

# Welcome to Bethel Church



But the wisdom that comes from heaven is first of all pure; then peace-loving, considerate, submissive, full of mercy and good fruit, impartial and sincere. Peacemakers who sow in peace reap a harvest of righteousness.

James 3:17-18

*The Lord's Day  
November 16, 2014 @ 10:30 am*

Prelude – **Andrina Doerksen**

Welcome – **Lyndon Giesbrecht**

Adoration & Praise

**Joyce Giesbrecht** and **Helen Letkeman**

Prayer Ministry & Offering – **Gerald Thiessen**

Offertory – **Colleen Rempel**

Parent/Child Dedication:

**Julian & Pam Giesbrecht** with **Gwendolyn Rae**

Children's Church Prayer & Dismissal

Scripture & Prayer – **Aaron Wiebe**

Matthew 5:9-12

Messenger – **Pastor Mark**

What kind of trail are you leaving behind you?

Our Response in Song

Prayer & Benediction

## THIS WEEK AT BETHEL

<b>MON</b>	7:00 pm	SR Youth
<b>TUES</b>	6:30 am 9:30 am	Men's Prayer Breakfast MOM's Morning
<b>WED</b>	7:00 pm 7:15 pm	JR Youth Awana
<b>THU</b>	6:00 pm  7:30 pm  7:30 pm  7:30 pm	Bill & Karen's Care Group Supper @ their home Matt & Myra's Care Group @ Greg & Alison Hesom Gerald & Tina' Care Group @ Ken & Henrietta Wieler Don & Nancy's Care Group @ Marvin & Glenda Fehr
<b>FRI</b>		College & Career – serving at the <b>Salvation Army Wheetamah Corp</b> in Winnipeg. Departure times and details are on the Facebook site.
<b>SUN</b>	9:15 am 10:30 am	Sunday School Worship Service – Pastor Mark

## 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)

Pray for **Pastor Randy & Cindy** who will be travelling to Peru from Nov 15-22 to observe the work of Compassion International.

Our condolences go out to...



**Anthony, Amanda and Misty Giesbrecht** on the passing of their precious daughter and sister, **Brooklyn** on November 12.

**John & Becky Banman and family** – John's brother, **Isaac Banman** passed away after a lengthy battle with cancer.

The **youth programs** at Bethel will continue to meet on the usual nights under the capable leadership of our volunteer youth leaders. Pastor Mark will assist the groups with some planning/scheduling and be involved on some youth nights as well. The Education Committee is also playing an active role in supporting and planning with the groups. Feel free to contact any of the youth leaders or pastor Mark during this transition period.



## BETHEL'S UPCOMING EVENTS/NOTES



**Bethel's Women's Ministry** would like to support the **Winkler and District Food Cupboard** by supplying some of their everyday needs. If you have dry goods that you would like to donate please place them in the marked box that is in the foyer.

**Awana Listeners Need!** With an increase in clubber attendance we are in need of more volunteers to come and listen to clubbers say their verses. See Jonathan Peters if you are interested in helping out.



## UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS/ NOTES

**Nov 16 Salem Foundation** presents a Christmas Carol sing-along at the Winkler Bergthaler Church featuring the Winkler Community Male Chorus. Faspas @ 4:00 pm – Carol Sing @ 4:40 pm. Freewill offering for Rational Cooking Centre.

**Nov 27 Gateway Resources Christmas Concert** @ 7:00 pm at the Winkler Bergthaler Church.

**Dec 2 Christmas Unplugged** @ 7:30 pm at the Winkler EMM Church featuring comic Leland Klassen and musician Ryan McAllister. Tickets are \$10 and are available online @ [www.funandfaith.ca](http://www.funandfaith.ca).



**Operation Christmas Child** is looking to you to bring joy and hope to children in desperate situations worldwide through gift-filled shoeboxes and the Good News of God's love. Boxes to fill are available by the mailboxes. Deadline – November 23<sup>rd</sup>.



**Winkler Bible Camp** is looking for volunteers to help with drywall and miscellaneous carpentry. All of the work is inside. Individuals and groups are welcome. If you are interested please contact Dale at the camp: 325-9519 or [dale@winklerbiblecamp.com](mailto:dale@winklerbiblecamp.com).

There are some new changes coming to the **Cradle Roll Program**. We will discontinue setting cradle roll moms up with new moms. Instead we are asking women to volunteer to sign up to bring a meal to a family with a new baby. We feel that this is an important way to minister to our young families. If you are willing to contribute in this way please call Lisa Wall @ 331-4369. Lisa will be in touch with you when a new baby arrives.

Another new ministry opportunity is to help **clean and sanitize the toys of the nursery**. We will meet the first Tuesday of every month at 7 pm. We invite you to sign up for a 1 time deal or to come every month. Please call Vanessa Giesbrecht @331-1830 to sign up.



### Church Council Update:

At Bethel's annual congregational meeting last February, we discussed the need and building of a new Education Wing. A Building Committee was appointed – they are Bernie Wiebe, Howard Heide, Ernie Peters, Peter Klassen and Jesse Voth. They've met with the leaders of the different programs involved – children's church, Awana, Sunday school, Jr & Sr Youth and others to determine their wants and needs. Basic drawings have been made and we're waiting for cost estimates. Plans are to move or take down the old sanctuary and construct on that site. Spring construction could start if congregation approves the project and all the plans come together. We plan to have a congregational meeting when drawings are more complete and estimates are more exact. If you have any questions contact Abe Wieler or one of the building committee members.



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

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