

Welcome to Bethel Church



Therefore, since we are receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, let us be thankful, and so worship God acceptably with reverence and awe, for our "God is a consuming fire."
Hebrews 12:28,29

The Lord's Day
September 20, 2015

Prelude – Leora Hamm

Welcome – Gerald Letkeman

Adoration & Praise – Nolan Giesbrecht

Parent/Child Dedication

Aaron & Tina Wiebe with **Isabel Grace**
Garnet & Tiffany Peters with **Levi James**
Randy & Tanya Fehr with **Alyssa Faith**
Lyndon & Vanessa Giesbrecht with **Seeley Steele**
Wes & Ashley Reimer with **Nash Tucker**

Prayer Ministry – Pastor Mark

Offertory – Leora Hamm

Children's Church Prayer & Dismissal
(for ages 1 year-Gr. 1)

Scripture & Prayer – John Klassen - John 4:19-26

Messenger – Pastor Randy
Learning About Worship from Jesus

Our Response in Song
Prayer & Benediction

THIS WEEK AT BETHEL

MON	7:00 pm	SR Youth – Bible Study @ Bethel
TUES	6:30 am	Men's Prayer Breakfast
	9:30 am	MOM's Morning Kick-off
	8:00 pm	Double Bridal Shower
WED	2:00 pm	Randy & Cindy's Care Group @ meet at Crocus Village – 2nd floor (This is a temporary location)
	7:00 pm	JR Youth – Small Groups
	7:15 pm	First night of AWANA
THU	7:30 pm	Brian & Michelle's Care Group meet @ their home
	7:30 pm	John & Roseanne's Care Group meet @ their home
SUN	9:15 am	Sunday School
	10:30 am	Worship Service – Pastor Randy The Lord's Supper



Membership is the practice of identity with a local church – acknowledging our support for the beliefs, values and goals of the congregation. If you would like more information about membership at Bethel please speak to Pastor Randy or Pastor Mark.



We are pleased to invite you to join an amazing resource for families and individuals entitled **Right Now Media**. This is a **FREE** access to thousands of videos ranging from Bible studies to wonderful children's videos. All you need to do is sign up your name and email address on the sheet in the foyer and we will send you a link for your access to this amazing site. Talk to pastor Mark if you have any questions.

PRAISE & PRAYER

"And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the saints."
Ephesians 6:18

Our Government Leaders

– serving in municipal, provincial and federal government
(1 Tim. 2:1-2)

BETHEL'S UPCOMING EVENTS

Ladies Bible Studies will be starting shortly. The morning studies, held on the 1st and 3rd Thursday 9:30-11:30, will be studying the book of Esther. If you are planning on attending, could you please contact Cindy (204.325.4466/smartr@sdnet.ca) so enough study books can be ordered?



TODAY



Amazing Race for young adults (ages 18-30 or so). Meet at 2:00 at the main parking lot at the baseball diamonds in Winkler. Plan to join us . . . **it's gonna be epic!!!**

TODAY



Awana pre-registration after the church service (in the foyer).

Sept 22

Inviting all moms to join us as we kick off our **MOM's mornings** at 9:30 am at the church. We will be taking a look at *The Twelve Women of the Bible* by Lysa TerKeurst. We meet every other Tuesday morning for a time of encouragement and fellowship with child care provided.



Sept 22



All ladies are invited to a **double bridal shower** for **Chantelle Penner** (Josh Okello) and **Rebecca Wall** (Scott Harder) @ 8:00 pm at the church. (Due to relocating to Toronto, Chantelle and Josh would appreciate monetary gifts.)

Sept 27

The Lord's Supper

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Getting to know you...



We are grateful for the many households we have opportunity to serve within our church family. If you have begun to attend at Bethel more recently, the pastors of the church would like an opportunity to meet you (and your household) personally and share information with you about the goals and principles that shape ministry at Bethel. **A lunch is being planned for Sept 27 after the morning service.** A sign-up sheet will be available in the foyer today. Please indicate if you have any food allergies. The information time will be about one hour in addition to the lunch. For more information or to register for this lunch please call Pastor Randy or Pastor Mark at 204-325-4536.



Adult Sunday School

We invite all adults to come and join us for SS as we meet every Sunday at 9:15 in the sanctuary. Pastor Mark will lead a discussion about living out our faith and we will watch a short 10 minute video series entitled "Ridiculous: living like Christ in a love starved world."

Two tickets are available for the **Women of Faith** conference Oct 16 & 17 in St. Paul, MN. Cost - \$75/per ticket. Call Jean Penner @ 325-4479.

Bethel's Women's Ministry would like to support the **Winkler and District Food Cupboard** by supplying some of their everyday needs. If you have dry goods that you would like to donate please place them in the marked box that is in the foyer.



Mexico Mission Trip

When: December 26 - January 4
Where: San Carlos Mexico
Cost: \$1300/person
Who: Everyone young and older. Single or family.

Sign-up is open to all. Opportunities to serve will be include children's ministry, adult ministry, giving out of food hampers and clothing, projects which could include clean-up, painting, some carpentry, and encouragement to people like Pastor Ezekiel, Pastor Bennie, Pastor Raphael (Whose church we helped build), and Devon & Marisol Kehler. Accommodations will vary from Dorm rooms, to family rooms depending on needs. Please consider this opportunity to go on the mission trip prayerfully. For more information contact Gerald & Tina Thiessen, Jody Thiessen, James Klassen, Garry & Connie Spent.



COMMUNITY UPCOMING EVENTS/NOTES

Sept 25-26

Winkler Bible Camps Mother/Daughter Retreat! To register or for more info visit our website @ www.winklerbiblecamp.com.

Oct 2&3

Woman of Faith live simulcast - Get your tickets at the Winkler Mennonite Church office (204.325.5411) for \$40 for the weekend, which includes a host of wonderful speakers, uplifting music, and great food! Tickets are on sale till Sept 28th! Simulcast starts on October 2nd at 7:00 pm and October 3rd at 9:00 am.

Oct 28

Dr. Gary Chapman, author of **The Five Love Languages**, will be at the Winkler EMM Church in person @ 7 pm to encourage marriage relationships. The tickets are \$20.00 each and are available by calling the Winkler EMM Church office 204.325.7667. Please purchase in advance. As a ministry outreach you may want to purchase tickets and gift couples in the community with this opportunity.



Responsive Reading - # 680 Christ and the Children

Questions of Affirmation to the Parents
After each question please affirm, "We do."

1. Do you recognize that your children are a gift from God, and give sincere thanks for God's blessing?
2. With the Lord as your Guide, do you intend to bring them up so that they may develop a meaningful love for God and a respect for His design for their life.
3. Do you intend to teach them the importance of prayer and the Scriptures, and the necessity of a personal commitment to God through Christ Jesus?

Individual Prayer on behalf of the couple by the head of the home

Questions of Affirmation to the Congregation
After each question please affirm, "We will."

1. Will you make it your goal to pray for these parents in their commitment to the Lord and to the welfare of their children?
2. Will you look for opportunities to encourage them and support them in practical Christian ways as they carry out this trust which the Lord has given to them?

Pastoral Prayer for the children, parents, and congregation.

Learning About Worship from Jesus

1. The abuse of worship in the temple. John 2:12-22
2. Questions about worship In Samaria. John 4:1-42
3. In spirit/Spirit and in truth. John 4:21-24

1 Corinthians 14:15 – our spirit and mind in step with
God's Holy Spirit as we

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Explore Biblical k _____ and applications

P _____ what we know – personally and as a
church family

Exalt Christ
Equip For Service
Edify One Another
Evangelize the Lost
Extend Christ's Love

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