

# Order of Worship

October 27, 2024

**\*Song of Praise**                      **All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name**

**Christ Candle**    **Arlee Didier**

**Welcome**    **Pastor Mark Brouwer**

**\*Songs of Praise**    **Here I am to Worship  
His Glory and My Good  
Hymn of Heaven**

**Congregational Prayer**    **Kim Erickson, Elder**

**Children age 3—1st Grade dismissed to Children in Worship**

**Offerings**    **Ongoing Ministries of Bethel**

## Message

**"Godliness in a Tribal World"**

**1 Peter 2:11-21**

**Pastor Mark**

**\*Song of Response**    **Refiner's Fire**

**Parting Blessing**    **Pastor Mark Brouwer**

***\*stand if you are able***

## **Come Let Us Pray Together!**

We recognize the importance of praying for each other whether it be for a personal concern or a 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 God.

All prayer matters are kept confidential.

## TODAY'S TEXT

<sup>11</sup> Dear friends, I urge you, as foreigners and exiles, to abstain from sinful desires, which wage war against your soul. <sup>12</sup> Live such good lives among the pagans that, though they accuse you of doing wrong, they may see your good deeds and glorify God on the day he visits us.

<sup>13</sup> Submit yourselves for the Lord's sake to every human authority: whether to the emperor, as the supreme authority, <sup>14</sup> or to governors, who are sent by him to punish those who do wrong and to commend those who do right. <sup>15</sup> For it is God's will that by doing good you should silence the ignorant talk of foolish people. <sup>16</sup> Live as free people, but do not use your freedom as a cover-up for evil; live as God's slaves. <sup>17</sup> Show proper respect to everyone, love the family of believers, fear God, honor the emperor.

<sup>18</sup> Slaves, in reverent fear of God submit yourselves to your masters, not only to those who are good and considerate, but also to those who are harsh. <sup>19</sup> For it is commendable if someone bears up under the pain of unjust suffering because they are conscious of God. <sup>20</sup> But how is it to your credit if you receive a beating for doing wrong and endure it? But if you suffer for doing good and you endure it, this is commendable before God. <sup>21</sup> To this you were called, because Christ suffered for you, leaving you an example, that you should follow in his steps.



**LAST SUNDAY** the Peter Fish came swimming into Bethel. They would like you to fill them up with coins, dollar bills, or checks. Then on **November 10th**, which is "**World Renew—World Hunger**" Sunday, they will swim back to World Renew to be distributed to feed those who are less fortunate in North America and other countries around the world. Pick up your Peter Fish if you have not done so!

**PAUL'S MISSIONARY JOURNEYS IN TURKEY & THE SEVEN CHURCHES OF REVELATION (May 27 - June 8, 2025):** Visit ancient sites connected with Paul's First, Second, and Third Missionary Journeys as well as the seven churches to whom John wrote the Book of Revelation. Join Jeff Weima, professor at Calvin Theological Seminary and leading biblical scholar, for this inspirational biblical tour. Contact Dr. Weima at [616-328- 3110](tel:616-328-3110) or [weimje@calvinseminary.edu](mailto:weimje@calvinseminary.edu).

**"DEAR BETHEL,** We can move away and you still take such good care of us. Thanks so much for the luncheon and the willingness to do it. Bethel is the best. Wes is in heaven saying a big thank you."  
**The Family of Wes Geurkink**



**THANK YOU** to everyone who was so kind, brought meals, sent cards, and offered heartfelt prayers on my behalf after my eye surgery and the following complications. Thank you also for your prayers for Richard's transition to long term memory care. I know that without all the prayers and support of family and friends, navigating these past several weeks would have been so much harder. Thank you.

**Richard and Betsy Wergin**



**On SUNDAY, OCTOBER 3rd at 2:00am** daylight savings time ends. So, turn your clocks back an hour Saturday night before bed so you are on time for church the next day!

**Servant Schedule**

	<b>October 27, 2024</b>	<b>November 3, 2024</b>
<b>Greeters</b>	Harv & Karen S.	Tom & Heather K.
<b>Christ Candle</b>	Arlee D.	Maverick K.
<b>Congregational Prayer</b>	Kim E., Elder	Tom K., Elder
<b>Nursery</b>	Lisa C. / Arielle S.	Jolene H. / Brittney L.
<b>CIW Leader</b>	Patrick C.	Julie DH
<b>CIW Helper</b>	Hanna M.	Joel DH
<b>CIW Teacher in Training</b>	Brenda VH	Heather K.
<b>CIW Helper in Training</b>	Arielle S.	none
<b>Coffee Cafe</b>	Pat G. / Shannon L.	Charlene B. / Brenda VH
<b>PowerPoint</b>	Alissa L.	Christian S
<b>Second Offering</b>	<b>none</b>	<b>none</b>

**Weekly Calendar**

<b>Sunday, October 27</b>	9:30am 10:45am	Worship Service—Pastor Mark Brouwer Sunday School & Q&A
<b>Tuesday, October 29</b>	9:30am	Coffee Break
<b>Wednesday, October 30</b>	6:30pm	IGNITE Youth Group
<b>Friday, November 1</b>	8:00am	Prayer Group
<b>Saturday, November 2</b>	10:00am	BookTalk BookClub
<b>Sunday, October 27</b>	9:30am 10:45am	Worship Service—Pastor Mark Brouwer Sunday School & Q&A

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**OFFICE HOURS:** (closed Mondays) Tuesday—Friday: 9:00am—2:00pm  
**PASTOR** Mark Brouwer **Tues—Fri: 9:00am—5:00pm Sat—8:00am—12:00pm**  
**ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT:** Connie Bartz  
**WORSHIP COORDINATOR:** Rebecca Shaw (Wednesdays)



**Bethel**  
 christian reformed church

**Sunday, October 27, 2024**



**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.