

WELCOME

to Bethel Lutheran Church!

We are glad you are here to worship with us on this second Sunday in Lent. Thanks for coming! We hope you’ll walk with us through the next days of Lent. May you be encouraged, inspired, and challenged by our service today!

* You are invited to stand, as you are able

All who believe in Jesus as Lord and Savior are welcome and encouraged to join us for communion, regardless of church membership or denomination.

The Gathering Music: “Take Up Your Cross”
Steve Millikan
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The Welcome/Announcements

The Children’s Message: Pastor John Lestock

*The Opening Song: “Lord Send Me”
Don Moen
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*The Pastoral Greeting:
Leader: Let us begin in the Name of the Lord of all Life...
People: In the Name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. Amen!

*The Lenten Litany:

L: Lord, we come asking You to walk with us on our Lenten journey!
P: Help us to use this time to reflect on our lives, our priorities, and our direction.

L: Help us to look deep within ourselves and to know what to keep and what to discard...
P: Give us the wisdom and strength to lay down our self-centeredness and pride for lives of humility.

L: Keep us grounded in Your Word and truth...
P: Keep us moving towards You and the values of Your kingdom.

*The Prayer:
L: God of Grace and Mercy...
P: We know we need Your gift of new beginnings each day in our lives. In our struggles against temptation help is to live as Your forgiven people. Amen!

The Gospel Lesson: Mark 8:34-37

The Message: “Gains and Losses” Pastor John Lestock

*The Song: “Mighty To Save”
Ben Fielding and Reuben Morgan
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*The Nicene Creed pg. 104

**We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and seen.**

**We believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father;
through him all things were made.
for us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary
and became truly human.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the scriptures;
he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of
the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

*The Offering Prayer:
L: Our Good and Gracious God,
P: Receive these humble gifts. We give them with generous hearts and an eye towards those in need. Accept them as a reflection of our love for You. Amen!

Giving Our First and Best to God Through Our Offering

The Offering Music: “For The Sake Of The Call”
Steven Curtis Chapman
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*The Great Thanksgiving:
L: The Lord is with you.
P: The Lord is with you, too.
L: Lift up your hearts.
P: We lift them to the Lord.
L: Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God!
P: It is good, to give our thanks and praise!
L: It is right, good, and important for us to gather around this table and these gifts, and to remember God’s love and goodness. We believe there is more taking place here than the eye can see. God has come Into this space, and at this time; to forgive our sins, draw us together as a family, and to empower us to go, as different people!

*Breaking the Bread/Sharing the Wine

*The Lord’s Prayer:
**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be Your name.
Your kingdom come, Your will be done,
on earth, as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins,
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are Yours, now and forever. Amen.**

*The Invitation to Communion:
These are God’s gifts of grace for God’s people...Come and receive!

*The Communion Blessing

*The Prayers of God’s People:
L: Hear us lord...
P: Your mercy is great!

*The Closing Blessing

*The Closing Song: "Friend Of God"
Michael Gungor and Israel Houghton
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WE HOLD IN PRAYER

THOSE WHO ARE SICK, INJURED AND IN NEED OF HEALING:
Joe Alms, Carol Amdahl, Marlin Amdahl, Barry Anderson, Marlys Anderson, Roger Becker, Jason Benson, Jon & Colleen Berglund & Family, Jeff Bowers, Edna Bowman, Gwen Collins, Teresa Dickman, Darlene Ecker, Paul Engebretson, Lee Felter, Janet Gavic, Kaye Gavic, Herb Giese Patrick Gibbons, Oscar Grothaus, Jane Hanson, Joy Hanson, Tyler Hanson, Sharon Haugo, Sam Head, Jerry Hedtke, Patti Heidemann, Tom Hugdahl, Leah & Isabel Isakson, Jan Johnson, Jerry Johnson, Joe Kinney, Amanda Leitzke, Ruth Lewis, Bill Libby, Laura Lindahl, Mary Martin, Brent Myster, Lacey Nolan, Donna Offerdahl, Duane Peterson, Terri Pomeroy, Marge Sandfort, Betty Seastedt, Sharon & Jon Sippel, Tim Sonnenberg, Donna Mae Stohlmann, Ralph Swenson, Dick Trende, Paul Vandersteen, Eli Wiggs.

THOSE SERVING OR DEPLOYED IN THE MILITARY:
Scotty Krause, Charlie Richards, Peyton Massie, Cheyanne Massie, Charles Kemper, Maija Agee, Tom Hitzke

TECHNICAL ASSISTANTS: Tom Prestin, Jacob Berg, Larry Quam, Vicki Datt.

*The Sending:
L: Now go as God's people...
P: We go to be faithful to Christ, As we continue our Lenten Journey!

The New Song Band	Bass: Eric Possehl
Vocalists: Tracey Jenkinson	Drums: Gus Linden
Craig Koehnen	Guitar: Will Suit
Katy Possehl	Sam Chapman
Piano/Keys: Craig Koehnen	
Calla Jenkinson	

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- Billy Graham

"Gains and Losses"

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