## **Order of Worship**

## November 5, 2023

Welcome	Pastor Mark Brouwer	
Christ Candle	Hanna Morris	
Songs of Praise	Days of Elijah	
	How Great is Our God	
	Mighty to Save	
Congregational Prayer	Charlene Brouwer	
Song	He Will Hold Me Fast	
Offertory Prayer	Dorothy Swanson, Deacon	
Offering	<b>Ongoing Ministries of Bethel</b>	
Second Offering	World Renew: World Hunger	
"THE RENEWED LIFE: — Key 7: Forging an Authentic Faith"		
1 Corinthians 13:8-12		
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Song of Response	My Friends May You Grow in Grace	
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. Welcome to all who have come to worship our Lord this morning. May each of you experience God's blessing in some small way today and throughout the week.

## SECOND OFFERING TODAY FOR WORLD HUNGER ALONG WITH THE DISTRIBUTION OF THE PETER FISH. Every au-

tumn a school of Peter Fish make their way from churches in North America to communities all over the world, supporting World Renew's work renewing hope, reconciling lives, and restoring creation. Through this year's World Hunger campaign, you too can feed the Peter Fish! The Peter Fish will be handed out next week and are due back by **Sunday, November 19th**.

## NEXT SUNDAY WE WILL CELEBRATE THE LORD'S SUPPER: We

invite you to join in a time of joyful, life-changing reflection in preparation for participating in communion. We remember that celebrating the Lord's Supper is a time to reflect on God's grace and a time to ask how we can live in response to God's grace. We invite you to consider the words of Psalm 139: 23, 24 as you prepare, "Search me, O God, and know my heart; test me and know my anxious thoughts. See if there is any offensive way in me and lead me in the way everlasting."

### THE DEACONS HAVE DECIDED TO PURCHASE AN AED UNIT. AED

stands for "Automated External Defibrillator" which is used to revive someone from a cardiac arrest or restore a heart's rhythm. If you are willing to donate to this purchase, please let one of the deacons know. Thank you!

**WORLD RENEW GIFT CATALOG** is available on the Coffee Break table in the Gathering Place. Some people, in lieu of giving gifts at Christmas, place an order to purchase animals, free a family, provide health and nutrition, water and hygiene, disaster response items, ways to grow food, education and learning, economic opportunities, bicycles or wheelchairs in honor of their parents/children/grandchildren. If this interests you, pick up a catalog!

# COMMUNICATION CARD

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

## 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:

<u>LADIES LUNCH OUT</u> — Meet at Pizza Central in Milaca around 11:45am on Tuesday, November 14, 2023 or leave from Bethel after Coffee Break around 11:30am and carpool to Milaca.

### THE RENEWED LIFE

Key 1: Commitment Key 2: Environment Key 3. Healthy Community Key 4: Facing Compulsions Key 5. Emotional Awareness 6. Peace With Your Past

## Weekly Calendar

Sunday, November 5	9:30am	Worship Service—Pastor Mark Brouwer
	10:50am	Sunday School
Monday, November 6	7:00pm	Men to Action!
Tuesday, November 7	9:30am	Coffee Break—Lesson 7
Wednesday, November 8	6:00pm	Wednesday's Table
	6:30pm	Ignite Youth Group
Thursday, November 9	6:30pm	Deacons Meeting
	6:30pm	Elders Meeting
	7:30pm	Council Meeting
Friday, November 10	8:00am	Friday Prayer Group
	6:30pm	Game Night
Saturday, November 11	9:00am	Bethel Membership Seminar
Sunday, November 12	9:30am	Worship Service—Pastor Mark Brouwer
	10:50am	Sunday School

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## Sunday, November 5, 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.

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)