# **Sermon Notes:**

# An Important Visit with Jesus. John 3:1-21.

- 1. A teacher comes to visit Jesus. Vs 1ff
- 2. What does it mean to be "born again"? 3:3,5-8
- 3. Jesus gives an example from the Old Testament. Vs 9-15; Numbers 21:4-9.
- 4. A Word for everyone. 3:16-21

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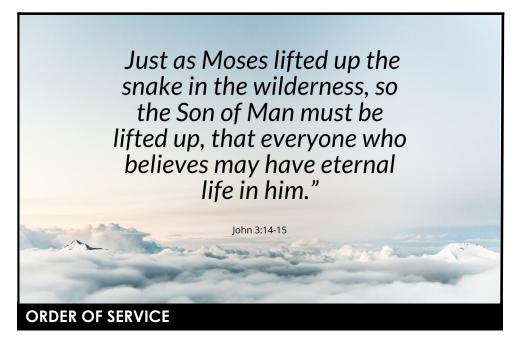
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# **WELCOME**

#### BETHEL CHURCH - February 27, 2022

#### **OUR MISSION**

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



### **Welcome & Announcements**

**Worship in Song** 

**Children's Story** 

**Prayer Ministry** 

Scripture Reading: John 2:23-3:8

Sermon: Pastor Randy - An Important Visit With Jesus (John 3:1-21)

**Closing Song** 

Benediction

This Week at Bethel		
<b>MON</b>	9:30am	BSF Women's Bible Study
	7:00pm	Sr. Youth
<b>TUES</b>	7:00pm	Jr. Youth
<b>WED</b>	7:00PM	Ministerial Meeting
	7:15pm	Awana
<u>SUN</u>	9:15 am	Sunday School
	10:30am	Worship Service
	12:00pm	Discipleship Class

#### YOUTH

**Sr. youth** Bible study this Monday 7-9:30 at the church. **Jr. youth** Bible study Tuesday 7-9 at the church. We look forward to seeing you all there! Bring a Bible and mask. Contact Pastor Eli with questions @ 431-774-4747

## "Guess who's coming for coffee"

Friday, March 18th @ 7:30 pm. Sign-up sheets are available at each entrance. For email signup contact

ericdavidgiesbrecht@gmail.com, please leave your name, # of people and if you're willing to host or be a guest. Sign-up deadline is March 6th.

## **SUNDAY SCHOOL**

We are looking for a Sunday School song leader for grades 2-6. Please contact Rick Wiebe at sundayschool@ourbethelchurch.com for more information.

**Congratulations** to the following couples who were blessed with additions to their families recently:

**Darin and Kristen Warkentine** on the birth of a baby boy, Nate Randall, 9lbs 2oz on Feb. 9th.

*Troy and Lavonne Klassen* for the safe arrival of their baby girl, Maelyn Marie, 7lbs 8oz on Feb. 12th

**Russ & Krysten Peters** who had a baby girl, Tessa Reece, 7lbs 12oz on Feb 13th.

**Darwyn & Jenilee Hoeppner** on the arrival of their daughter, Avery Kathryn, 8 lbs, 5 oz born on Feb. 18.

## **Deacon Nominations**

At Bethel we encourage prayerful participation in considering who would serve as Deacons. They are part of the Ministerial of the church – working with the pastors to provide spiritual care for the church family. Male members of our church body are eligible for nomination.

The current term of John Peters will be complete after our Annual Meeting. Jim Kort resigned in fall of 2021 when the family relocated to B.C. Your prayerful consideration of nominees to be considered is valued. Nominations will be received until February 27. Nomination forms can be found by the mailboxes. All Nomination forms must be signed and turned in to Evan Toews (Congregational Chair); Gerald Thiessen (Ministerial Chair) or left in the basket marked "Nominations" in the office.

Kelly Robertson is scheduled for surgery in Germany in March / April 2022. You are invited to contribute to assist Kelly through a donation to Bethel Church for the "support fund." Her estimated costs are \$60,000. Our timely assistance would be appreciated.

## **MISSIONARY OF THE MONTH**

# Amanda Wiebe

#### Praise:

- 1. Praise God for a new school building.
- 2. Praise God for our discipleship group.

#### Pray:

- **1.** Pray for a women's ministry to be started up in the community.
- **2.** Pray for the future of the school.

## PRAYER

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

- PETER (LINDA) ELIAS
- FRANK (MARY) ENNS
- RUTH TOEWS (ELMER)
  AND OTHERS YOU MAY KNOW.