

Announcements

We're thrilled to share that the GLR Bread of Life/Food Pantry in George served 49 families during our August giveaway! For September we're excited to collect Mac and Cheese donations. If you'd like to help, please drop off your contributions at the church by September 22. Our next distribution is set for Wednesday, September 23 at Immanuel Lutheran Church in George, IA. Thank you to all our wonderful supporters! Together, let's keep spreading love and hope throughout our communities!

Today we welcome Pastor Deb Rensink to lead us in worship. There will be no Bethel Bible Study tonight.

Bethel will be serving the George community meal at Ebenezer Church on September 23. We are looking for volunteers to help serve the meal at 4:45. We also need 8-10 pans of bars and people to make barbecue. There is a sign up sheet on the back table.

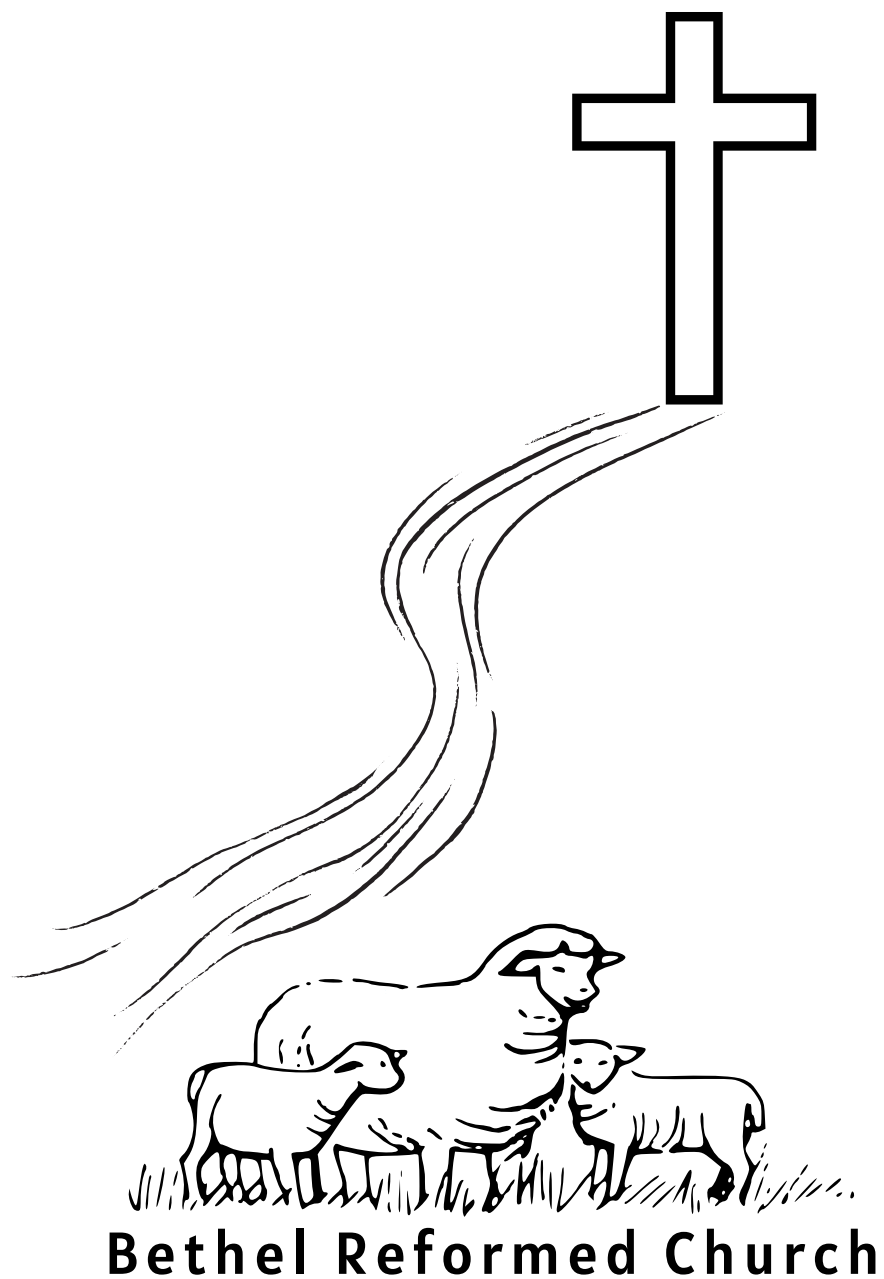
The BWM Sale is Saturday, Sept. 26 at Ellsworth Community Center. Group 2 is to bring a dessert and help clean up. Group 4 is to bring 2 lbs of BBQ and help serve.

Fall Mission Fest will be held October 4th at Bethel. This year we'll try something a little different. We'll first hear from Rachel Sullivan (sister of Becky Stubbe) about her recent trip serving at a school in Mexico. We'll also celebrate communion as part of that service. Following the service we'll have our potluck and fellowship, *but then, over dessert*, we'll hear from Tara Woodward Bosman about her work in South Africa **in place of an evening event.** We've raised \$18,581 of our budget so far leaving us \$13,752 to go. Way to go!

Thank you for remembering the Kevin & Alleen DeBoer family & for all the expressions of sympathy in the passing of Alleen's Dad.
Kevin, Alleen & family

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September 20, 2026

“He got up, rebuked the wind and said to the waves, “Quiet! Be still!” Then the wind died down and it was completely calm.

Mark 4: 39

10:00 AM

Morning Worship

Prelude

Bell Ringing

Welcome

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Hymns of Praise

How Firm a Foundation #179

More About Jesus #182

We Greet One Another/Passing of the Peace

Children's Message: Deb Rensink

Special Music: Doug Stubbe

Congregational Prayer

Hymn of Preparation

Be Still, My Soul #457

(Children and Sunday School Teachers are Dismissed)

Scripture: Mark 4: 35-41

Message: Journey of Discipleship

Hymn of Response/Offertory

Be Thou My Vision #400

Offertory Prayer

*Benediction

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

Kitchen Committee - Sept. - Dec.: Nancy Drenth, Becky Stubbe, Dawn Meester & Geraldine Hassebroek

Special Music Schedule:

Sept. 20 - Doug Stubbe

Sept. 27 - Adult Choir

Oct. 4 - Children's Choir

Sunday School Schedule:

Sept. 20: Becca VanRavenswaay & Kalene DeBoer

Sept. 27: Dawn Meester & Darwin DeMarrias-Jansma

Oct. 4: No Sunday School (Mission Fest)

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)

Sept. 26 - B.W.M. SALE - Ellsworth Community Center. Meal at 6pm followed by Auction. Group 2 is asked to bring dessert & help clean up. Group 4 is asked to bring 2 lbs. BBQ & help serve.

(The quilt is done and is displayed in the fellowship hall)

Oct. 4 - Mission Fest

**Oct. 7 - Joy Circle - Bible Study - Millie DeBeer
Devotion - Karen Huisman. Lesson 3**

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

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