

Sunday Worship

Prelude: *God is For Us*

Call to Worship

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Welcome & Announcements

Child Dedication: Both Services

Jesus Firm Foundation

I Set My Hope

Bethany Family Prayer

Sermon: Kingdom Wars

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Benediction

Highlights

Join a Community Group

Fall is the perfect time to jump into a community group for the first time. If you've never joined a group, or haven't attended in a while, now is the time to find a group of believers to do life with. Go to bethanycentral.org/groups to learn more.

Summer Finale

Sunday, September 01, 10:00 am

Our Summer Finale service is next week! Sunday, September 1st we have a single combined outdoor service at 10am (no Sunday school, children's church, or ABC's). We'll have a picnic lunch after church so be sure to bring a chair for outdoor seating.

Outdoor Night of Worship

Saturday, September 07, 7:00 PM

As a church we embrace the biblical encouragement to sing songs, hymns, and spiritual songs, using music to praise the Lord. Join us for a time of worship, followed by a dessert fellowship where we can share in the joy of community. Make sure to bring a chair for outdoor seating.

Children's Ministry Volunteers Needed

Our children's ministry team has several key areas where volunteers are needed. Our Awana ministry is looking for a TNT girls director and Awana leaders. We are also looking to fill some buddy teams (special needs ministry). Go bethanycentral.org/servekids to learn more or get detailed information on one of these positions.

Announcements & Events

Awana Starts This Week!

Wednesday, August 28, 6:15 pm

Our Awana ministry (Wednesday night children's ministry for grades K-5th) starts this week! It's a great time for kids to make new friends, have fun, and learn God's word! Registration is now closed but walk-up registration is always welcome.

Women's Ministry Fall Kick-off Event

Thursday, September 05, 6:30 pm

Join us as we kick off our women's ministries! Hear from leaders of MOMents, The Table, HEART, Seasons of Motherhood, Relational Development, and Ladies Bible Study about how you can get involved. Enjoy a short devotional followed by desserts and fellowship. Sign-up tables will be available that night. Don't forget to invite friends and neighbors, and please RSVP to ajsceggel@gmail.com.

MOMents Starts Soon!

Friday, September 06, 9:00 am

MOMents is a group for moms with children ages 0 to Kindergarten, offering community, growth, and support. We meet every other Friday morning from 9:00 to 11:00 AM, with childcare provided. Each session includes breakfast, a creative activity, and discussions led by guest speakers on topics relevant to our lives. For more info go to bethanycentral.org/moments.

Fall Ladies Bible Study Starts Soon

Tuesdays, Sep 10 - Nov 19

We offer ongoing and short-term Ladies' Bible Studies that meet at various times throughout the week. Several options are available for you to study God's Word. The main study this fall will be in the book of Revelation on Tuesday mornings (with childcare) or Tuesday evenings (without childcare). Go to bethanycentral.org/ladies for more info.

Seasons of Motherhood

Tuesdays 9:30-11 AM, Thursday 9:30-11 AM

This is a women's group for moms of young kids, teens, and anything in between. They offer two morning sessions at church – Tuesdays with childcare and Thursdays without. There is a devotional and Bible study that's simple yet rich in God's Word for moms seeking to stay grounded in Truth. Sign up using MyBethany or contact the church office.

Shower for Teresa Forsberg

Saturday, August 31, 10:00 am

All ladies are invited to join us in the Bethany Café to celebrate Teresa Forsberg as she prepares to marry Dan Wilbur on November 16th! Teresa is registered at Target and Amazon. Please RSVP to Mandy Wilton by text (309-621-3448) by August 26th.

Kingdom Wars

Dr. Ritch Boerckel • Daniel 11

Seven Traits of the Anti-Christ

Trait #1: He does what is _____ in his own eyes.

Trait #2: He exalts _____ .

Trait #3: He _____ against the God of Scripture.

Trait #4: He _____ for a time.

Trait #5: He _____ worldly power.

Trait #6: He _____ the future Messiah.

Trait #7: He uses his _____ to deceive many.