Announcements

The GLR Bread of Life/Food Pantry in George helped 60 families during the September giveaway! For October, we are asking for toilet paper. Please bring your donations to the fellowship hall by October 27. The next distribution will be on Wednesday, October 28, at Immanuel Lutheran Church in George, IA. Thank you to all our wonderful supporters!

Join us for Bethel Bible Study tonight at 6:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall as we continue with JD Greear's *Everyday Revolutionary.*

We are happy to announce that $15,048.00 was raised during Mission Fest offering.

"I am blessed to have a great church family. Thank you for all the prayers. I am feeling good and taking medication to prevent reoccurence." DeLinda Jansma

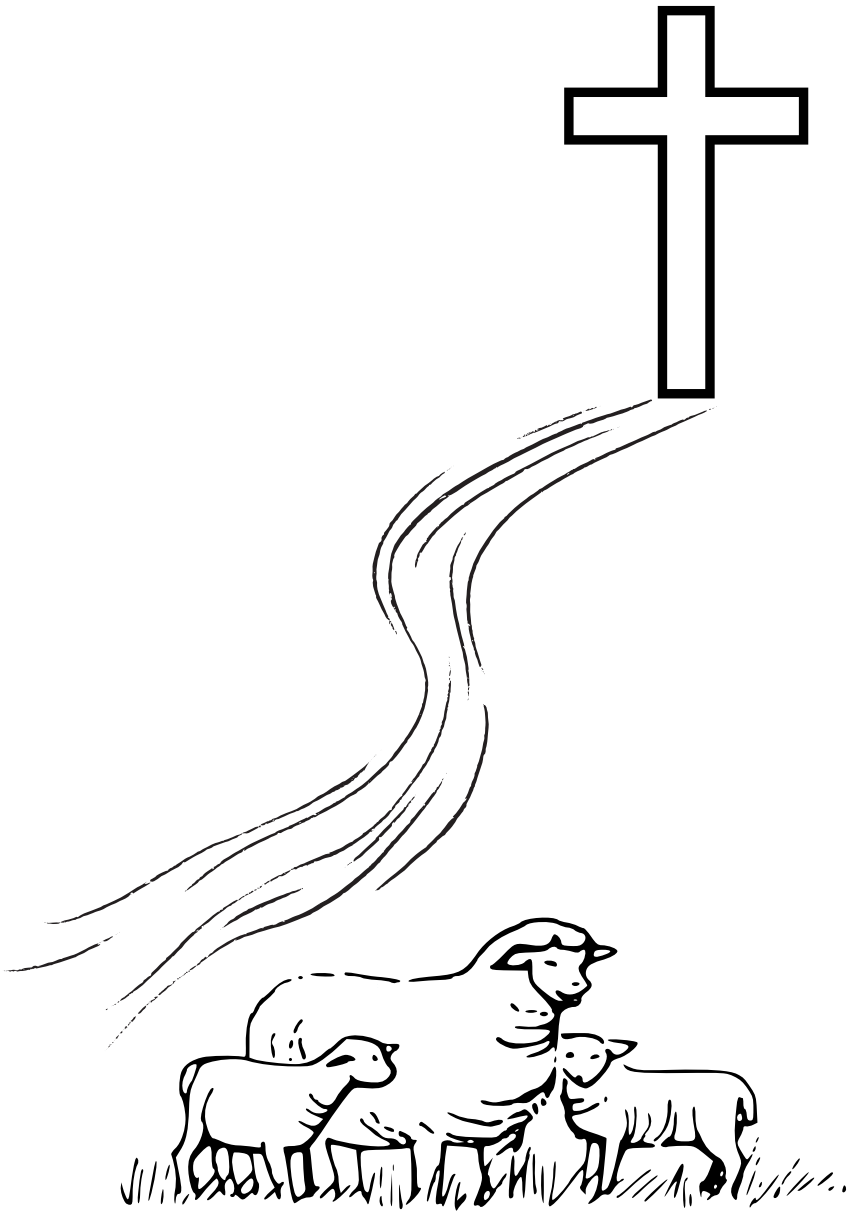
There will be a **BWM Officer's meeting** here at 7:00 pm on Wednesday Oct. 28.

Our sympathy goes out to Mary & Marlyn DeBuhr in the passing of Mary's twin sister.

Men & Young Men – The 5th Annual Mendistry Area Men's Event is November 5 at 7pm at The Triple Box near Orange City. In 2023 The Triple Box burned to the ground, taking the Schrock family's livelihood, hard work, and dreams with it. Come and hear Justin Schrock's story of crisis, courage, and hope.

Zion Presbyterian Church, Ellsworth, MN Soup & Pie Supper- Sunday Nov. 1st from 4 to 7 PM. Freewill offering donation.

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Bethel Reformed Church

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

October 18, 2026

"And God heard their groaning, and God remembered his covenant with Abraham, with Isaac, and with Jacob." Exodus 2:24

10:00 AM **Morning Worship**

Prelude
Bell Ringing
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Hymns of Praise
Holy, Holy, Holy! #2
Great Is Thy Faithfulness #17

We Greet One Another/Passing of the Peace

Children's Message: Lyndon & Nancy Drenth
Special Music: Sieperda Kids
Congregational Prayer

Hymn of Preparation
How Firm a Foundation #179
(Children and Sunday School Teachers are Dismissed)

Scripture: Exodus 1:8–14 & 3:1–15
Message: I am With You

Hymn of Response/Offertory
God of Grace and God of Glory #514

Offertory Prayer
*Benediction

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

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

Special Music Schedule:
Oct. 18 - Sieperda Kids
Oct. 25 - Colby Jansma
Nov. 1 - Children's Choir

Sunday School Schedule:
Oct. 18 - Becca VanRavenswaay & Kalene DeBoer
Oct. 25 - Ava Timmer & Megan Timmer-Stubbe
Nov. 1 - Karlee Sieperda & Alicia Jansma

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)

Oct. 18 - Pastor Appreciation Sunday

Oct. 28 - BWM Officer's Meeting at 7:00 pm

Nov. 1 - Building Fund Offering

Nov. 1 - Consistory Nomination Ballots due

Nov. 1 - Daylight Savings Time Ends

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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* Pencil Sharpeners

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