



## Sunday Worship

**Prelude:** *Grace Alone*

Welcome & Announcements

*The Solid Rock*

*All Sufficient Merit*

*Yet Not I But Through Christ*

*Behold Him*

Bethany Family Prayer

**Sermon:** Man: The Reason We Need Hope

*All I Have is Christ*

Benediction

## Highlights

### Share Your Hope: 2026 Evangelism Goal

We continue our annual churchwide evangelism focus, "Share Your Hope." Our challenge this year is to get everyone involved by doing something: gospel conversations, outreach ministries, or even volunteering at a soup kitchen. Our goal is to equip and encourage the whole church to share the same unchanging message through countless methods as God opens doors.

### Join the Children's Ministry Team

Our Children's Ministry team is looking for volunteers to join Children's Church, Buddy Teams, Awana, Nursery, and more! These are some of the ways we get the opportunity to disciple the next generation for Jesus. Go to [bethanycentral.org/servekids](http://bethanycentral.org/servekids) for more information or email our Children's Ministry Director at [michellec@bethanycentral.org](mailto:michellec@bethanycentral.org).

### Spread Truth NY City Evangelism Trip

This summer, July 17–25, we have an exciting short-term evangelistic trip opportunity with Spread Truth. This ministry focuses on sharing the gospel in meaningful, conversational ways throughout New York City. If you're interested in learning more or applying to be part of the team, visit [bethanycentral.org/nyc26](http://bethanycentral.org/nyc26). If you have questions, you can contact Jake Tourtillott at [jake@bethanycentral.org](mailto:jake@bethanycentral.org).

## Announcements & Events

### The Pasture (All Invited)

**Wednesday, January 21st, 9:00 AM | Café**

The Pasture is a space for members and attenders to connect with our pastors and elders—ask questions, share thoughts, or get to know one another. Whatever is on your heart, we'd love to hear from you. Coffee and pastries will be provided. Everyone is invited for this Q&A session.

### HEART Work Night

**Monday, January 12th, 6:30 pm**

H.E.A.R.T. is a ministry at Bethany that offers compassionate support to women and couples grieving the loss of a baby at any stage of life. **They are hosting a work night in the Bethany Café and need extra help—no special skills required.** Volunteers will tie ribbons on ornaments, assemble keepsake bags, and prepare stillbirth boxes. Due to a large last-minute order, help is needed to complete these items.

### High School Winter Camp: Registration is Open

All 9th–12th grade students are invited to Winter Camp 2026, where we'll focus on enduring seasons of suffering by remembering God's faithfulness. Students will study Hannah's story in 1 Samuel 1:1–2:11, connect in small groups, and enjoy games and fellowship. The Cost is \$150 per student, with discounts and scholarships available. Early bird pricing ends January 14.

### SOS Morning: Serving Others Selflessly

**Monday, January 26th, 9:00 am**

Join us as we work together on a few building projects! We'll be deep cleaning all tables and chairs and installing cup holders in the sanctuary. If you're able, please bring an impact driver with a Phillips head for the cup holders. Everyone is welcome, and lunch will be provided.

### Ladies Bible Studies

Throughout the year, Bethany offers ongoing and short-term Ladies Bible Studies that meet at various times throughout the week. We have morning, afternoon, and evening classes. Several options are available for you to study God's Word. This semester we'll be offering studies on Proverbs and Ephesians.

### Wednesday Family Meal

**Wednesday | 5:00 - 6:00pm**

Join us this week for Chicken & Mashed Potatoes. The suggested donation is \$3 for individuals with a \$15 max per family. To help us plan, please RSVP using your MyBethany or by calling the church office by Monday afternoon.