

Bethel BEAM

OCTOBER 1-14, 2017



SUNDAY SCHEDULE

17th Sunday after Pentecost

October 1
9:15 a.m.
Worship with Holy Communion
10:30 a.m.
Cof-Tea Fellowship
10:30 a.m.
Education Hour

18th Sunday after Pentecost

October 8
9:15 a.m.
Worship with Holy Communion
10:30 a.m.
Cof-Tea Fellowship
10:30 a.m.
Education Hour

WORSHIP PRAYER LIST

Luanne Mjelde;
Jerry Tedrow;
Bonnie Grund;
Pam Terres;
Nancy Stebbins;
Gordon Berg;
Pearl Henriksen;
Monroe Wallin;
Glenn Rambow;
Margaret Hannemann upon the death of her husband, Darrell

EarthBound: Created & Called to Care for Creation... Join in for the remainder of a six-week series as we explore the human calling given to us by God to care for the earth while also living in the multi-faceted role of daily life. What are we to do? What are the potential impacts of lifestyles lived? How do we look at consumerism versus stewardship; me versus we; now versus forever; enough versus too much? Sundays at 10:30 in the Heritage Room.

Purchase a Pen Pal... The 2018 National Youth Gathering will be held in late June in Houston, TX. Are you looking for a way to be a part of the National Youth Gathering? What are they learning? How are they serving? Are they having fun? They can tell you! Pick an envelope from the display in the atrium with the dollar amount you would like to donate to support the 2018 ELCA Youth Gathering Trip. Put the funds in the envelope and fill out the information slip. Turn the envelope in to the office. The address will be given to the youth and they will send you a postcard from Houston to share their experiences as it happens.

3rd-5th Grade Movie & Snacks... On Sunday, October 1, 2:30-5:30 p.m. in the Heritage Room, we will watch *The Sound of Music*. Sign up on the youth board outside Jenni's office, \$2 per person. Friends welcome!

New Members/Learning about Bethel... A Bethel New Member/Interest gathering will be held on Tuesday, October 3 beginning at 6:30 p.m. in the Heritage Room (the room behind the Sanctuary). All people interested in joining or learning more about Bethel are invited to attend.

K-2nd Grade Movie & Snacks... On Sunday, October 8, 2:30-4:30 p.m. in the Heritage Room, we will watch *A Bug's Life*. Sign up on the youth board outside Jenni's office, \$2 per person. Friends welcome!

Reminder... Women's Coffee/Breakfast is the 2nd Wednesday of the month at 8:30 a.m. at McMillan's. The next one is Wednesday, October 11. This is for all women - see you there!

God's Work. Our Hands. is October 15! Our main act of worship will be the packaging of food, "Food for Kidz," in Luther Hall - some of which will go locally and the bulk of which will go internationally. We look forward to bagging several thousand meals that morning. Additional opportunities will be some "seated table work" and visitation of Bethel "homebound" members. We are asking people to sign up for 55-minute shifts that morning either online at the Bethel website or outside the church office. We invite you to the sanctuary at any time from 8:15 - 11:15 a.m. where there will be music, an opportunity to "be still" through personal reflection, prayer, and scripture reading, and then the chance to receive Holy Communion from one of our Bethel pastors. We hope you will engage this important day at Bethel where we really get to use our hands to serve and worship God!

Reformation... On the occasion of the 500th anniversary of the Reformation the Catholic Churches of St. Mary in Willmar and Our Lady of the Lakes in Spicer invite members of the Lutheran and other Protestant faiths to a Service of Common Prayer gathering to remember, give thanks and grow in the unity of our "One Lord, One Faith, One Birth!" Reformation Sunday, October 29, 2017, 4:00 pm, at the Church of St. Mary, Willmar.

Walking with Christ. Connecting to one another.

