

# Welcome to Bethel Church



Remain in me, as I also remain in you. No branch can bear fruit by itself; it must remain in the vine. Neither can you bear fruit unless you remain in me.  
John 15:4

*The Lord's Day*  
*August 3, 2014 @ 10:00 am*

Prelude – **Abbey Peters**

Welcome – **John Peters**

Adoration & Praise – **Henry Peters**

Prayer Ministry and Offering – **Matt Peters**

Offertory – **Colleen Rempel**

Children's Feature – **Myra Peters**

Scripture & Prayer – 1 Peter 3:8-14

Messenger – **Richard Giesbrecht**  
Loving what Lasts

Our Response in Song

Prayer & Benediction

## THIS WEEK AT BETHEL

<b>TUES</b>	6:30 am	Men's Prayer Breakfast
	10:00 am	Mom's Morning Out @ the Park
	7:00 pm	Ministerial Mtg
<b>THUR</b>	7:30 pm	College & Career Bible Study - Suit up! What does it mean to put on the full armor of God? Check the C&C Facebook page for location and directions.
<b>SUN</b>	10:00 am	Worship Service @ the Park (No service at Bethel)

## NEXT WEEK AT BETHEL

<b>Aug 11-15</b>	7-8:45 pm	Bethel's VBS Program!
<b>Aug 12</b>	6:30 am	Men's Prayer Breakfast
	7:30 pm	Church Council Mtg
<b>Aug 17</b>	10:00 am	Worship Service – Michael Neufeld

## 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)

**Pastor Randy** will be on vacation during the month of August. If you need assistance please feel free to call Pastor Mark or Pastor Elden, or your Care Group leader.

Please pray for **Pastor Mark** as he is serving in a church in Altona on Sunday, August 10.

## BETHEL'S UPCOMING EVENTS/NOTES

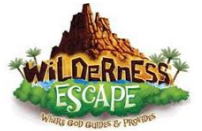


**Aug 10 Harvest Festival Community Worship** service at 10:00 am at the Parkland Main Stage. Please bring non-perishable donations for the Winkler Food Cupboard. There will be **no services** at Bethel this morning.

## VBS is right around the corner and we need your help!

### Please consider helping us by:

- Praying that many children would attend and accept Christ into their lives.
- Signing up to help volunteer as we are still looking for people to fill a variety of roles. If you are grade 7-any age of adult, we would love to have you join our team!
- Baking cookies. We are needing 7 dozen cookies for each evening of VBS. We are not picky as to what kind, but due to possible allergies, please do not make any cookies that contain nuts. One of the nights we want to serve cream cookies that the children can decorate so that is one specific request.
- Providing some items for decoration. We are looking for as many "Mexican style" blankets that we can get our hands on to use on the floor of the "tents" that we are building. We are also looking for large woven baskets for decoration. Simply label your blanket or basket with your name and drop it off at pastor Mark's office. I will make sure it gets back to you once VBS is over.



## UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS/ NOTES

**Aug 15-17** Calling all slow-pitch enthusiasts. It's time to register for CCI's annual "BIG HIT" weekend. Enjoy a weekend that sponsors thousands of kids to attend camp. Great prizes and a great cause. Call 331-4003 for more info or to register your team!



**Sept 26-27** **Mother-Daughter Retreat** @ the Winkler Bible Camp. To register or for more info visit [www.winklerbiblecamp.com](http://www.winklerbiblecamp.com) or call 204.325.9519.

# Harvest Festival

*community worship service*

AUGUST 10, 2014 AT 10AM - MAIN STAGE

*"Who We Are as a Family of God"*

John 17:20-23

Guest speakers from every generation will be sharing stories of learning to live life with God and His family.

WORSHIP LEADER – Dan Doerksen

WORSHIP BAND – Community Worship Band

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP – Jenny & James

*Coffee & Muffins served from 9:15-10 am*

We will be collecting food items for  
*The Winkler Food Cupboard*

After covering expenses, the morning's monetary offering will be divided between

*Pembina Valley Bible Camp*

*Winkler Bible Camp*

*The Canadian Food Grains Bank*

(Please write out cheques to Winkler Evangelical Mennonite Mission Church or EMMC. They will handle receipting.)

## Loving What Lasts

1. Everything we \_\_\_\_ will one day be destroyed. Only \_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_ will last. (2 Peter 3:10-13, Rev. 21:1-8)
2. We are to use our \_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_ to further God's heart which is \_\_\_\_\_. (1 John 2:15-17, 1 John 1:5, 2:10, 3:11)
3. Loving people is to be \_\_\_\_\_ interested and \_\_\_\_\_ in the needs of others, seeing them as your day to day \_\_\_\_\_. (Luke 10:25-37, Isaiah 58)
4. Loving/Serving/Caring for people is only \_\_\_\_\_ as to the degree your actions are \_\_\_\_\_ in a private \_\_\_\_\_ life with God. (Luke 10:38-42, John 15:4-5)

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

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