

Prayers for the people.

ParkviewManor(Ellsworth) - Gerda Janssen

Mikayla Kunerth

The George-Little Rock Bread of Life/Food Pantry Ministry is currently accepting cereal donations throughout October. If you're able to contribute, please drop off your generous donations at the church by October 21. Last month, we were able to support 48 families. Mark your calendars for our next distribution on Wednesday, October 22, at Immanuel Lutheran Church in George, IA. A heartfelt thank you to all our wonderful supporters

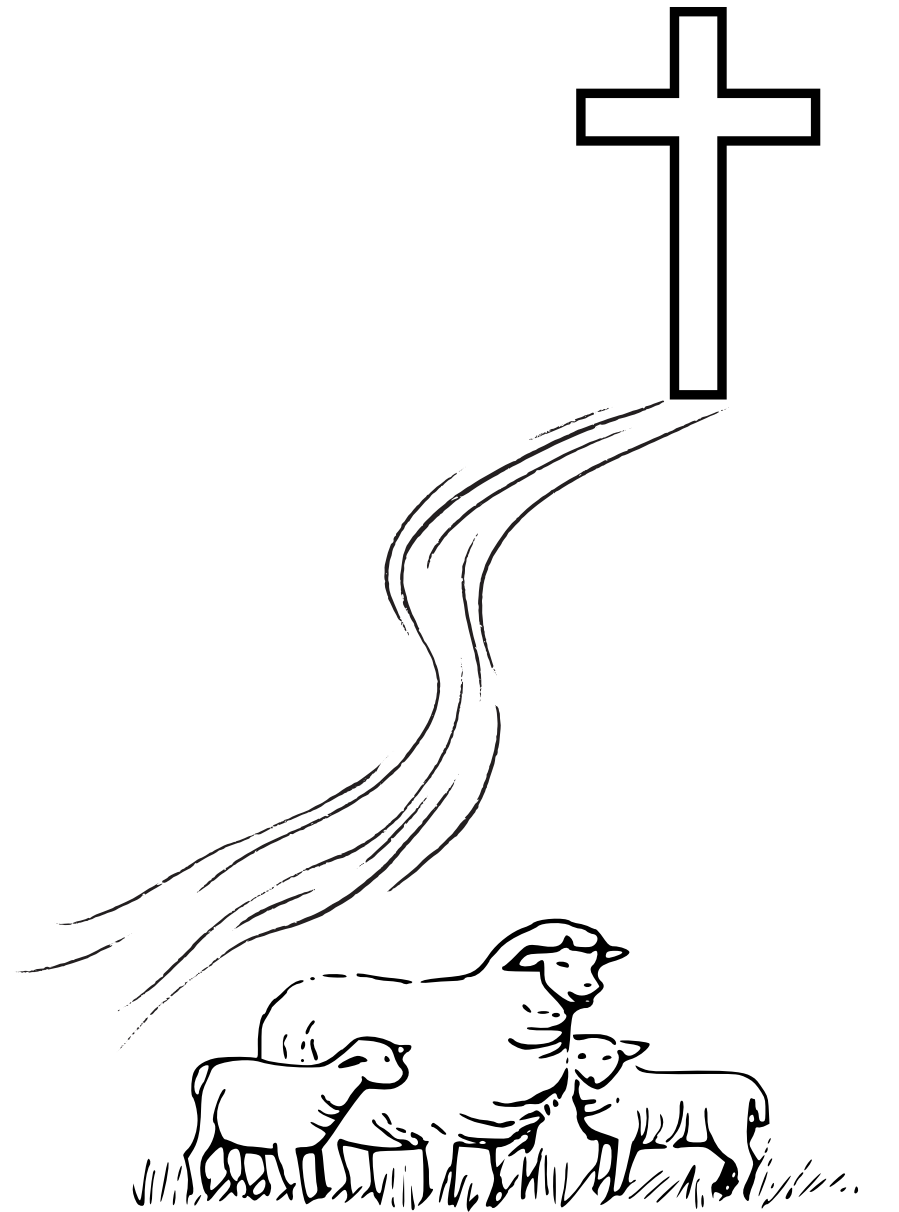
We would love for all of you to stick around after the church service today for coffee and treats. It's the perfect opportunity to express our sincere gratitude to Pastor Scott for all that he does for us. So don't rush off after the service! Join us in the fellowship hall for refreshments and great conversation. Let's make this a memorable celebration together!

Pastor Scott will be off this week for a time of continuing education. If you would like pastoral care during this time, please contact an elder. John Metzger will lead our service next Sunday.

Sunday Night Bible Study will meet tonight at 6:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall.

Zion Presbyterian Church in Ellsworth is having their annual Soup & Pie Supper on **November 2 from 4 - 7 pm**. Freewill donation.

Building Fund Offering - November 2



Bethel Reformed Church

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October 19, 2025

“But the wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, open to reason, full of mercy and good fruits, impartial and sincere.”

James 3:17

10:00 AM

Morning Worship

Prelude

Bell Ringing

Welcome

Announcements

Call to Worship

Hymns of Praise

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee #13

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty #10

We Greet One Another/Passing of the Peace

Children's Message: Lyndon and Nancy Drenth

Special Music: Congregational Hymn

Congregational Prayer

Hymn of Preparation

Have Thine Own Way Lord #414

(Children and Sunday School Teachers Dismissed)

Scripture: James 3:13-4:12

Message: Revival begins in Repentance

Hymn of Response/Offertory

May the Mind of Christ My Savior #402

Offertory Prayer

*Benediction

October: Visiting the Sick/ Outreach/ Flowers - Joy Circle

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: Oct. 19 - Congregational Hymn

Oct. 26 - Amy Labot

Sunday School Teachers:

October 19: Becky Stubbe & Megan Timmer-Stubbe

October 26: Kalene DeBoer & Wendell & Millie DeBeer

November 2: Alicia Jansma and Lyndon & Nancy Drenth

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)

October 19: Pastor Appreciation Sunday

October 19: Bible Study tonight at 6 pm in Fellowship hall

October 22: BWM Executive meeting at 6:30 pm

October 26: Pulpit Supply - John Metzger

November 2: Building Fund Offering

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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