

# Welcome to Bethel Church



Come, let us sing for joy to the LORD;  
let us shout aloud to the Rock of our salvation.  
Let us come before him with thanksgiving  
and extol him with music and song.  
Psalm 95:1,2

*The Lord's Day*  
October 16, 2016

Prelude – Colleen Rempel

Welcome – John Peters

Adoration & Praise – Leora Hamm

Prayer Ministry – Jim Kort

Offertory – Colleen Rempel

Children's Church Prayer & Dismissal

A Time for Sharing

Our Response in Song

Prayer & Benediction



October is Pastor Appreciation Month! Thank-you Pastor Randy, Pastor Mark and Pastor Ryan for your faithful service!

## THIS WEEK AT BETHEL



Everyone is invited for Thanksgiving Lunch following the service today!

<b>MON</b>	7:00 pm	SR Youth – Corn Maze
<b>TUES</b>	6:30 am	Men's Prayer Breakfast
	7:00 pm	JR Youth – Event
	7:30 pm	Bridal Shower for Kristen Klassen
<b>WED</b>	7:15 pm	Awana
<b>THUR</b>	7:00 pm	Brian & Michelle's Care Group @ Jeff & Lisa Wall's
	7:00 pm	John & Roseanne's Care Group @ Rick & Fran Wiebe's
	7:30 pm	Matt & Myra's Care Group @ Greg & Alison Hesom's
<b>SUN</b>	9:15 am	Sunday School
	10:30 am	Worship Service

**PASTORAL CARE:** Pastor Randy will be away for some vacation time. In his absence please call Pastor Ryan Martin 362-7123, Kenton Doerksen 332-1476, Gerald Thiessen 325-4496, or your Care Group leaders. Prayer Requests for the Prayer Chain should be forwarded to the Church Office.

## 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)



CONGRATULATIONS to Trevor & Stacey Wiebe on the birth of a baby boy, **Eli Ryan**, on Oct 12, weighing 10lbs 3/12 oz!

## PROCLAMATION OF BANNS:

**Michael Neufeld and Kristen Klassen** intend to be married on November 12, 2016 at Bethel Church in Hochfeld, MB.



## Church Council Note:

Trent Krahn has resigned as Chairman of the Education Committee. Paul Spenst is the acting Chairman. The Church Council will appoint a Chairman to serve until the Annual Meeting

## BETHEL'S UPCOMING EVENTS

**Oct 18**



All ladies are invited to a **BRIDAL SHOWER** for Kristen Klassen (Mike Neufeld) @ 7:30 pm. A card will be available for monetary gifts.



**Oct 25**

**WOMEN'S FALL EVENT** coming up on Tuesday, October 25th at 7:00pm. Sharing by Amanda Wiebe.

**Nov 4**



**GUESS WHO'S COMING FOR COFFEE?** @ 7:30 PM. Please submit completed forms to Jamy Suderman's mailbox by Sunday, Oct 23<sup>rd</sup>. Sign-up and have a great evening getting to know our church family!



### LADIES BIBLE STUDY

Both morning and evening classes will be starting the study of Exodus. Signup sheets are located in the foyer. Please sign

up so that sufficient books may be ordered. The morning class will be at 10 am at Ruth Toews' on the 1st and 3rd Thursday of the month (Cindy Smart 325-4466) and the evening class will be every other Tuesday @ 7:30 pm at the church (Nancy Falk 325-4584, Tina Thiessen 325-4496). Start-up dates will be announced shortly. All ladies are welcome!

October is the month we have chosen to do formal **PASTORAL REVIEWS**. We invite all regular attendees to participate in this process. The Pastoral Review Committee will share a summary with the Pastor, Ministerial, and Council. We ask that you respond prayerfully and honestly for the benefit of the Church body and our pastors. All responses should be signed and returned by **October 30<sup>th</sup>** to the office or Kenton Doerksen's mailbox or you can fill out each survey online by going to the church web site [www.ourbethelchurch.com](http://www.ourbethelchurch.com), clicking on the "Resources" tab and each pastor survey will be available under the "Bulletins" tab.

The **AUDIO RECORDINGS** of our current adult SS class on the topic of divorce and remarriage are available online. Type the following into your address bar: [ourbethelchurch.com/adultsundayschool](http://ourbethelchurch.com/adultsundayschool). The password to access the page is "church".

**ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES** for October 23 – December 18.

The Adult Sunday School will have two options for study...

1. A study on the New Testament book of Ephesians by J.D. Greear, through Right Now Media - led by Jakob Toews in the Multi-Purpose Room.
2. A study on Growing up in Today's World – led by Elden Shore.

Growing up in today's world is a lot different than it used to be and our kids and teens are facing a lot more than we are comfortable with or even realize. In this class we will discover together how to walk alongside our kids as they grow up in the real world of today and looking how to make their faith stick. This class is not just for parents of teens. This is for parents of all ages from babies to college age. Once a parent always a parent and our kids can use help and guidance in whatever phase they are in. This class will meet in the Fellowship Hall, in the NW meeting area.

## COMMUNITY UPCOMING EVENTS/NOTES

### Oct 23

**Winkler Bible Camp's Annual Fall Fundraising Banquet @ Winkler Bible Camp at 6:30pm.**

### Oct 29

**Network Rural Mission Fundraising Dinner and Missions Update @ 5:30 pm** at the Bethel Church (Hochfeld). Come and find out how the Lord is planting his church in the rural communities of India. No cost. Donations will be collected for a church building project in India. Please let Jim Kort know if you are interested in attending or have any questions about the ministry (204) 312-0099 or [jkort\\_86@hotmail.com](mailto:jkort_86@hotmail.com).

### Oct 30

Salem Foundation presents **Faspa, Fellowship & Song** at the Winkler Bergthaler Church featuring the Baker Hutterite Choir. Program – 3:30pm Faspa – 4:30 pm. Freewill offering for bathing room upgrades.

### Nov 4

**VVPCC** is hosting a **Steve Bell concert @ 7:30 pm** at the Winkler MB Church. Tickets are \$20 and are available at Winkler Bible Book Shop, online @ [www.stevebell.com](http://www.stevebell.com) or by calling 1-800-854-3499.

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

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