

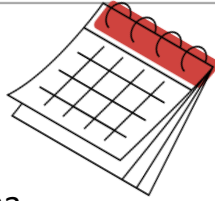
Save the Date

September 7: Sunday School Kickoff

September 8&9: Jr. & Sr. Youth

September 23&34: First nights of Awana

September 26: Guess who's coming for a fire



Sermon Notes

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AND MY GOD WILL SUPPLY EVERY NEED OF
YOURS ACCORDING TO HIS RICHES
IN GLORY IN CHRIST JESUS.

(PHILIPPIANS 4:19)

Welcome

Bethel Bergthaler Mennonite Church

Our Mission

The purpose of Bethel Church is to make and develop disciples for Jesus Christ, locally and around the world.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Welcome & Announcements: *Brian Falk*

Worship in song

Prayer Ministry: *Wayne Derksen*

Mission Report: *Compassion Canada-Lamuel Enoch*

Children's Feature: *Linda Friesen*

Scripture reading: **Acts 27:21-26**

Sermon: **Acts 27: Promises in Stormy Waters** *Pastor Mike*

Closing Song

Benediction

August 24, 2025

Church Announcements

The minutes of the June 19th congregational meeting is available. Please contact the office for a copy.

Please pray that God would provide quality applicants for the Children's Ministry Pastor position.

Coming up at Bethel



Awana Season is almost here and planning is in full swing! We are still looking for volunteers for both Tuesday & Wednesday nights.

Tuesday needs: Head Listener/Store Person, Song Leader, 2 class leaders & 3 Helpers (Various ages)

Wednesday needs: Games Leader, Kindergarten Teacher, Grade 3 boys, Grade 6 girls & 2 listeners

If you'd like to make a difference in our kids lives while having fun, we'd love to have you on our team! Contact Lena Elias (for Tuesdays) @ 204-331-3313 or Linda Friesen (for Wednesdays) @ 204-362-6028.

Registration is still open, scan the QR code to sign up!



Note: Many Wednesday classes are already full and Cubbies have very limited space remaining.

Registration is open for Bible Study Fellowship. All women are welcome to join! This year's study, Exile and Return, invites you on a powerful journey through the Old Testament, where God's people were called to build His kingdom in a foreign land. Their story is our story—we, too, are strangers in a broken world, called to build for His glory. As we explore how God equips and positions His people, we're challenged to ask: Am I building my life for Christ? Exile and Return reminds us that our time to build is now. Books included in this year's study: Ezekiel, Daniel, Ezra, Esther, Haggai, Zechariah, Nehemiah, and Malachi. Groups meet at Bethel Monday 9:30am or 7:30pm starting Sept 8th. There will also be a Spanish group meeting online Monday evenings. Contact Judy Gislason at judygbsf@gmail.com

Thank you to the 48 volunteers that helped run the VBS program this past week and for everyone that lifted us up in prayer! They did a fantastic job of leading and coming alongside the 104 children that attended. We are blessed to have shared the love of Jesus to so many in our church and community.



To Scott & Jasmine Sawatzky on the safe arrival of their daughter Hazel
Elsie Anne, born on Sunday August 17th
7lbs 9oz

Serving Opportunities

Sunday school prep is under way and we are looking for the following positions to be filled. Song leader for the grade 2-6 group, and 1 helper for grade 2 & part time grade 6 teacher. Please reach out to either Christine Peters or Myron Dyck if you have any questions or would like to fill one of those positions.

Winkler MCC Thrift store is looking for more ladies to volunteers for 4 hour shifts. Our church is committed to providing workers on the 3rd Wednesday of every month. Help me fill the 2025-26 schedule starting in October. Call or Text Wendy Peters 204-770-3983.

Prayer

Members of our community who are impacted by illness and grief:
Sheila Leatherdale Amanda Thiessen (Smart)

Missionary of the Month Pastor Elijah Muinde

Thank you so much for the honor and privilege of making me your missionary of the month. May the good Lord bless you abundantly. The greatest need you can pray for us is to provide the finances to pay for my wife's medical bills for she is a diabetic. Pray also for our traveling expenses and for the salaries for our pastors.