

## SERMON NOTES:

### Peter's Closing Notes

1 Peter 5:12-14

1. Silas—A faithful companion. Vs 12
2. The faithful message summarized. Vs 12  
1 Peter 1:13-16; 3:13-17; 3:8,9; 4:7-11
3. A couple more greetings to consider. Vs 13
4. Two evidences of Christian fellowship. Vs 14

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# WELCOME

BETHEL CHURCH - JUNE 27, 2021

1 Peter 3:15

BUT IN YOUR HEARTS REVERE

CHRIST AS  
LORD.

*always be prepared*

to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. But do this with gentleness and respect.

## Welcome & Announcements

Worship in Song

Prayer Ministry

Children's Feature

Scripture Reading - 1 Peter 5:12-14

Sermon: Pastor Randy - *Peter's Closing Notes*

Worship in Song

Benediction

## WHATS COMING UP AT BETHEL



With the new guidelines in place **we are able to meet together as a youth group!** There will be a **Senior Youth event happening on July 5th** and a **Junior Youth event on July 6th.**

Save the date and keep your eyes and ears open for more information next week. We look forward to connecting with you soon! If you have any questions or concerns feel free to contact pastor Eli at the church.

**CHURCH COUNCIL NOTE:** Bethel has a policy to encourage our pastors to take a two-month sabbatical time after each four years of service. Pastor Randy has served at Bethel since August of 2002. **He will be off duty for July and August** for rest and renewal. Please pray that Randy and Cindy can benefit from this time of stepping back from the day-to-day requirements of pastoral care. For pastoral care please call Gerald Thiessen 204-362-6377, or Pastor Eli 431-774-4747. **Pastor Mark will be back in the office July 12.**



**Bethel ladies** are invited to participate in a **baby shower** for **Leighton** (Tiffany Fehr), **Isaiah** (Rachelle Klassen), **Levi** (Emily Quiring), **Olivia** (Shaylyn Wiebe) by showering them with gifts of love and encouragement from afar! Gifts may be dropped off at the church. (Deadline - July 2nd at noon.) Cards for monetary gifts will be available. We will also have a town drop off for gifts @ Jake & Eleanor Wall (2 Harvest Bay. July 5th from 10-4) **Add a note of advice or encouragement to inspire our new moms!**



We are excited to announce our plans to host "Hometown Nazareth: where Jesus was a kid" VBS program this summer, Sunday, Aug 22-Thursday, Aug 26 from 7:00-8:30 PM. We are looking for lots of adult and youth (grades 7 and up) volunteers. Please contact Pastor Mark or Pastor Eli to volunteer. **Signing up your children to attend the program will begin on July 12.** Details of how the program will run will be answered as we have more details about what will be allowed under the current Health Orders.

## COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thanks for the responses received about the a family of four who are arriving from Russia June 26 or 27. They need to isolate for two weeks upon arrival and will be in a rented location in Gnadenthal. We could help them in their transition to Manitoba by assistance with meals, furniture to share, and items for everyday use in the kitchen. They have two boys age 10 and 8. Some space will be available for frozen meals for the family to be stored in the Bethel kitchen/ freezer. Please contact Jakob Toews at 204-362-7895 to confirm how you can best assist this family. Thank-you for your consideration as we help welcome them to Canada and to Southern Manitoba.

## CONGRATULATIONS TO THE GRADS OF 2021!

Keep seeking a deeper relationship and the will of our Heavenly Father and He will guide you through life.

Proverbs 3:5-6 says this...*"Trust in the LORD with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to him, and he will make your paths straight."*



God Bless in your next chapter in life. **2021 High School Grads: Alex Lust, Trent Unrau, Michael Neufeld, Skyler Spenst, Alyssa Unger.**

If we have overlooked any Grads, please contact Pastor Eli at the Church office.

## MISSIONARY OF THE MONTH

*Len & Shelley Hyatt*

Thanks for praying for us this month.

Pray that churches will renew and that new churches will want to reach boys and girls with the gospel.

Continue to pray for the opening up of the provinces so we can again travel to our churches to visit.

Praise that our budget was approved. Pray we will find more prayer supporters and financial supporters. We thank you for your support.

As we go into summer we will know how to relax and rejuvenate in some time off. We look forward to seeing you in the new Awana year.

## Praise & Prayer

- Alison Hesom
- Sarah Buhler
- Irvin Enns
- Peter (Linda) Elias
- Frank (Mary) Enns
- Eileen Dueck
- Betty Elias
- Olga Dyck



Our condolences go out to Olga Dyck and her family, Jeff & Meghan, Charlene and Dave, on the passing of husband & father, Leroy Dyck. A graveside service has taken place.

## ----- OUR MISSION -----

Exalt Christ - Equip for Service

Edify one Another - Evangelize the Lost - Extend Christ's Love