

SERVANT SCHEDULE

	September 13, 2026 Communion	September 20, 2026
Greeters	Brian & Tara W.	Lance & Kim E.
Christ Candle	Hanna M.	Gumby C.
Congregational Prayer	Charlene B.	Rob B., former Elder
Children's Message	n/a	Julie DH
Children in Worship Helpers Lesson	Heather K. Terri K. Orientation	Ken K. Hanna M. "The Light"
Children's Church Helpers Lesson	Melissa T. Gail VP "Creation"	Gumby C. Muriel McM "The Light"
Nursery	Kim E. / Shannon E.	Kathy K. / Lisa C.
Coffee Cafe	Tara W. / Phyllis K.	Carolyn K. / CaraBeth H.
Computer	Christian S.	Elijah M.
Second Offering	none	none

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, September 13 Communion	9:30am 10:50am	Worship Service – Pastor Mark Brouwer Sunday School for grades 6-12
Tuesday, September 15	9:30am 5:00pm 6:00pm	Games for Ladies Deacon and Elder Meetings Council Meeting
Wednesday, September 16	1:00pm 5:30pm 6:00pm	Gathering & Games Wednesday's Table the Ark, Adult Bible Study, Q&A
Friday, September 18	8:00am	Prayer Group – all are welcome to join!
Saturday, September 19	4:00pm	RRLCC Fundraiser
Sunday, September 20	9:30am 10:50am	Worship Service – Pastor Mark Brouwer Sunday School for grades 6-12



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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 (see office hours above)

WORSHIP COORDINATOR: Rebecca Shaw (Wednesdays)



September 13, 2026
Pastor Mark Brouwer

Welcome in the
name of our
Lord and Savior,
Jesus Christ

***Opening Song of Praise**
Christ Candle

The Joy
Hanna Morris

Welcome

Pastor Mark

***Songs of Praise**

Christ Our Hope in Life and Death
Bless God
I Exalt Thee

Congregational Prayer

Charlene Brouwer

Offering
Announcements

Ongoing Ministries of Bethel
Pastor Mark

"How the Church is Losing Its Way"
James 2:14-19
Pastor Mark

Communion

***Song of Response**

Nothing but the Blood of Jesus

***Parting Blessing**

Pastor Mark

***Please feel free to sit when you need to**

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 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. **The communion elements are grape juice and bread; gluten-free wafers are in a cup on the bread tray.**



CHILDREN IN WORSHIP, CHILDREN'S CHURCH, AND SUNDAY SCHOOL all begin today! Children in Worship takes place during the worship service for those children ages 3-Kindergarten; Children's Church takes place during the worship service and is for children 1st-3rd grades; Sunday School is for those children who are grades 6-12 and meets at 10:50am.

The flower bouquet on the organ this week is for **Princeton Book and Bible**. Pray for this business and its employees throughout the week.

URGENTLY NEEDED – Teachers for Children's Church. This group includes children from 1st grade through 3rd grade. If God has placed this ministry on your heart, talk to Bethany Servanty or Melissa Terpstra. It takes place during our regular worship service.

COFFEE BREAK – There is a sign-up sheet on the Information Table if you are interested in attending Coffee Break for the 2026-27 year. It will begin on September 22nd at 9:30am. Come and pick up your study guide and enjoy the 10-week study on I & 2 Timothy.

WE WOULD LIKE TO THANK EVERYONE for their support after Jeff's accident! We feel the love. The cards, prayers, and great turnout for the fundraiser are awesome. Thanks to those who organized, cooked, donated, helped behind the scenes, set up, and cleaned up! He will have a long recovery. Please continue prayers for healing of his spinal cord. **Jeff and Jody Rice**

"DEAR BETHEL VOLUNTEERS,
 First of all, thank you for joining Princeton Community Table! And, then, thank you for your two great dinners, hamburgers with all the trimmings and spaghetti.
 You, volunteers, were as impressive as your menus, maybe more so. Clearly, you not only know how to put on a dinner, but how to fully staff it. Thank you all, and we look enthusiastically ahead to working together in future months and years." **Deanna Louie for PCT**

NURSERY is in need of **helpers**! Please let the Connie B. know if you want to be in the nursery to care for our little ones during the worship service. You will serve every 4-6 weeks, depending on how many volunteers talk to Connie!! Thank you!!



PRINCETON COMMUNITY TABLE: Princeton Community Table moves to **Trinity Lutheran Church** for its **Sep 24**, Oct 22, and Dec 10 free fellowship dinners, with Christ Our Light Catholic and Trinity Lutheran hosting. Dinner is served 4:30- 6:00 pm. Guests and volunteers are all welcome! The menu is stuffed pork chops, green beans with onion and bacon, applesauce, sliced tomatoes and lemon cake. Hope to see you there! Volunteers and their families and friends always eat before or after their shifts. Those wishing to volunteer, check out the available times using this code. 

GAP SHIRTS AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE: If you were unable to attend the Pork Chop Fundraiser for GAP last Wednesday, T-shirts are now available for you to purchase. Grace Erickson will have a table set up in the Gathering Place with samples to look at and order forms to customize the type of shirt you would like. She will be at "her" table for the next 2-3 weeks. Cash and check are accepted forms of payment.



"The **GAP TEAM** wants to '**thank you very much**' for supporting our brothers and sisters in Guatemala by participating in our Pork Chop Fundraiser this past Wednesday evening! It was a great night and we are grateful to each of you! Because of your support, we are making great progress toward our goal for this year's contribution to World Renew's work in Guatemala. **THANKS AGAIN!"**



OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Courtney Stewart has graciously agreed to be the new coordinator for Operation Christmas Child! Thank you, Courtney!



BOOK TALK BOOK CLUB

The new book for this next month is entitled, *The Lost Girls of Paris* by Pam Jenoff. It takes place in 1946, Manhattan.

The next meeting will be on **Saturday, October 3, 2026** at 10:00am.



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.