
Bethel Prayer Concerns

Sunday, March 26, 2023



PRAYER REQUESTS

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PRAYER OF THE DAY

O God, I know that you are the Lord,
for you gave me my life,
and caused me to rise this day.
Put your Spirit within me,
and let my words and actions
help others to know
that you are my Lord and my God. Amen.

REFLECTIONS

Why did Jesus weep in John 11:35? Was it out of compassion for Mary and Martha? Out of love for his friend Lazarus? Out of frustration with the people's lack of understanding or faith? Think about someone in your life who is grieving. Find a way to extend to that person the grace and peace of Christ.



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.



MARCH FELLOWSHIP SUPPER – TODAY AFTER WORSHIP (3/26)

Join us for supper in the Fellowship Hall after worship today.

THESE DAYS

a daily devotional, for April, May & June

is available on the table in the Gathering Area. Pick one up today. *“To nurture the daily practice of prayer and the reading of Scripture, there is solid help in the pages of These Days. The devotions wrestle faithfully with the doubts, joys, and challenges of the Christian life.”*

HOME FOOD COLLECTION

Thank you to everyone who contributed food for our March HOME collection. 57 pkgs of fruit, 11 pkgs of applesauce and 27 assorted foods were collected. Thank you for supporting our local food pantry and helping feed hungry folks in our community.

For the month of April our focus foods are **Pasta & Spaghetti Sauce**. These and other non-perishable food items can be brought in throughout the month and placed in the HOME collection basket in the Gathering Area.

Our in-worship collection will be Sunday, April 16th.

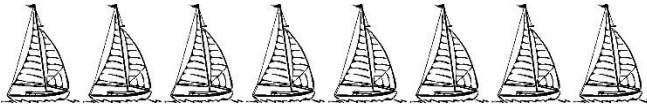


ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING



Have You Fed Your Fish?

One Great Hour of Sharing (OGHS) is an offering that makes the love of Christ real for communities around the world who suffer the effects of disaster, conflict, or severe economic hardship, and for those who serve them through gifts of money and time. Bethel will receive our OGHS Offering on Easter Sunday (4/9)



The Study team is planning **VBS on the water** again this year! Our children and youth will experience the journeys of Paul on **Saturday, July 15th** and this means we need a little help from the congregation.

Please let Cyndi Fowler or another member of the Study team know if you:

- Have a pontoon boat and/or a dock you are willing to share. The dock will not be needed all day.
- Have children's life jackets and are willing to loan them for a day.
- Are willing and able to assist at a location (story, craft, snack)
- Can help provide snacks or supplies (yet to be determined)
- Are willing to serve as a responsible adult on a pontoon boat

Thank you all in advance!

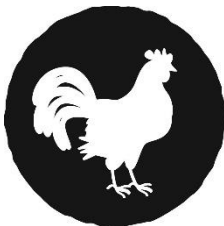
Bethel Presbyterian Church Calendar

March 26 – April 2



Sun. 26	10:00	Play: <u>Let My People Go</u> (FH)
	11:00	Worship (S)
	12:15	Fellowship Supper (FH)
	After Fellowship Supper	Transition Team (L)
	3:30–5:00	Grief Share (L)
Mon. 27	10:00	BAM Art Club (2nd fl)
	7:00	Boy Scouts (FH)
Tues. 28	10:00	Fiber Arts Group (2nd fl)
	Noon	SAIL Exercise class (FH)
	6:00–7:30	Tai Chi (GA)
Wed. 29	4:30-5:30	Bell Choir (C)
	6:00-7:15	Choir (C)
Thurs. 30	Noon	SAIL Exercise class (FH)
Fri. 31	10:00-11:00	Tai Chi (FH)
Sat. 1		
Sun. 2	9:30	Sunday School
	11:00	Worship / Palm Sunday (S)
	3:30–5:00	Grief Share (L)

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



Fifth Sunday

IN LENT