

Order of Worship

July 9, 2023

Prelude Karen Schreur, Worship Leader

Christ Candle Olaf Storbakken

Welcome Pastor Mark Brouwer

Songs of Praise *Let it Rise*
Rejoice
My God, How Wonderful You Are

Congregational Prayer Charlene Brouwer

Song *Glorious Day*

Offertory Prayer Linda Zgaynor, Deacon

Offering Ongoing Ministries of Bethel

Second Offering The Gideons

Message: *"Living Faith in Our Public Lives"*
Ephesians 4:15
Pastor Mark

Communion

Song of Response *What the Lord Has Done in Me*

Parting Blessing Pastor Mark Brouwer

Come Let Us Pray Together!

We recognize the importance of praying for each other whether it be for a personal concern or joy that you wish to share. Please feel free to come to the front of the Worship Center after the service and someone with a "Prayer Servant" name tag will pray with you for whatever you would like to hold up to our great God.



TODAY WE CELEBRATE THE LORD'S SUPPER – This past week we examined our lives, hearts, and consciences. If you desire to live in faithful obedience before God and in love and peace with your neighbors, please join us in this meal. When we come to the table with true repentance for our sins, believing in Jesus Christ as our Savior, He welcomes us with loving arms to taste His goodness and to participate in the joy of His kingdom. **Please be informed that the communion elements are grape juice and bread. There are gluten-free wafers in a cup on the bread tray.**

SECOND OFFERING TODAY – THE GIDEONS: Bibles and New Testament Bibles are placed in hotels, hospitals, nursing homes, doctors' offices, crisis pregnancy centers, and are also distributed to disaster areas.

"Go therefore and make disciples of all nations..." Matthew 28:19

PASTOR MARK is planning to have a Q&A session **TODAY** after the worship service. Our guest facilitators are LeRoy Koppendrayner and Betsy Wergin.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING: There will be a short Congregational meeting on July 16th following our church service. We will be looking at the budget—especially contributing to Ministry Shares. All are encouraged to attend!

BOOK TALK BOOK CLUB: The meeting is tomorrow, *Monday, July 10th* at 6:30pm here at Bethel.

LADIES: Lunch is at the Timber Valley Grille in Milaca, MN this *Tuesday, July 11th*, at 11:45am or you can meet at Bethel at 11:30am and car pool.

IGNITE FIRESIDE CHAT: The Ignite Fireside Chat will be this *Wednesday evening, July 12th*, at 7:00pm here at Bethel.

COMMUNICATION CARD

Thank you for coming to worship
with us this morning.
Please stay after the service for refreshments
and visit with one another.

Name: _____

Address: _____

E-mail: _____

Phone: _____

Other information: _____

Please drop this slip in the Offering Basket

____ *I would like a call from the Pastor*

____ *I would like my e-mail added to the
prayer chain at Bethel CRC*

____ *Please update my contact information;
it has changed*

____ *I am a visitor and would like more
information about Bethel CRC*

PRAYER REQUEST

If there is anything we can pray about on your behalf, please fill out this card and put it in the offering plate or in the Secretary's mailbox

Name: _____

Prayer Request: _____

Please let us know where you want your prayer request to go:

____ Friday Morning Prayer Group

____ Pastor only

____ Put on Prayer Chain (e-mail)

____ Put in Prayer Corner (bulletin)



Do you know an AMAZING Early Childhood teacher with a passion for Christian education? Community Christian School is seeking an Early Childhood teacher for the 2023-2024 school year. Our ideal candidate is a licensed professional who will energetically and faithfully lead a self-contained classroom of eager students and thrive in a Christ-centered environment. A full job description and application can be found on our website. <https://www.ccspease.com/about/careers.cfm> Contact Amy Banks at 320.369.4239 or abanks@ccspease.com if you'd like more information.

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, July 9 Communion	9:30am	Worship Service —Pastor Mark Brouwer Q&A following worship service
Monday, July 10	6:30pm	Book Talk Book Club
Tuesday, July 11	11:30am 6:30pm	Ladies' Lunch Out— Timber Valley Grille Deacons Meeting
Wednesday, July 12	7:00pm	Ignite Fireside Chat — Bethel
Thursday, July 13	6:00pm	Elders Meeting
Friday, July 14	8:00am	Prayer at Bethel
Sunday, July 16	9:30am	Worship Service—Pastor Mark Brouwer

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OFFICE HOURS: (closed Mondays) Tuesday—Friday: 9:00am—2:00pm

PASTOR Mark Brouwer 651-246-6525

Tues.—Fri.: 8:30am—4:30pm Sat.: 8:30am—12:00pm

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Sunday, July 9, 2023

Pastor Mark Brouwer



OUR MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of Bethel Church is to glorify God in worship and our daily living, to evangelize His world, and to connect people to God so that they become part of a Christian community. We will accomplish this through prayer, joyful worship, Biblical training, use of spiritual gifts, Christian fellowship, and outreach in our community.