Caspersen	Next Week: Kristi De Boer
<b>CHILDREN’S WORSHIP</b> Today: Carissa Odland & Avery/Parker Fey	
<b>NURSERY</b> Today AM: Infant: Coleen Punt, Abby Moosey, Shelby Van Essen Toddler: Abigail Mulder, Caden Sas, Asher Mekssavanh, Jack De Jongh, Brystol Kooiker PM: Tom & Arla Bouma Next Week AM Infant: Julie Vander Pol, Megan Rylaarsdam, Maya Krosschell Toddler: Kendra Kuipers, Gavin Rieck, Mason Tinklenberg, Hudson Kooiker, Sohpie Van Essen PM: Larissa, Hannah & Maggie Caspersen	
<b>USHERS</b> Today: Kyle Vos, Tom Remme, Ryan Bos Next Week: Mike Fenske, Isaac Ossefoort, Jeremy Van Essen	
<b>HOST/HOSTESS</b> Today: Dean & Becky Van Hulzen Next Week: Karen Van Schepen & Donna Hanenburg	
<b>SOUND SYSTEM</b> Today: Jonathan	Next Week: Seth/Huck
<b>VIDEO CAMERA</b> Today: Cal	Next Week: Brent
<b>MULTI-MEDIA</b> Today: Krista	Next Week: Kyle
<b>REFRESHMENTS</b> Today: Nicole Fey, Abby Galvin, Cheri Groen, Trevor & Abbie Fey Next Week: Donna Hanenburg, Emily Hanenburg, Joyce Hanenburg, Kyle & Lori Fey	



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Pastor Marlin Van Schepen

**Missionaries**  
Mary Buys – Southeast Asia  
Cuba CRC – Resonate Global Mission  
Cornerstone Prison Church - South Dakota  
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.