Serving in God's world. **BETHEL**

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LUTHERAN CHURCH



Sunday - October 1

9:15 a.m. Worship Service - S
 10:30 a.m. Cof-Tea Fellowship - LH
 10:30 a.m. Education Hour
 2:30 p.m. 3rd-5th Grade Movie & Snacks - HR

Monday - October 2

9:30 a.m. Women's Study Group - HR
 4:30 p.m. Notes of Praise - S

Tuesday - October 3

9:00 a.m. Staff Meeting - Lib
 9:30 a.m. Martha Unit - LH
 9:30 a.m. Mary Unit - FR
 12:00 p.m. Eunice Unit - FR
 3:00 p.m. Sarah Unit - FR
 5:00 p.m. Exec Team - Lib
 5:00 p.m. Yoga - HR

Wednesday - October 4

10:00 a.m. Matins - Ch
 5:00 p.m. JuBellant Ringers - S
 5:30 p.m. Confirmation - Yth
 7:00 p.m. Cathedral Choir - S

Thursday - October 5

7:30 a.m. Men's Breakfast - McM's
 9:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study - Lib
 2:00 p.m. Honor Unit - LH
 5:00 p.m. Yoga - HR
 6:00 p.m. Property Team Meeting - Lib

Friday - October 6**Saturday - October 7**

8:00 a.m. Yoga - HR

Sunday - October 8

Family Promise Week Starts
 9:15 a.m. Worship Service - S
 10:30 a.m. Cof-Tea Fellowship - LH
 10:30 a.m. Education Hour
 2:30 p.m. K-2nd Grade Movie & Snacks - HR

Monday - October 9

9:30 a.m. Women's Study Group - HR
 4:30 p.m. Notes of Praise - S

Tuesday - October 10

9:00 a.m. Staff Meeting - Lib
 4:00 p.m. Finance Team - Lib
 5:00 p.m. Yoga - HR
 6:00 p.m. Teams of the Church - LH
 7:00 p.m. Council Meeting - FR

Wednesday - October 11

8:30 a.m. Women's Coffee - McM's
 10:00 a.m. Matins - Ch
 11:30 a.m. Matins Movie *Going in Style* - HR
 5:00 p.m. JuBellant Ringers - S
 5:30 p.m. Confirmation - Yth
 6:00 p.m. Senior Quilts - LH
 7:00 p.m. Cathedral Choir - S

Thursday - October 12

9:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study - Lib
 9:00 a.m. Quilters - LH
 5:00 p.m. Yoga - HR

Friday - October 13**Saturday - October 14**

8:00 a.m. Yoga - HR

Bethel Holy Land Trip... There will be a discussion meeting with Pastor John Setterlund on Sunday, October 22, at 10:30 a.m. following worship in the Friendship Room for those interested in being a part of a Bethel trip to the Holy Land. Traveling dates will be discussed and a signup sheet will be started. If you are interested, please plan to come to talk with John. Questions? Give Beverly a call at church 235-5450.

Think Christmas! Yes, it is a ways off but plans need to be made. On Sunday, December 3, Bethel will take a bus to the Penumbra Theatre in St. Paul to see *A Black Nativity*, a Christmas production celebrating its 30th year. The most radical expression of love is justice. Through the message of this production, we are invited to be the light of love and justice. Sign up on the bulletin board outside the main office. Forty tickets are reserved. Finalizing with the theatre must be made by November 3. Total price for bus and performance tickets is \$55, supper on the way home is on your own.

Did You Know? The Bethel quilters gave away 56 quilts in September to Heartland, Salvation Army, Safe Avenues, Home to Home, and the Lakeland Conference. Come be a part of this fun and charitable group! Bethel quilters meet the 2nd and 5th Thursday of each month at 9 a.m. in Luther Hall. No quilting experience is needed and all are welcome!

Thank You to all who helped at the Celebrate Art Pie Fest. Those who worked, made pies, and ate pie-we could not have done it without your help! ~Bethel WELCA

Picking Up or Dropping Off? Feel free to leave your items in the cabinet located in the atrium so members can have access anytime the church is open.

