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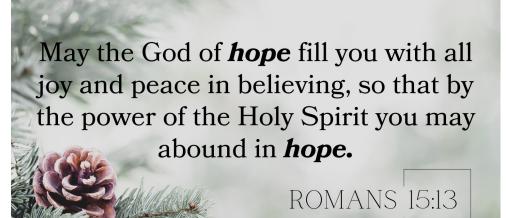
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Welcome

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 Hiebert

Advent Candle Lighting

Worship in song: Andrina Doerksen

Prayer Ministry: Wayne Derksen

Children's feature: Emily Carpenter

Scripture Reading: Psalm 33:18-22 Dustin Letkeman

Sermon: First Sunday of Advent: Hope Pastor Mark

Closing Song: Andrina Doerksen

Benediction

December 3, 2023



This week at Bethel

Monday **Bible Study Fellowship** 9:30am & 7:30pm Monday Sr. Youth Bible Study 7pm Tuesday 9:30am Ladies Bible Study Tuesday Jr. Youth Bible Study 7pm Wednesday 6:30am Men's Bible Study Wednesday 7:15pm Awana (Last one in 2023) **Friday** Men's Floor Hockey 7pm Saturday Women's Prayer Breakfast 9:30am Sunday Sunday School & Service 9:15 & 10:30am

Coming up at Bethel

<u>Awana Program</u> Next week Wednesday, December 6, will be the final Awana before Christmas. We start up again on January 3rd, 2024.

<u>Sunday School Christmas Program</u> Our Christmas Program is on Sunday, December 24 during the church service at 10:30am.

<u>Cradle roll baby pictures</u> We would like to post your baby's picture on our nursery bulletin board. Please submit a picture in our cradle roll mail box found in the top corner of the mailboxes.

<u>Children's Church Program</u> Please check your mailbox for the new schedule for the new year.

Our Daily Bread There are new Daily Bread Books on the table beside the mailboxes in the foyer. Feel free to pick one up!

Community Announcements



Winkler Community Male Choir Is preforming at the Winkler Bergthaler Mennonite Church on Saturday December 16 at 7pm! More information on the bulletin board in the foyer.

Please see the bulletin board in the foyer for all other community announcements

SAVETHE DATE

- December 8: Men's Floor Hockey
- **December 9:** Women's Prayer Breakfast
 - December 24: Christmas Program
- January 21: Youth Fundraiser Lunch
- February 3: Valentine's Day Banquet

Offering

Envelopes are located in the foyer by the middle doors on the table with the offering box. We also accept e-transfer, <u>donations@ourbethelchurch.com</u>.

Be sure to leave your name in the memo and designate what it is for.

Prayer

Members of our community who are impacted by illness and grief:

- Peter (Linda Elias)
- Mary Enns
- · Amanda Thiessen (Smart)
- Mayah Giesbrecht
- Kelly Robertson
- Karen Klassen

Missionary of the Month Elijah & Grace Muinde

I am thankful, I have five churches which I am overseeing ,three of them can pay their Pastors in a small way. The remaining two are just surviving to make ends meet. I do share what I get. They are separated from each other. The Pastors started the churches from scratch. Pray for them because they have children in school and are paying school fees. We believe that the good Lord will supply their needs not wants. He is a merciful God and knows their needs. That is the reason why He told His disciples not to carry purses. My family is doing well and are in good health. That is something to thank the Lord for. Thank you & bless you Bethel.

Grace and Elijah Muinde