

Sermon Notes

1. Some background to this letter. Acts 14: 20-28
2. Paul's calling to the ministry in vs 1,2
3. A testimony of what God has done. Vs 3-5.
4. An urgent concern Vs 6-9
5. Paul's purpose was not popularity, but servanthood. Vs 10.

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Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ, who gave himself for our sins to deliver us from the present evil age, according to the will of our God and Father, to whom be the glory forever and ever. Amen.

Galatians 1:3-5

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: *Andrina Doerksen*

Prayer Ministry: *Gerald Thiessen*

Children's Feature: *Randy Smart*

Scripture Reading: **Galatians 1:1-10** Pete Doerksen

Sermon: **A letter to young believers** Randy Smart

Closing Song: *Andrina Doerksen*

Benediction

January 7, 2024

This week at Bethel

Monday	9:30am & 7:30pm	Bible Study Fellowship
Monday	7pm	Sr. Youth Bible Study
Tuesday	7pm	Jr. Youth Bible Study
Wednesday	6:30am	Men's Bible Study
Wednesday	7:15pm	Awana
Saturday	9:30am	Women's Prayer Breakfast
Sunday	9:15am & 10:30am	Sunday School & Service

Coming up at Bethel

Pastoral Evaluation We invite all regular attendees to complete Pastoral Reviews. The Pastoral Review Committee will share a summary with the Pastor, Ministerial, and Council. Evaluations are available in print by the mailboxes or on our website under the resource tab.

We are planning to have a parent/child dedication as part of our worship service on February 4. If you would like to be a part of this dedication, please contact the church office or pastor Mark.

Interested in knowing more about Bethel Church or possibly becoming a member? Join us for a lunch and information meeting after the service on February 11. Contact pastor Mark so appropriate plans can be made for the lunch.

Considering baptism or wanting a refresher on the basics of our faith? Join us for discipleship classes that will begin in a few weeks during the SS hour. Contact pastor Mark if you are interested. Details to follow.

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



- **January 13:** Women's Prayer Breakfast
- **January 19:** Men's Floor Hockey
- **January 21:** Youth Fundraiser Lunch
- **February 3:** Valentine's Day Banquet

BBMC Budget Update

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as at December 31, 2023:			
		31-Dec	Budget
Reg Donations		746,814	620,000
Other Donations		48,552	22,750
Total Revenue		795,366	642,750
Expenditures		687,483	696,266
Net Income		107,883	-53,516

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 Rob & Jen Derksen

Jen will be traveling to India with her ministry partner from Ariyah Designs. They will be in 2 different areas of India (northwest and northeast) to connect with similar ministries there, and will also be doing job and skills training for teenage girls. She will be there January 14-24. Pray for safety and the right connections as well as the ministry that they will be a part of there.

Congratulations

To
Mike & Kristen
Neufeld

