



Sunday Worship

Bless the Lord O My Soul (Psalm 103)

Call to Worship

Praise the Lord Ye Heavens

Welcome & Announcements

Bethany Family Prayer

Jesus Firm Foundation

Christus Victor

Sermon: God's Servant Prioritizes Worship

Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery

Communion

Benediction & Compassion Offering

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.

Know Their Story: Book Giveaway

As part of our "Know Their Story" campaign, we want to help you engage others the way Jesus did by listening well and asking thoughtful questions. Our goal is to hear 2,000 new stories this year. To help, we're giving away free copies of *Questioning Evangelism* by Randy Newman starting this week. This practical book reminds us that effective evangelism doesn't require memorized answers, just a willingness to ask good questions and care deeply. Pick up your copy at the table in the foyer!

Awana is Coming Soon!

Awana is the discipleship heart of our Children's Ministry—where kids are challenged to grow in their faith and make it their own. Registration is now open for the fall, and we're excited for another great year!

We're also looking for new leaders to join our Wednesday night ministry. We have openings from the nursery age through 5th grade. If you love God's Word and want to invest in the next generation, this is a great place to serve. Training and support are provided—just bring a heart to disciple kids! Go to bethanycentral.org/serveawana to learn more.

Announcements & Events

Bethany Family News

Our congratulations to Caleb & Jenni Ham on the birth of their daughter, Julia Elaine, on Friday, July 25th.

Our congratulations to Tavish and Jeni Anderson on the birth of their son, Finn Tracy, on Sunday, July 27th.

Our deepest sympathies to Chris & Val Wichaël on the death Val's father, Max Casteel, on Wednesday, July 30th.

Promotion Sunday

Sunday, August 03

This Sunday is Promotion Sunday, and we're so excited to kick off the new year with you and your family. Children will move up to their new Sunday School classrooms, and we invite you to bring them directly to their new rooms at 9:00 AM to meet their teachers.

Malawi Trip Report Meeting

Sunday, August 10, 2:00 pm

We're excited to invite you to a special event where the Malawi team will share highlights from their recent ministry trip. Hear firsthand about the impactful outreach, ministry, and transformative experiences they had. It's a wonderful opportunity to connect with the team, hear about their experience and support global outreach.

MOMents

Friday, September 12, 9:00 am

MOMents is a group for moms with children aged 0 to Kindergarten, offering community, growth, and support. They 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 details and to register, go to bethanycentral.org/moments.

Youth Group "Parents Night"

Wednesday, August 13, 6:30 pm

Kick off the new school year with us! This is a great opportunity for the whole family to start the year strong. Parents will meet their student's small group leaders, hear ministry updates, connect with other parents, and spend time in prayer for the year ahead. While parents connect, 6th–12th grade students will enjoy their own activities, and childcare will be provided for 5th grade and under. Go to bethanycentral.org/parentnight to register.

Child-Dedication Class

Sunday, August 10, 9:00 am

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 August 24th.