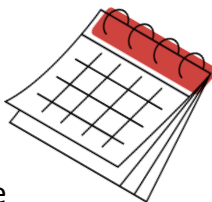

Church Announcements

As we consider Bethel's growth, Church Council and Ministerial have struck a committee to meet with other churches to learn from their church planting experience. We understand that there are likely people within our congregation that have experiences with church planting as well, and if that is the case we would like to hear from you. Those on the committee are Keith Gislason, Terry Hamm, Sam Harder, Gerald Letkeman, Pastor Mark, and Pastor Mike.

A huge thanks to Randy and Tammy Wall for their years of service as our custodians. They will be resigning their position at the end of this year. We'll be looking for new custodians to start in January 2026. If you're interested, please Contact our Service Chairman Kurtis Wiebe.
kurtis.wiebe23@gmail.com 204.362.6337

Save the Date

September 8&9: Jr. & Sr. Youth
September 12: Young Adults Kickoff
September 20: Women's Prayer Breakfast
September 23&34: First nights of Awana
September 26: Guess who's coming for a fire



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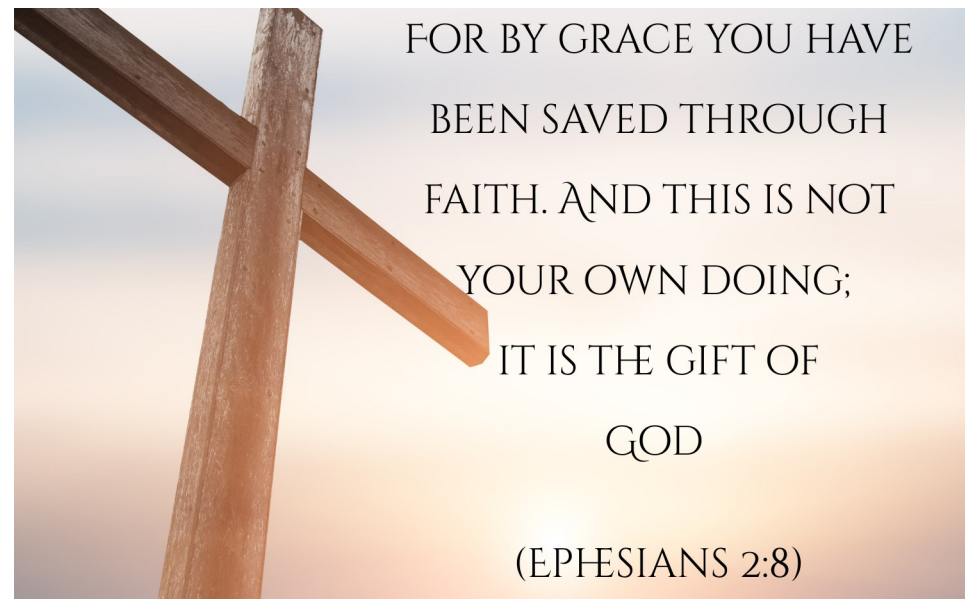
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FOR BY GRACE YOU HAVE
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FAITH. AND THIS IS NOT
YOUR OWN DOING;
IT IS THE GIFT OF
GOD

(EPHESIANS 2:8)

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: *Gerald Letkeman*

Worship in song

Prayer Ministry: *Jarrad Toews*

Children's Feature: *Josh Okello*

Scripture reading: **Ephesians 2:1-10** *Jakey Hiebert*

Sermon: **By Grace Alone** *Pastor Mike*

Closing Song

Benediction

September 7, 2025

This week at Bethel

Monday	9:30 am & 7:30 pm	BSF
Monday	7 pm	First Night back at Sr. Youth
Tuesday	7 pm	First Night Back at Jr. Youth
Wednesday	7 pm	Awana Meeting in the MPR
Friday	7 pm	Young Adults

Coming up at Bethel

Sunday School Kickoff today after the service, We look forward to everyone joining us after the worship service for a free BBQ lunch.

Adult Sunday School study of the book of Hosea in the Multi-Purpose Room & How to navigate parenting teens & young adults, In the Youth room.



Children's Church is starting soon, for children ages 1-5. If you are planning to bring your child to this program please fill out the registration link attached to the QR code seen here. Also we are looking for a few more volunteers. Contact Kristen @ 204-304-0971 if you are interested.

Baby/Bridal Shower All ladies are invited to come out to a bridal/baby shower on Tuesday, Sept 16 @ 7pm for Keri Ketler (fiancé, Nathan Krahn) and Jasmine (Scott) Sawatzky (Daughter - Hazel)



Awana Season is almost here and planning is in full swing! We are still looking for grade 1-2 teacher. **Wednesday needs:** Games Leader. Contact Lena Elias (for Tuesdays) @ 204-331-3313 or Linda Friesen (for Wednesdays) @ 204-362-6028.

Registration is still open, scan the QR code to sign up!



Guess Who's Coming for a Fire September 26, 2 more weeks to sign up! It's a wonderful way to meet new people and reconnect with old friends! Hosts provide beverages & guests can bring sweet or savory snacks to share! Sign up sheet in the foyer.

Registration is open for Bible Study Fellowship. All women are welcome to join! This year's study, Exile and Return, invites you on a powerful journey through the Old Testament, where God's people were called to build His kingdom in a foreign land. Books included in this year's study: Ezekiel, Daniel, Ezra, Esther, Haggai, Zechariah, Nehemiah, and Malachi. Groups meet at Bethel Monday 9:30am or 7:30pm starting Sept 8th. There will also be a Spanish group meeting online Monday evenings Contact Judy Gislason at judygbsf@gmail.com

Serving Opportunities

Winkler MCC Thrift store is looking for more ladies to volunteers for 4 hour shifts. Our church is committed to providing workers on the 3rd Wednesday of every month. Help me fill the 2025-26 schedule starting in October. Call or Text Wendy Peters 204-770-3983.

Prayer

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

Sheila Leatherdale

Amanda Thiessen (Smart)

Please pray that God would provide quality applicants for the Children's Ministry Pastor position.

Missionary of the Month Emily Peters

Hey Bethel Church! I'm serving with YWAM in Vancouver, and it's been a busy but really exciting summer! This past spring, I led our Discipleship Training School (DTS) and took a team of 10 on outreach to Japan. It was amazing to see the transformation in each of our students' lives and to witness Japan's hunger for the gospel. Since DTS ended, I've been taking the summer to study the Bible through a secondary-level course YWAM offers called the Discipleship Bible School (DBS). It's been such a gift to dive deep into God's Word and to be equipped to study and teach the Bible! While being a student, I'm also beginning to plan for our 2026 DTS, which I'll be leading, and continuing to serve here in the city. Please pray for the upcoming DTS—that the right students would come and that they would be ready to be transformed by God, and that we would remain attentive to Him throughout the planning process. Also, please pray for the city of Vancouver, that God would continue to make Himself known here. Thank you so much for your prayers and support—they make all of this possible. Love Emily