

A photograph of three wooden crosses on a hill at sunrise. The sun is low on the horizon, creating a bright glow and long shadows. The sky is filled with colorful clouds in shades of orange, yellow, and purple. The crosses are silhouetted against the bright light.

ON THE THIRD DAY

he will rise

FROM THE DEAD.

MATTHEW 17:23 (NIRV)

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!

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Easter Morning Worship: April 20, 2025 – 9:30 a.m.

Ministry of Music: *"He's Alive!"* – Bethel Choir

Welcome

"Christ the Lord is Risen Today (He is Not Dead)"
"What a Beautiful Name"

Ministry of Music:

"Crown Him the Lord of Love" – Bethel Bells

Prayer

Introduction of the Story Symbol

Message:



Ministry of Music: *"Redeemer"* – Bethel Choir
"Living Hope"

Benediction

Response: *"Christ the Lord is Risen Today"*

Today's Praise Team

Vocals: Gene & Amy Bomgaars, Tiffany & Micah Zeilenga, Dani Mastbergen, Brian Tutje

Piano: Jody Van Kley | **Key Bass:** Leisl Lidiak

Guitar: Patrick Charbonneau | **Drums:** Brittany Verdoorn

This Week at Bethel

Sunday, April 20 - EASTER

9:00 a.m. – Muffin Breakfast

9:30 a.m. – Sunday Worship

Monday, April 21

4:45 p.m. – Bible Recap (Bethel Offices)

Tuesday, April 22

2:00 p.m. – Bethel Staff Meeting

Wednesday, April 23

6:00 p.m. – Community Youth Ministry

6:15 p.m. – Wednesday Night Kids

Thursday, April 24

11:30 a.m. – Lunch with Friends (Bethel)

7:00 p.m. – Consistory Meeting

Friday, April 25

9:30 a.m. – Preschool Play Group (Bethel)

Sunday, April 27 - EASTER

9:00 a.m. – Muffin Breakfast

9:30 a.m. – Sunday Worship

GREETER SCHEDULE

April 20: Mike & Bonnie Hofmeyer

April 27: Jon & Heidi Starkenburg

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), and **Glenn Van Der Vliet** (receiving treatment for lymphoma). *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: \$4,551

Birthdays & Anniversaries

April 21: Tom Lidiak

April 22: Micah Zeilenga

April 23: Barry & Rhonda Mordick

April 26: Christian Willemstyn

April 27: Patrick Charbonneau

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 goal! We will continue supporting this mission. We have currently raised 13% of our third goal.**

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.

Jake Ven Huizen will be conducting a choral recital as part of his ongoing education to receive his Doctorate of Musical Arts degree from the University of Nebraska – Lincoln. The concert will take place on Thursday, April 24 at 7:30 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church in Lincoln. This event will be livestreamed at www.fpclincoln.org (click the "Livestream Worship" in the upper right corner to be directed to the list of upcoming events). You can also find this event shared directly to Bethel's Facebook page, www.facebook.com/bethelchurchsheldon, and scroll down to "Jake Ven Huizen's Year 1 DMA Conducting Recital".