

Welcome to Bethany General Baptist Church October 31, 2021

Sunday Morning Message: Are Christian's Cannibals?

Scripture Text: John 6:51-58

Special Music: Allen, Linda and Bryan

Next Week's Special Music: "Changed Heart"

Bible Reading Challenge: Read your bible every day!

Remember, reading just 4-5 chapters/day and you will have read the entire Bible in under a year.

Your Weekly Opportunities

Today:

- 9:30 a.m. Sunday School. (Invite a friend)
- 10:30 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship (Holy Communion)
- 6:00 p.m. 5th Sunday Night Sing-a-Long. Let Harlan know if you want to sing.

Monday:

- 7:00 p.m. Baptist Women's World Day of Prayer at 2nd General Baptist Church of Malden.

Wednesday:

- 6:00 p.m. Scriptural Prayers: The Prayer of Jabez (1 Chronicles 4:9-10) (Final Lesson)

Saturday:

- 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Bethany Cemetery Chili/Stew Supper Fundraiser at the Center. All profits go towards the annual maintenance of the Cemetery.

Next Sunday: TURN YOUR CLOCKS BACK 1 HOUR!

- 10:30 a.m. Harvest Sunday with "Changed Heart"
- 11:30 a.m. Potluck Dinner at the Center.
- 6:00 p.m. The Kingsmen Quartet will be singing at the Sunnyvale GBC. No services at Bethany.

Needs of Freedom House: Window Washer Fluid, Dex-Cool Antifreeze, 5w20 Motor Oil and 5w30 Motor Oil, All purpose Cleaner, Trash bags (39g, 20g and 55g) Laundry Pods and Bleach.

For those who would like to give to the church online (Tithing, Donation to a particular project, Missions, etc), there is a "Donation Button" on the front page of the church website at *www.BethanyGBC.com) in which you can choose to give any amount. It is there for your convenience.

There are **some blue classroom chairs to those who desire to have one.** If you wish to make a small donation (not required), please see one of the Trustees. (Larry Brown; Harlan Loafman or R. J. Riddle)

Christmas Donations for the residents of Freedom House. They are hoping to get \$65.00/resident by Black Friday to take advantage of the sales. A wooden box for your donation is on the table in the church lobby.

You can **start bringing in can goods and non-perishables for Christmas**, as it will help the deacons to do Christmas baskets in December. Thank you in advance.

Sunday, November 7, 2021 @ 10:30 a.m. **Harvest Sunday** with special singers: "Changed Heart" followed by a **potluck dinner at the Center. Purpose of offering is to raise monies to do a good repair job on the church road.**

Saturday, December 11, 2021 from 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. the Woman's Missionary Society will have a **spaghetti supper fund raiser and silent auction.** If you have donations for the silent auction, please see one of the WMS members.

God's Sign of Love

There had to be a cross – some meaningful dramatization of God's will and way for persons in this world. Without the cross there would be no gospel. It is understandable why the cross was a stumbling block to the Jews and foolishness to the Greeks; neither had a gospel – no recent word from God, no good news following their dark Fridays!

I, Not YOU!

The scholarly Scotsman, William Barclay, shared the story of a missionary who went to an Indian village to tell the story of Jesus. Following his talk, the Christian showed slide presentations of Jesus, using a white washed wall for the screen. When the picture of Christ on the cross appeared, a man sprang to his feet, exclaiming, "Come down from that cross, Son of God. I, not You, should be hanging there!"

Are You Prepared?

Joseph Addison went to Oxford in the seventeenth century and applied for admission at Magdalen College. He was ushered into a room dropped in black and lighted by a single taper. When the president of the college – a gloomy Puritan—appeared, the candidate's examination related not to Latin, Greek, or literature, as he had thought, but to his personal faith. Suddenly the young man was asked, "Are you prepared for death?" Whereupon Addison fled, never to return.

Bethany General Baptist Church



Pastor Bryan Johnson

(573) 276-2513 (Office)

(573) 276-8536 (Cell)

www.BethanyGBC.com