

## Sunday Worship

**Prelude:** *It Was Finished Upon that Cross*

Welcome & Announcements

*All Creatures of our God and King*

*Let the Nations Be Glad*

Bethany Family Prayer

*Christus Victor (Amen)*

**Sermon:** Light in the Present

*Unto Him*

## Highlights

### Connecting Matters Class

**March 15th, 9:00AM | The Gathering Rm**

Discover why connecting with the church family is essential for following Jesus together. In this single-session class you'll explore biblical motivations for connection and learn how our Community Groups, ABC's, and serving opportunities help you live them out. Whether you're new to Bethany or looking to deepen relationships, this class will help you take your next step in belonging. Go to [bethanycentral.org/connecting](http://bethanycentral.org/connecting) to register.

### Baptism Opportunity: Good Friday

**Friday, April 3rd, 6:00 pm**

There is an opportunity to be baptized at our upcoming Good Friday service. If you are interested in participating, email [info@bethanycentral.org](mailto:info@bethanycentral.org) or call the church office. Connect with us to begin the process or to talk with someone from our ministry staff team with any questions or concerns you may have.

### Easter & Good Friday Services

Friday April 3rd, 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 5th, 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.

## Announcements & Events

### BEST Lunch & Learn

**Monday, March 9th, 11:00 am**

BEST (Boomers Engaged in Serving and Sharing Together) is hosting a lunch that will take place in the High School Room. Our Global Outreach partners, Shannon H. and Micaiah W., will share how the gospel is reaching the nations. Come be informed and encouraged—and be an encouragement to them in their outreach ministry Use your myBethany to RSVP or call the church office.

### Special Edition of The Table

**Saturday, March 21, 10 AM**

Join us for a **special edition of The Table** hosted by Bekah V. as she introduces **Novruz**, a Western Asian holiday that marks the beginning of spring and the Persian New Year. This unique gathering will take place in her home in Pekin and is a great opportunity to learn about another culture and continue the global focus from the GO Conference. **Space is limited**, so be sure to register today on MyBethany.

### Women's Bunco Night

**Friday, March 13, 6:30pm**

Join us for a fun and relaxed **Women's Bunco Night** in the café! Whether you've played before or are brand new, Bunco is easy to learn and a great way to spend time together. We'll enjoy snacks, laughter, and a friendly game—so invite a friend and come join the fun. RSVP on MyBethany.

### Prayer Team Recruitment Lunch

**Sunday, March 15th, 12:15 pm**

Join us in the High School Room for a Prayer Team lunch. If you're interested in learning more about the team or possibly joining, we'd love for you to come! Please RSVP to [lfisch1997@gmail.com](mailto:lfisch1997@gmail.com) so we can plan accordingly.

### Adult Co-ed Soccer

**Tuesdays | 6:00PM**

Soccer meets outside on the Bethany soccer fields from May-September and inside the Bethany gym from October-April. If you have any questions, contact Mandy Hobbs: [aswright@mail.bradley.edu](mailto:aswright@mail.bradley.edu).

### We Want to Pray for You!

It is our desire to be praying for you no matter what is happening in your life. Go to [bethanycentral.org/prayer](http://bethanycentral.org/prayer) or use the Bethany app to fill out a prayer request or share a praise so that our leaders, staff, prayer team, and church family can be in prayer for you personally.