

Sunday Worship

Whom Shall I Fear

Call to Worship

Jesus Firm Foundation

Child Dedication - First Service

Welcome & Announcements

Bethany Family Prayer

The Solid Rock

I Will Wait for You (Psalm 130)

Sermon: God's Servant Prevails over Death

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Benediction

Highlights

Annual Meeting Review

We are thankful for the sweet time of fellowship and sharing a meal at our annual meeting this past Sunday. The budget for our upcoming fiscal year was overwhelmingly approved, along with the confirmation of our officers: Max Lalicker – Treasurer, Ted Lueken – Assistant Treasurer, Abby Pfeiffer – Church Clerk, and Kristi DeBacker – Financial Secretary.

Easter Devotional: He is Risen

Our Easter Devotional, *He is Risen*, written by Bethany Church staff. Is still available for you to pick up in the foyer or online at bethanycentral.org/heisrisen.

Easter & Good Friday Services

Friday April 18th, 6:00 pm join us for a special event meant to help us reflect on the sacrificial death of our Savior. The evening will include baptisms and communion (NO nursery or childcare provided).

Sunday April 20th, 9:00 & 10:30 am join us for Easter Sunday at Bethany. There will be no ABC's, Sunday School, or Children's Church this week. Nursery will be provided for ages 2 and under.

Newcomer's Lunch

April 27th, After Second Service

Anyone new to Bethany is invited to join us for lunch. Meet elders & pastors, ask questions, and get to know us. If you are new to Bethany this is the perfect first step for you! Go to bethanycentral.org/lunch to register.

Announcements & Events

Bethany Family News

Our deepest sympathies to Eric and Genae Andris, on the death of Genae's mother Karen Yergler on April 6th, 2025.

March Financial Update

In an effort to keep you up to date on the status of our finances, here are the financial numbers from the previous month:

Giving	Expenses	Budget
\$295,820	\$206,633	\$261,645
YTD Giving	YTD Expense	YTD Budget
\$2,681,763	\$2,594,262	\$2,878,094

2025 Foodshare Canathon: Thank you!

A heartfelt thank you to a very generous Bethany family for donating 3,300 pounds of food and hygiene products for the Foodshare Canathon! All of it will go to Hands of Grace Food Pantry, a ministry of Grace Baptist Church. We also want to thank our Sunday School children for filling a lunch bag with canned goods—every contribution makes a difference!

Scripture Alive Special Guest Jeremy Kluth

Jeremy Kluth of Scripture Alive will bring the story of Jesus' final hours to life during our Good Friday service through a powerful, dramatic Scripture recitation. He will portray pivotal moments—including the Last Supper, Jesus' arrest, trial, crucifixion, and death. Then, on Easter Sunday morning, he will return to present the moving conclusion, portraying the resurrection of Christ.

Child-Dedication Class

Sunday, April 27, 9:00 am

This class is for those who want to have their child dedicated but have never attended the class. We will cover what child dedication is, basic parenting principles, and give an overview of Bethany resources. Contact the church office to register.

The next dedication will be held on May 11th.

BEST Lunch & Learn

Monday, April 21, 11:00 am

BEST (Boomers Engaged in Serving and Sharing Together) is hosting a lunch that will take place in the High School Room. Bethany's Handbell Choir will present a captivating collection of classical hymns that will lift your spirit and refresh your soul. Use your myBethany to RSVP or call the church office.

New Ladies Bible Study: The Lord's Prayer

Tuesdays, April 15th - May 20th, 9:00 - 10:15 am

Do you long to experience the power of prayer in your daily life? In this six-week study, we'll explore the Lord's Prayer and other biblical examples to uncover key principles for a deeper, more effective prayer life. Come grow in your understanding of how prayer draws us closer to the heart of God. Ladies of all ages are welcome!

God's Servant Prevails over Death

Daniel Sheaffer • Mark 5:21-43

A Father's Desperate _____ (Mark 5:21-24)

A Daughter's Desperate _____ (Mark 5:25-34)

A Savior's Divine _____ (Mark 5:35-43)