

BETHEL HAPPENINGS

Summer Service Hours:

Sat 5:30p and Sunday 10a

*Sixth Sunday After Pentecost
Weekend of July 19 & 20, 2025*

Worship Theme: Redrawing the Boundaries

Jesus declares the traditional cultural separation between men and women to be a thing of the past! The issue was not superiority and inferiority. It was a matter of listening to a new message of the Kingdom of God as our lives will never be the same again. Colossians 1:21-29 Luke 10:38-42

Calendar

DATE	ACTIVITY
Jul 20	Adult Study on ACTS 9:00am
Jul 21-25	Legacy Summer Camp
Jul 26	Worship & Healing 5:30pm
Jul 27	Worship with Sacrament of Baptism & Healing 10:00am
Aug 4	First Day of Legacy Preschool
Aug 19	Church Council 6:30pm
Aug 30 & 31	Affirmation of Vocation at Worship services
Sep 1	Labor Day – Office Closed
Sep 12	Fish Fry 4:30-7:00pm
Sep 13	Bethel Bonfire, Friends, and S'mores 6:30pm

Fellowship & Life-long Learning

Coffee Fellowship: Sundays @ 8:45am ahead of the Sunday School class through the start 10am service.

Adult Study: Fellowship Hall @ 9am on Sunday

ACTS: A video introduction followed by guided discussion, led by David Jacobs.

Luther's Seven Marks of the Church: Next adult study begins July 27 for 7 weeks. Martin Luther asked a basic question: "How can a poor confused person tell where Christian holy people are to be found in this world?" Join us as we explore the 7 visible elements of the real church of Christ. First element: THE WORD.



FAMILY MINISTRY INFORMATION

Family Devotion & Prayer Walk

Another Spiritual Rhythm:

Try a Family Devotion and Prayer Walk

Take an after-dinner walk. A simple walk with kids is valuable even with no spiritual content—but every now and then, we use it as our weekly family devotion and prayer time. It's a great way to change up the rhythm. Jesus often taught his disciples while walking. As you walk by a house, pray for the people living there. (Tip: bring healthy snacks and drinks)

2025- 2026 Council

Officers:

President – Logan Wells
Vice President – Steve Horton
Secretary – Tom Hooper
Treasurer – Harold Seamon

Ministries:

Care – Jill Duncan
Christian Education – Lon Mills
Communications – Steve Horton
Evangelism – Annette Lang
Fellowship – Gary Helgemo
Finance – Tom Hooper
Missions – Randy Baskerville
Property – Jim Herr
Small Groups – Logan Wells
Stewardship – Karen Moffitt
Worship & Music – Linc Schneider
Youth – Sarah Manro



NEEDS: Breakfast Items! Cereal, granola bars, canned fruit. Kids are home from school for a bit longer.



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SPOTLIGHT ON MEMBERS & MINISTRIES

This week we highlight the 3 new Church Council Members: Logan, Karen, and Lon.

We are so thankful for their service, as they use their gifts to lead our ministries and missions in Jesus' name.



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Ways that people can help Texas through the NALC Disaster Response:

1. **Pray.** For all who are suffering; for safety of those conducting search, rescue, and recovery efforts; for miracles in discovering the missing alive; for consolation for all who mourn the loss of life and property. Give thanks to God for the precious gift of each day lived.
2. **Give Gift Cards** from Walmart, Home Depot, and Lowe's. Gift cards can be donated at Bethel or sent to: NALC Disaster Response, 16500 Noble Ave., Caldwell, Ohio 43724
3. **Monetary Gifts:** Donate through Bethel in addition to your weekly giving. Designate online or check made out to Bethel Lutheran Church with Texas Disaster Response in the memo line.

WHAT'S HAPPENING:

Marilyn's place:

Tuesday – Friday 3p to 7p, & Saturday 11a-3p each week.

Bethel Food Pantry: Open every 2nd & 3rd Tuesdays from 6p-7:30p & the following Saturdays of that week 9a-11:30a.

Sisters Without Misters: Meets 2nd Saturday of the month at 1p! Get on the email list!!!

Sausage & Scripture: Meets Saturdays, 7:30a-9:00a in Fellowship Hall. All men welcome to attend.

Confirmation: Sunday mornings at 9:00a starting Sept 7th.

Women On Wednesday: What do you say when someone says God is just a figment of your imagination? Or when science proves miracles don't exist? Or the Bible is just a bunch of myths? Women, join us this fall at WOW for a DVD series from Dr. Frank Turek called "Why I Still Don't Have Enough Faith to Be an Atheist." Wednesdays at 9:30a beginning Sept 10th. Sign up in the Narthex.

2025	March	April	May	Year to Date
Revenue	72,812	35,775	32,816	216,827
Expenses	59,345	64,531	55,207	272,606
Net Total (loss)	13,467	(28,756)	(22,391)	(55,779)