

Announcements

The George-Little Rock Bread of Life/Food Pantry Ministry is collecting toothpaste donations this April. Please bring your contributions to the church by April 21. In March, we supported 57 families. Our next distribution will take place on Wednesday, April 22, at Immanuel Lutheran Church in George. A heartfelt thank you to all our wonderful supporters!

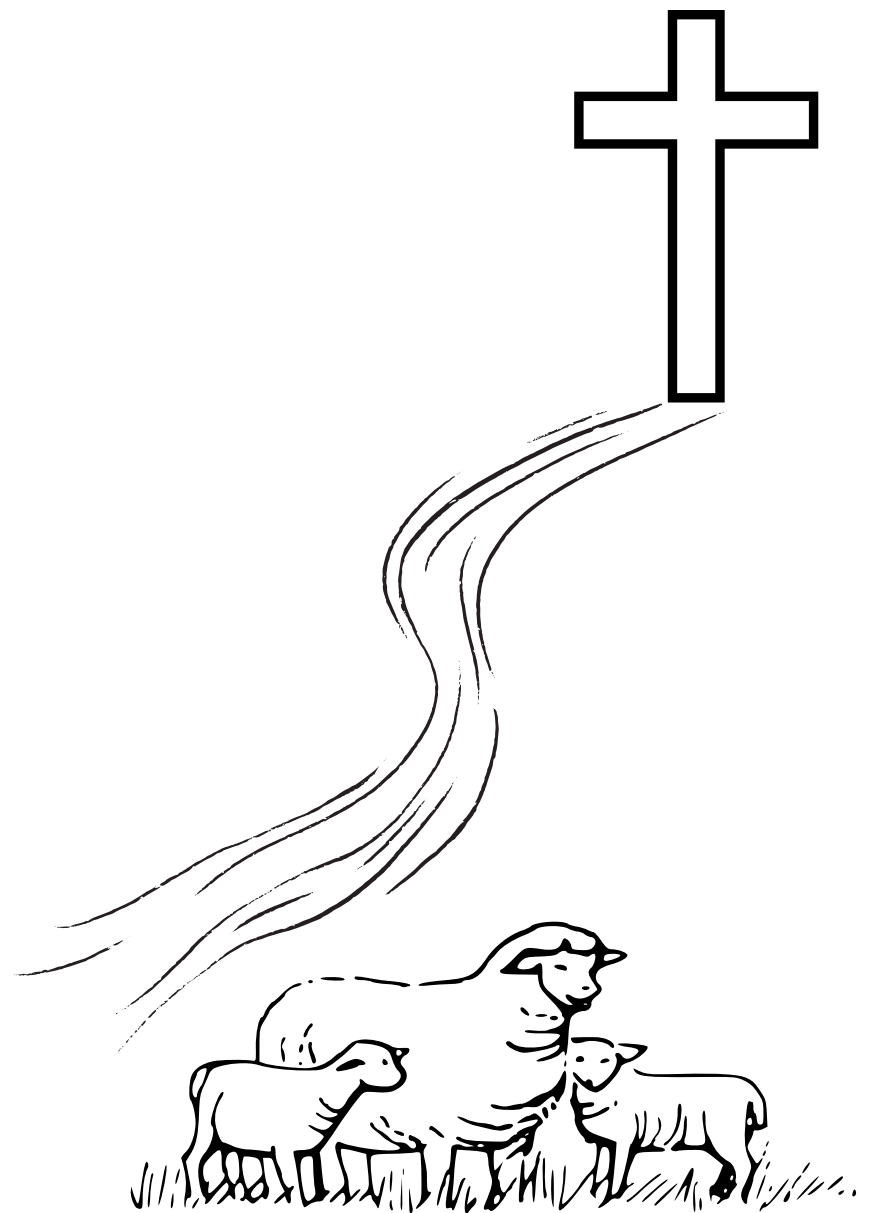
Spring Mission Fest will be **April 26** here at Bethel. Join us as we hear from a representative of Inspiration Hills and enjoy a potluck meal following the service! The work groups for Mission Fest are: **Group 2** - bring a hotdish & help serve. **Group 3** - Bring a salad or dessert. All can help to clean up. Anyone wishing to stay, please bring a salad or dessert.

Parents/Kids: Please bring your **Mighty Missions jars** back for Mission Fest Sunday, April 26, and turn them in with the offering. Thank you to all who worked and supported this mission. We hope to continue this project again in the fall.

Bible Study tonight at 6:00 p.m. We'll wrap up for the season with the conclusion to our Easter series.

Church building will be in use this Friday and Saturday, April 24&5 for the wedding of Morgan Hinrichs and Joe DeBoer. Congratulations to the happy couple. Please plan your church runs accordingly this week.

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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April 19, 2026

April: Visiting the Sick/Outreach/Flowers - Love Circle

May: Visiting the Sick/Putreach/Flowers - Joy Circle

Kitchen Committee - January - April: Judy Huisman, Dawn Huisman, Alicia Jansma & Becca Van Ravenswaay

Kitchen Committee - May - Aug.: Delinda Jansma, Judy DeBoer, Genna Rath & Heather DeBoer

Special Music: April 19 - Amy Labat

April 26 - Children's Choir

May 3 - Congregational Hymn

May 10 - George/Little Rock Swing Choir

Sunday School Teachers:

April 19: Kalene DeBoer, Wendell & Millie DeBeer

April 26: No Sunday School (Mission Fest)

May 3: Alicia Jansma, Lyndon & Nancy Drenth

May 10: Heather DeBoer & Genna Rath

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)

Spring Mission Fest: Sunday April 26

Graduation Sunday - May 3

Mother's Day Program - May 8 at 7:00 PM.

Consistory

Deacons: Terry DeBeer - Property; Lisa Huisman - Music;

Hunter Sieperda - Finance; Jason Stubbe - Christian Education

Elders: Wendell DeBeer -Worship; Korey Meester -Vice President;

David DeBoer - Congregational Care; Randy Buntjer - Clerk

“Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and not for men,”
Colossians 3:23

10:00 AM

Morning Worship

Prelude

Bell Ringing

Welcome

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Hymns of Praise

Blessed Be the Name #59

Praise Him! Praise Him! #73

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

Special Music: Amy Labat

Congregational Prayer

Hymn of Preparation

Standing on the Promises #181

(Children and Sunday School Teachers Dismissed)

Scripture: Ephesians 6:1-9

Message: Work and Family

Hymn of Response/Offertory

All for Jesus #421

Offertory Prayer

*Benediction

Prayer List

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