

Prayers for the people.

ParkviewManor(Ellsworth) - Gerda Janssen

Mikayla Kunerth, Paul Altena

The George-Little Rock Bread of Life/Food Pantry Ministry is looking for donations of chunky soups this November. If you have some to share, please bring them to the church by November 18. Last month, we helped out 46 families, which included 84 adults and 29 kids.

Don't forget, our next distribution is on Wednesday, November 19, at Immanuel Lutheran Church in George, IA. A huge thank you to all our amazing supporters! Your contributions really make a difference!

****Volunteers Needed:**** On November 19, Bethel will have the honor of supporting Bread of Life in George at 4:30 PM at Immanuel Lutheran Church. We are seeking 12 to 16 dedicated volunteers, including six strong individuals ready to lift boxes into patrons' cars. Let's unite our efforts and make a meaningful impact! Please check your calendar and sign up. A sign-up sheet is available in the fellowship hall. Together, we can bring hope to our communities!

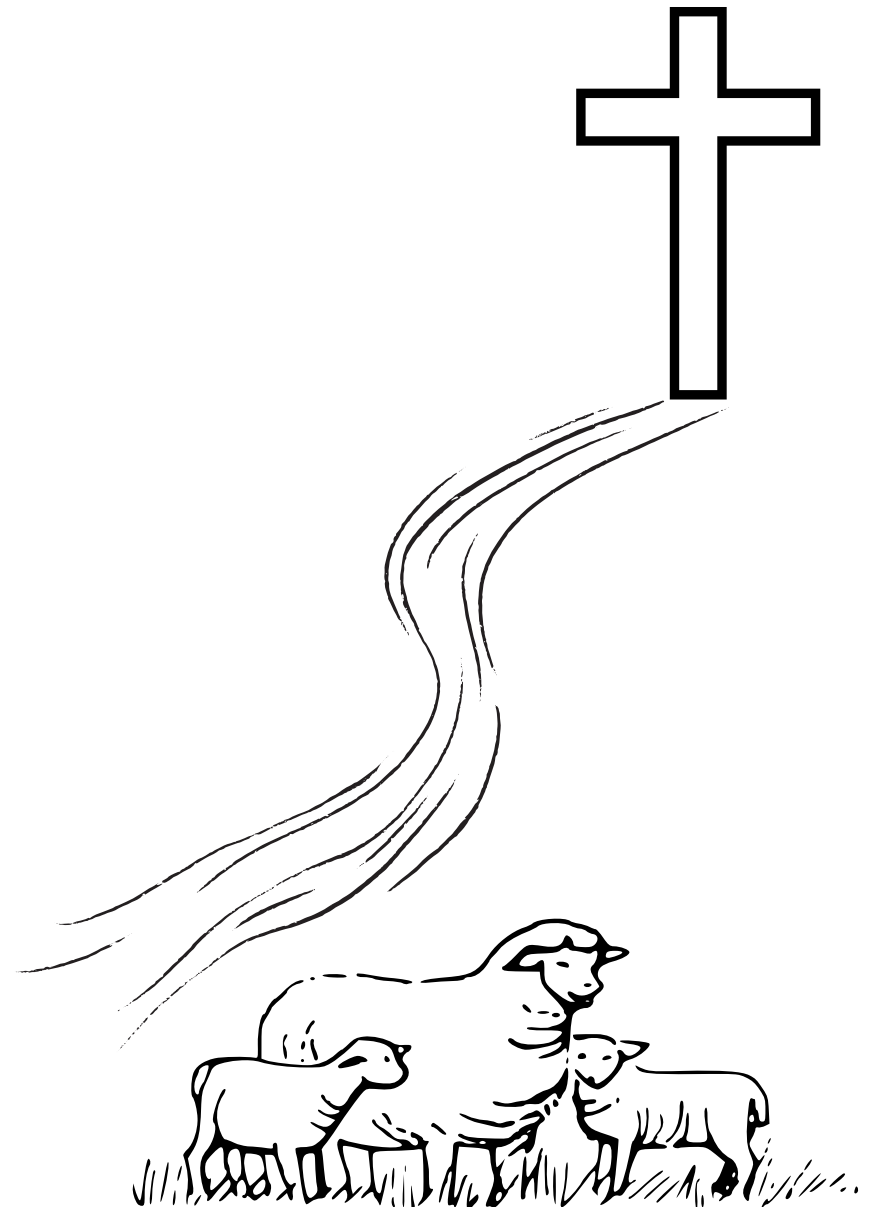
Sunday Night Bible Study will **not** meet tonight. Come back next week for our wrap up to our study of Genesis.

Thank you for all the thank you's and other demonstrations of appreciation shown during Pastor Appreciation Month. The cupcakes were delicious and the fellowship delightful! - Pastor Scott, Becca and Ian

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Bethel Reformed Church

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Rev. Scott Van Ravenswaay

November 9, 2025

“Is anyone among you suffering? Let him pray. Is anyone cheerful? Let him sing praise.” James 5:13

10:00 AM

Morning Worship

Prelude

Bell Ringing

Welcome

Announcements

Call to Worship

Hymns of Praise

Great Is Thy Faithfulness #17

Fairest Lord Jesus #104

We Greet One Another/Passing of the Peace
Children’s Message: Lyndon and Nancy Drenth

Special Music: Max DeBoer

Congregational Prayer

Hymn of Preparation

Be Thou My Vision #181

(Children and Sunday School Teachers Dismissed)

Scripture: James 5:12-20

Message: Identified by our Integrity

Hymn of Response/Offertory

Day by Day #486

Offertory Prayer

*Benediction

November: Visiting the Sick/Outreach/Flowers - Love Circle
November: Meals on Wheels month for Bethel

Kitchen Committee: September - December:

Nancy Drenth, Becky Stubbe, Dawn Meester & Geraldine Hassebroek

Special Music: Nov. 9 - Children’s Choir

Nov. 16 - Max DeBoer

Nov. 23 - Congregational Hymn

Sunday School Teachers:

November 9: Dawn Meester and Jen DeBeer

November 16: Heather DeBoer and Genna Rath

November 23: Becky Stubbe and Megan Timmer-Stubbe

CALENDAR

For your convenience our services are posted on our Facebook page, our website and on YouTube! (On YouTube search: Bethel Reformed Church Rural Little Rock live)

November 16: Packing boxes for Operation Christmas Child

November 19: Love Circle Skip Day - Helping at Bread of Life at 4:45 pm

November 26: Thanksgiving Eve Service at Bethel

Consistory

Deacons: Kenneth DeBoer - Property; Terry DeBeer - Music; Ward Huisman - Finance; Jason Stubbe - Christian Education

Elders: Wendell DeBeer -Worship; LeRoy Hassebroek -Vice President; Korey Meester - Congregational Care; Randy Buntjer - Missions

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

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