And the multitudes that went before, and that followed, cried, saying, Hosanna to the son of David: Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord; Hosanna in the highest. Matthew 21:9

Palm Sunday



Welcome to Bethel Reformed Church!

On behalf of our great church family, I want to express how glad we are that you are here today. I trust you will experience the Inspiring Worship and Loving Relationships that make Bethel such a special place. I pray that your joy in our awesome God will be deepened as we praise Him and look into His word together. I also pray that the love of Jesus will fill and refresh your spirit so you can show and share His love wherever you are this week. If you are visiting with us today, please fill out one of the visitor cards in the pocket of the seat in front of you, and drop it in the designated box at the welcome center.

Blessings! Pastor Dave Van Kley

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Sunday Morning Worship: April 13, 2025 – 9:30 a.m.

Welcome

The Grand Entrance: "Sing Hosanna"; Wednesday Night Kids

Announcements

"This is Our God" "The Lion and the Lamb"

Prayer

Introduction of the Story Symbol



"Crown Him (Majesty)"

Benediction Response: *"Sing Hosanna"*

Today's Praise Team

Vocals: Ken Ven Huizen, Brian Tutje, Linda & Selah Bootsma, Tiffany & Ellie Zeilenga Piano: Jody Van Kley | Key Bass: Brenda De Wild Guitar: Patrick Charbonneau | Drums: Brittany Verdoorn

This Week at Bethel

Sunday, April 13 – PALM SUNDAY 9:30 a.m. – Sunday Worship 10:45 a.m. - Faith Formation Monday, April 14 4:45 p.m. – Bible Recap (Bethel Offices) Tuesday, April 15 9:30 a.m. – Coffee With Friends (Poppema-Sikma) 2:00 p.m. – Bethel Staff Meeting Thursday, April 17 – MAUNDY THURSDAY 11:30 a.m. – Lunch with Friends (Bethel) 7:00 p.m. – Maundy Thursday Service Friday, April 18 – GOOD FRIDAY 9:30 a.m. - Easter Treasure Hunt (Bethel) Sunday, April 20 - EASTER 9:00 a.m. - Muffin Breakfast 9:30 a.m. - Sunday Worship

GREETER SCHEDULE

April 13: Sherry Schomaker April 20: Mike & Bonnie Hofmeyer

Leadership at Bethel

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Prayers for God's People

If you have a pastoral need, please call Pastor Dave Van Kley (708.769.1201), any consistory elder, or the church office (712.324.2467).

Please keep the following members of Bethel in your prayers: **Evelyn Koele** (battling fibromyalgia pain), **Glenn Van Der Vliet** (receiving treatment for lymphoma), **Adam Van Der Vliet** (receiving ongoing treatment for infectious pneumonia). *If your name is on this list, and you would like it to be removed, please contact the office.*

Bethel members who are unable to attend worship with us each week: Jean Miller, (Fieldcrest), and Clarice Kreykes, Joyce Meister (Sanford Senior Care).

Offering Record

Last Week's Offering, 4/6: \$10,122

April 15: Ada Geels April 19: Gary Van Meeteren, Laryl De Wild

Coming Soon / Announcements

The Grace Space is open for anyone who needs the option of being in a different space during the worship service. Parents are welcome to be in this space with their children to watch the service in an environment where they will not disrupt others. Children respond well to expectations set ahead of time as well as a regular routine. Whether you choose to use the room for the entire service, only during the message, or just on days when you need another option; this room is available for anyone who needs it. We want the Grace Space to be a comfortable and safe place where you and your child can still engage in our morning service. The Grace Space is located in the back of the worship center.

We invite all of Bethel to participate in Sunday Morning Faith Formation in the fellowship area following the worship service. After you pick up a cookie and something to drink, gather around a table with your family or friends. If you would like, invite others to join your group as well. The leader of your table should pick up a discussion guide and supplies from the resource table and bring it back to your group where you can SHARE, READ, TALK, PRAY and BLESS (THE FAITH 5) together around today's theme. We provide everything you need to help you interact with and discuss the portion of scripture used for today's message. No one is too young or too old to participate and no one needs to be an expert. This is a great opportunity to spend time around God's word and grow together in our faith. If you are unsure of what to do, please ask. Jodi Siebrecht is available and will be glad to help or partner you with someone who can join your table. Faith Formation meets from September through May with Sundays off for Thanksgiving, Christmas, New Year and Easter. The Faith Formation Offering goal will be "Give Kids Clean Water" - we have met our goall We will continue supporting this mission. We have currently raised 11% of our third goal.

Coffee With Friends: Join us on Tuesday, April 15 at 9:30 a.m. as we thank the Poppema-Sikma employees.

The Prairie Queen Kiwanis Club will be sponsoring a Good Friday breakfast on Friday, April 18, beginning at 6:30 a.m. in the Sheldon Middle School commons. A catered breakfast by Hy-Vee will be served – reservations are not required. A \$12/person donation is appreciated.

A muffin breakfast will be served on Easter morning, Sunday, April 20 before the worship service. Come at 9:00 a.m. to enjoy a variety of muffins, coffee, and juice.

The Connections Team is sponsoring a Game & Pizza Night on Saturday, May 3. Come to the church at 4:00 to enjoy a variety of indoor and outdoor games, followed by pizza at 6:00. Please see the interest sign-up sheet on the welcome desk.

Verna Zylstra is proud to announce the birth of a new great-granddaughter. Anna "Collins" Zylstra (her preferred name will be Collins), was born on March 18 in Hoover, Alabama. Congratulations, Verna!