

The Lord's Day

October 4, 2026

Welcome | Announcements

CALL TO WORSHIP (based on Psalm 34)
I will bless the LORD at all times. O taste and see that the LORD is good. Come, you children, listen to me; I will teach you the fear of the LORD. Who is the man who desires life and loves length of days that he may see good? Depart from evil and do good. Many are the afflictions of the righteous, but the LORD delivers him out of them all. The LORD redeems the soul of His servants, and none of those who take refuge in Him will be condemned.

HYMN OF INVOCATION
Wonderful Grace of Jesus #467

Prayer of Invocation

SCRIPTURE READING
Psalm 267 Hymnal, page 793

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN
Almighty God, eternal Father, we acknowledge and confess to You that we were born in unrighteousness. Our life is full of sin and transgression. We have neither gladly believed Your Word nor followed Your holy commandments. For Your goodness' sake and for Your name's sake, be gracious to us, we pray, and forgive us all our sin, which is very great. Hear now our private confessions of sin.

Private Confession of Sin

ASSURANCE OF PARDON
God rescued us from the domain of darkness, and transferred us to the kingdom of His beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.
Colossians 1:13-14

HYMNS OF PRAISE
Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah
Jesus Loves Me #189

CONFESSION OF FAITH
Heidelberg Catechism, Q&A 79
Leader: Why does Christ call the bread His body and the cup His blood (or the new covenant in His blood), and why does Paul call it a sharing in the body and the blood of Christ?

Congregation: Christ speaks that way with great cause. He not only teaches us that, just as the bread and wine sustain this temporal life, so also His crucified body and shed blood are the true meat and drink of our souls unto life eternal.¹ But, much more, He assures us by this visible sign and pledge that we are as really partakers of His true body and blood by the working of the Holy Spirit, as we receive by the mouth of the body these holy tokens in remembrance of Him.² At the same time He assures us that all His sufferings and obedience are as certainly our own, as if we ourselves had suffered and done all in our own person.³
¹ Jn 6:51-55
² 1 Cor 5:16-17, 10:16-17, 11:26
³ Rom 6:5-11

Pastoral Prayer

Presenting Our Tithes & Offerings

GOD'S WORD PREACHED
Rev. Anton Heuss

HYMN OF RESPONSE
A Christian Home #719

BENEDICTION
DOXOLOGY
Gloria Patri #735

Sermon Notes

Ephesians 6:1-4 Hope for Children and Parents

- Paul's instructions to children

- Paul's instructions to parents

- Is long life guaranteed?

Evening Worship - 5:00PM
Titus 1:5-9
Why You Should Care about Church Government

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WEEKLY MINISTRIES
SUNDAY (CHILDREN AND YOUTH CLASSES MEET UPSTAIRS)
Adult Sunday School: church history in the American context
Children's SS classes: Great Commission Publication
High School SS class: Christian and non-Christian worldviews

WEDNESDAY (CHILDREN AND YOUTH CLASSES MEET UPSTAIRS)
Adult Night Bible Study: 12 week study of the Gospel of John
Gospel Kids (age 2 - PreK): Christ in the OT
Gospel Kids (1st to 5th): Christ in the OT
Jr. High Youth Group: Westminster Shorter Catechism
Sr. High Youth Group: Sermon on the Mount

For more details, please visit the information board in the foyer or the website.

ROCTOBER YOUTH RETREAT: STILL INTERESTED?
If you are still interested in attending the overnight fall youth retreat on October 9-10, please contact Michelle or Gio.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING: OCTOBER 25
The Session is calling a congregational meeting on Sunday, October 25, 2026, after morning worship for officer elections and to update you on our finances. The Session has examined and commends to your consideration Marcus McArthur for the officer of ruling elder. Several other men were nominated and attended officer training but, because of time constraints, are unable to serve at this time. Also, the deacons have studied trends in our giving and expenses. During the meeting Jim will provide us with an update so we can rally together and meet our needs.

