
Bethel Prayer Concerns

Sunday, March 12, 2023



PRAYER REQUESTS

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PRAYER OF THE DAY

God my maker, hold me this day,
with the same hand that shapes the mountains,
with the same hand that cradles the deep.

Keep my heart soft and supple, make my faith strong and firm.

Renew me, re-form me, re-create me
into the image of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.

REFLECTIONS

As you read John 4:5-42, think about the meaning of water – its symbolic qualities, its presence in nature, and its use in human life. How is Jesus like water? What are the things that are most necessary in your life? Where do you get them? Contribute to or participate in a service project that provides clean water (or some other necessity of life) to people in need. As you do so, make a commitment to pray for all the providers and recipients of this service.



SCAN TO DONATE

Bethel Presbyterian Church Announcements

Childcare for infants and preschool age children is offered from 9:30 a.m. until noon in the nursery.

The Quiet Room is available during worship.

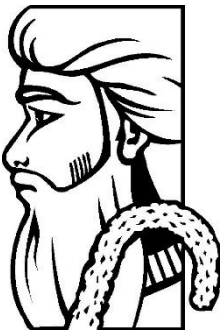
HOME FOOD COLLECTION

For the month of March our focus foods are **Canned Fruit & Applesauce**. These and other non-perishable food items can be brought in through-out the month and placed in the yellow collection boxes in the Gathering Area. Thank you for supporting our local food pantry efforts to help needy families in our community. Our in-worship collection will be Sunday, March 19th.



YOU ARE INVITED!

The children and youth Sunday School classes will be presenting the play **Let My People Go** about the Hebrew Exodus from Egypt. The play also highlights the elements of a ritual Seder meal. The play will be presented on **March 26 in the Fellowship Hall at 10:00 a.m.** We invite the congregation to support our children by attending this performance.



MARCH FELLOWSHIP SUPPER – SUNDAY 3/26

The fellowship committee has decided to try something new and move the fellowship meal to **Sunday, March 26th immediately following worship**. We request that

members bring food items to share that can be left in the kitchen during worship, either in the refrigerator or on the counter! There are plenty of outlets to be used if you would like to bring something to share in a crockpot as well.



ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING



Have You Fed Your Fish?

Gifts to One Great Hour of Sharing (OGHS):

- Support initiatives that create sustainable food systems and alleviate root causes of poverty so that all may be fed.
- Provide assistance alongside communities as they recover and find hope after natural or human-caused disasters.
- Provide resources and education to oppressed and disadvantaged communities working to overcome poverty and injustice through initiatives they own and directly benefit from.

Bethel will receive our OGHS Offering on Easter Sunday (4/9)



SUMMER CAMP



At Camp John Knox, campers ages 4 to 18 can play fun and crazy games, water ski, hold a snake, participate in engaging Bible studies, challenge themselves on the High Ropes Course, make new friends and explore God's creation.

Be a part of Camp John Knox this summer!
Visit johnknoxcenter.org for information on camp sessions and registration. **Our congregation**

encourages all our children to experience camp and offers scholarships to help with the cost. See Rev. Coleman for assistance.

Bethel Presbyterian Church Calendar

March 12 - March 19



Sun. 12	9:30	Sunday School
	9:30	Lenten Study (L)
	11:00	Worship (S)
	3:30–5:00	Grief Share (L)
Mon. 13	10:00	BAM Art Club (2nd fl)
	6:30	Family Promise (L)
	7:00	Boy Scouts (FH)
Tues. 14	10:00	Fiber Arts Group (2nd fl)
	Noon	SAIL Exercise class (FH)
	6:00–7:30	Tai Chi (GA)
Wed. 15	Noon	Parkinson's Support Group (FH)
	4:30-5:30	Bell Choir (C)
	6:00-7:15	Choir (C)
Thurs. 16	Noon	SAIL Exercise class (FH)
	5:00	CASA (L)
Fri. 17	10:00-11:00	Tai Chi (FH)
Sat. 18	9:00-1:00	Family Promise Board Training (FH)
	4:00-7:00	Cub Scouts (FH)
Sun. 19	9:30	Sunday School
	9:30	Lenten Study (L)
	11:00	Worship / HOME Food Collection (S)
	12:15	Session Mtg (L)
	3:30–5:00	Grief Share (L)

*C=Choir Room, S =Sanctuary, L=Library,
RR=Reading Room, FH=Fellowship Hall, GA=Gathering Area*