

Prayers for the people.

ParkviewManor(Ellsworth) - Gerda Janssen

Rich Van Der Brink

The Bread of Life Food Ministry is currently accepting donations of dishwashing soap throughout August. Please ensure your donations are delivered to the church by August 26. The next distribution will take place on Wednesday, August 27, at Immanuel Lutheran Church in George, IA. Thank you to everyone who has contributed!

August is Meals on Wheels month for Bethel.

Summer School - The church building will be being used by the Ellsworth Public School from 8:30 -11:00 this week while their building updates are completed.

We are looking for Sunday School teachers to start this fall. Many hands make for light work! Expect to teach roughly 6 times during the year (~every 6 weeks). If you are willing to help the kids of Bethel or have questions, please talk to Jason Stubbe.

Mark your calendars for **Salem's Night of Music on Sunday, August 17 at 7:00 pm.** They will have several local talented people share their music with us. An Ice Cream Social will be held following the program. Hope to see you there.

To have an announcement placed in the bulletin, please send it to bethel1295@gmail.com by 12:00 pm on Thursday.

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Bethel Reformed Church

1295 Kennedy Avenue Little Rock, IA 51243
Rev. Scott Van Ravenswaay

August 10, 2025

“Now may our Lord Jesus Christ himself, and God our Father, who loved us and gave us eternal comfort and good hope through grace, comfort your hearts and establish them in every good work and word.”
2 Thessalonians 2:16-17

9:30 AM

Morning Worship

Prelude
Bell Ringing
Welcome

Announcements
Call to Worship

Hymns of Praise
Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing #82

We Greet One Another/Passing of the Peace

Special Music: “Steadfast” Recording by Sandra McCracken
Congregational Prayer

Hymn of Preparation
Thy Word #178

Prayer of Preparation
Scripture: 2 Thessalonians 2:1-17
Message: Stay Calm, Stand Firm
Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Hymn of Response/Offertory
A Mighty Fortress Is Our God #1

Offertory Prayer
*Benediction

August: Visiting the sick, Outreach & Flowers - **Joy Circle**
August - Meals on Wheels

Kitchen Committee: May - August:

Arla Schultz, Amy Labat, Alicia Jansma & Genna Rath

Kitchen Committee: September - December:

Nancy Drenth, Becky Stubbe, Dawn Meester & Geraldine Hassebroek

Mowing Schedule:

Aug. 7: Dan Huisman, Paul & Marlyn DeBuhr

Aug. 14: Jason & Darwin Jansma

Aug. 21: Ward & Clayton Huisman

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)

Aug. 10: Communion at Bethel

Aug. 13: Love Circle 7:00 pm - Hostess: Dawn Meester

Sept. 6: B.W.M Sale - Meal at 6:00 pm. Auction following at Ellsworth Community Center

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

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Invite the women in your life—your daughters, sisters, mothers, and close friends. This is a retreat for **all of God's daughters** to come together, share stories, and encourage one another. **Register now** by visiting Hope Reformed Church's Facebook page or by scanning the QR code.



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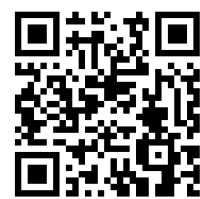
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