LET'S CELEBRATE – BETHEL TURNS 50!
For 50 years, God has been faithful to Bethel Church. We will give thanks to the Lord for His ministry to us at Bethel! It's good to pause, look back, celebrate, and give thanks! It does our hearts good to take the time to "taste and see that the Lord is good".

Saturday – November 7th Details:
The fun begins at 1:00PM
Dinner starts at 4:00PM
RSVP using the QR code.



Sunday – November 8th Details:
Join us at church as we celebrate God's goodness and faithfulness to us in the last year! Everyone is invited, including visitors and friends. It's a great time of fun and fellowship!

THIS WEEK AT BETHEL

SUNDAY, October 4

Sunday School	9:30AM
Morning Worship	10:45AM
Evening Service	5:00PM

Titus 1:5-9

Why You Should Care -- Church Government

Wednesday, October 7

Gospel Kids	6:30PM
Adult Bible Study	6:30PM

Saturday, October 10

Dog & Park Day	9:30AM
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SUNDAY, October 11

Sunday School	9:30AM
Morning Worship	10:45AM
Evening Service	5:00PM

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

10/10	- Dog & Park Day	9:30AM
11/7	-Harvest Fest	1:00PM

*See Announcements

SNACK AND CLEAN-UP TEAMS

If you have committed to serve **Thank You!**
Your rotation for **October** is listed below.
(1=first Sunday etc.)

- 1- Kramm
- 2- McArthur
- 3- Cluster
- 4- Ogbu

BETHEL NURSERY SCHEDULE

Date	Sunday School	Nursery Worker 1	Nursery Worker 2	Nursery Helper
10/4/26	Renee O & Alie Avonleigh &	Donna Postema	Alie Butterfield	Whitaker Butterfield
10/11/26	Megan	Bethany McClintick	Renee Osborne	Avonleigh Pinon
10/18/26	Debra & Tariya	Renee Vos	Victoria Diesing	Theadora Diesing

The nursery is for children age 4 and under and is located to the right of the sanctuary by the women's restrooms. All nursery workers complete background checks and MinistrySafe Training yearly. The wiggle room is across the hall and includes a nursing room. This space is for parents to use with their young children. The service is streamed there as well so you won't miss out! The busy cart is located outside the main doors and has activities and supplies for all ages to keep kids engaged during the service.

Please know all kids are welcome in service, including the crying and wiggly ones. Our mission is for even the youngest among us to hear the gospel each week!

PRAYER UPDATES

Brian: continues to suffer with chronic pain from previous shoulder surgeries and repairs. Please pray for wisdom as new surgical options are considered.

Don: is at The Belmont in Allen. Please pray for healing for Don and comfort for both Don and Mary Anne as they are apart from one another in this season of life.

Sharon: has hip and knee pain. Please pray that she will be able to have hip surgery she needs to help relieve her pain.

Zachary: is completing his military service. Please pray that God would provide him a job, preferably here in Dallas so he can be near family.

MINISTRY STAFF & CHURCH INFORMATION

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SUNDAY SCHOOL COORDINATOR

Renee Vos

MUSIC COORDINATOR

Gay Kramm

NURSERY COORDINATOR

Victoria Diesing

WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP TEAM

Carol Bult, Victoria Diesing,
Leah Heuss, Debra Storgaard

CHURCH EMAIL GROUPS

Want to receive church emails with prayer requests and information about upcoming events?

Please email our office manager at
office@bethelchurchpca.org

CHURCH BUSINESS OFFICE

Tuesday: 9:00AM-5:00PM
Wednesday - Friday: 9:00AM-2:00PM
Phone: 972-248-4401

Please submit bulletin announcements by 10:00AM on Thursday to
bulletin@bethelchurchpca.org



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Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right. Honor your father and mother (which is the first commandment with a promise), so that it may be well with you, and that you may live long on the earth.

Ephesians 6:1-3

MISSION STATEMENT

Because the gospel of Christ changes everything, our mission is to spread the gospel of Christ so that Bethel Church, North Dallas, and the world grow in Him.

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GOSPEL for *growth*