

SERVANT SCHEDULE

	October 25, 2026	November 1, 2026
Greeters	Ken & Terri K.	Randy & Gina V.
Christ Candle	Linda Z.	Payton Z.
Congregational Prayer	Tom K., former elder	Karen S., former elder
Children's Message	none	Joel S.
Children in Worship Helpers Lesson	Grace E. Arielle S. "Exodus"	Ken K. Marly D. "God Provides Water"
Children's Church Helpers Lesson	Gumby C. Gina V. "Jesus Calls the 12 Disciples"	Melissa T. Gail VP "Parable of the Farmer and the Seed"
Nursery	Marlys T. / Terri K.	Shannon E. / Barb L.
Coffee Cafe	Pat G. / Phyllis K.	Hana H. / Terri T.
Computer	Christian S.	Elijah M.
Second Offering	none	none

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, October 25	9:30am 10:50am	Worship Service – Pastor Mark Brouwer Sunday School for grades 6-12
Tuesday, October 27	9:30am	Coffee Break – Lesson 5
Friday, October 30	8:00am 5:00pm	Prayer Group – all are welcome to join! Discovery Academy Chili Feed
Saturday, October 31	9:00am	Council Retreat
Sunday, November 1	9:30am 10:50am	Worship Service – Pastor Mark Brouwer Meeting with Children's Ministry Leaders Sunday School for grades 6-12

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OFFICE HOURS: (closed Mondays) Tuesday—Friday: 9:00am—2:00pm

PASTOR Mark Brouwer **Tues—Fri: 9:00am—5:00pm Sat: 8:00am—12:00pm**

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT: Connie Bartz (see office hours above)

WORSHIP COORDINATOR: Rebecca Shaw (Wednesdays)



October 25, 2026
Pastor Mark Brouwer

Welcome in the
name of our Lord
and Savior, Jesus
Christ

**Opening Song of Praise*
Christ Candle

Sing
Hanna Morris

Welcome

Pastor Mark

Songs of Praise

*All Hail the Power of Jesus Name
This is Amazing Grace
Jesus Strong and Kind*

(Children age 3 - 3rd grade are dismissed for Children in Worship & Children's Church)

Congregational Prayer

Karen Sartell, former Elder

Offering
Announcements

Ongoing Ministries of Bethel
Pastor Mark

Message

"From Gluttony to Temperance"
Philippians 3:17-21
Pastor Mark

**Song of Response*

I Am Yours (Take My Life)

**Parting Blessing*

Pastor Mark

**Please feel free to sit when you need to*

Come Let Us Pray Together!

We recognize the importance of praying for each other whether it be for a personal concern or a joy that you wish to share. Please feel free to come to the front of the Worship Center after the service and someone with a "Prayer Servant" name tag will pray with you for whatever you would like to hold up to our God.

All prayer matters are kept confidential

On **SATURDAY NIGHT OCTOBER 31ST**, remember to turn your clocks back an hour as we return to Central Standard Time.



Every autumn a school of **PETER FISH** arrive at Bethel; they arrived last Sunday. They are waiting to be “caught” and fed with pennies, nickels, dimes, quarters, dollar bills or checks. The money you put into the Peter Fish will help to feed those in other countries who don’t get enough food to eat. The Peter Fish will be “netted” on Sunday, November 8th. Be sure to “catch” one today if you haven’t already done so.



Please come to the **PEASE/BETHEL GAP SPAGHETTI SUPPER** on Thursday, November 5th at the Pease Church. Come for a delicious meal and support a great cause! Freewill donation!



Please consider purchasing a **T-SHIRT OR SWEATSHIRT** from our GAP team! This is a great way to give testimony of your faith AND or your ongoing support of this outreach effort! See Grace Erickson in the Fathering Place after church to place your order!

The **RUM RIVER LIFE CHOICES CENTER**, a Christian pro-life ministry, seeks to hire a part-time 22 hours/week Client Services position for the Princeton office. Prior counseling experience preferred and basic computer skills required. Prefer applicant with medical certification or license. Specific pregnancy counselor training will be provided by RRLCC. Call the Milaca Center **320-983-3771** for application and more information.



TEACHERS ARE NEEDED FOR CHILDREN’S CHURCH!! These children are in grades 1-3. If you feel God leading you to nourish these young minds with His word and His love, please see Melissa Terpstra or Bethany Servaty.

DISCOVERY ACADEMY is having its annual **CHILI FEED** on **OCTOBER 30, 2026 from 5-7pm**. If you want to join their chili competition, make a large pot of chili and bring it that night to be judged. There will also be a live and a silent auction and fun fall activities for the kids! Plan to attend to support Discovery Academy! ***There is a sign-up sheet on the information table if you wish to enter the free chili competition.***



PICTURES FOR THE DIRECTORY! This year we would like to try something different. Take a picture outside, at your home, or somewhere else and send it to Bethel via our email address. It’s nice to see the different backgrounds when looking through the directory. If this doesn’t work for you or your family, we will begin taking pictures here at church the last Sunday in November.

MN ADULT & TEEN CHALLENGE: “Thank you for another great visit! We love visiting your church and we can’t thank you enough for hosting us! We appreciate the love and support that you show our men and women as attending churches and sharing their stories is a pivotal part of their healing and recovery. Thank you for giving them the space to heal and walk out their transformation.”

BOOK TALK BOOK CLUB – the book for October is West with Giraffes by Lynda Rutledge.

Come venture across America during the Depression era with two giraffes. It’s a once in a lifetime trip!

There is still time to grab a book and read it. They are in the tub by the mailboxes.



The next meeting is Saturday, November 7th at 10:00am here at Bethel.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD – LET’S BLESS A CHILD THIS CHRISTMAS!

Christmas is coming and children around the world are waiting to receive a simple gift that can remind them they are loved, valued, and remembered.

Boxes are available in the Gathering Place, along with ideas for what to pack. Take a box, fill it with quality items that are useful and fun, and most importantly, pray for the child who will receive it.

GREAT NEWS! We have a generous sponsor who will pay the shipping costs for every box our church fills! So, let’s take advantage of this opportunity and fill as many boxes as we can!

Pick up a box. Fill it with love. Pray over it. Help make a child’s Christmas special.

Let’s come together as a church family and bless children around the world this Christmas!

Shoe boxes are due back by November 15th

NOVEMBER 4th WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY

Beginning at 6:00pm, we study the book of Isaiah. Please read chapters 13-18 (?) to prepare for our discussion.



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OUR MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of Bethel Church is to glorify God in worship and our daily living, to evangelize His world, and to connect people to God so that they become part of a Christian community. We will accomplish this through prayer, joyful worship, Biblical training, use of spiritual gifts, Christian fellowship, and outreach in our community.