

Announcements

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The George-Little Rock Bread of Life/Food Pantry Ministry in May, we're excited to collect SpaghettiO's! Please bring your donations to church by May 26. Last month we supported 47 families. Our next distribution is on Wednesday May 27 at Immanuel Lutheran Church in George. A huge and heartfelt thank you to all our amazing supporters - you truly make a difference! Let's keep spreading love and hope!

Today is **Spring Mission Fest!** Please welcome Lucas Draffen of Inspiration Hills and enjoy a potluck meal following the service!

Mighty Missions Jars - Thank you to all who worked and supported this mission. We hope to continue this project again in the fall!

Thank you for all the prayers, food and kindness given after my back surgery. Doris Timmer

Congratulations to Joe and Morgan DeBoer who were united in marriage yesterday at Bethel!

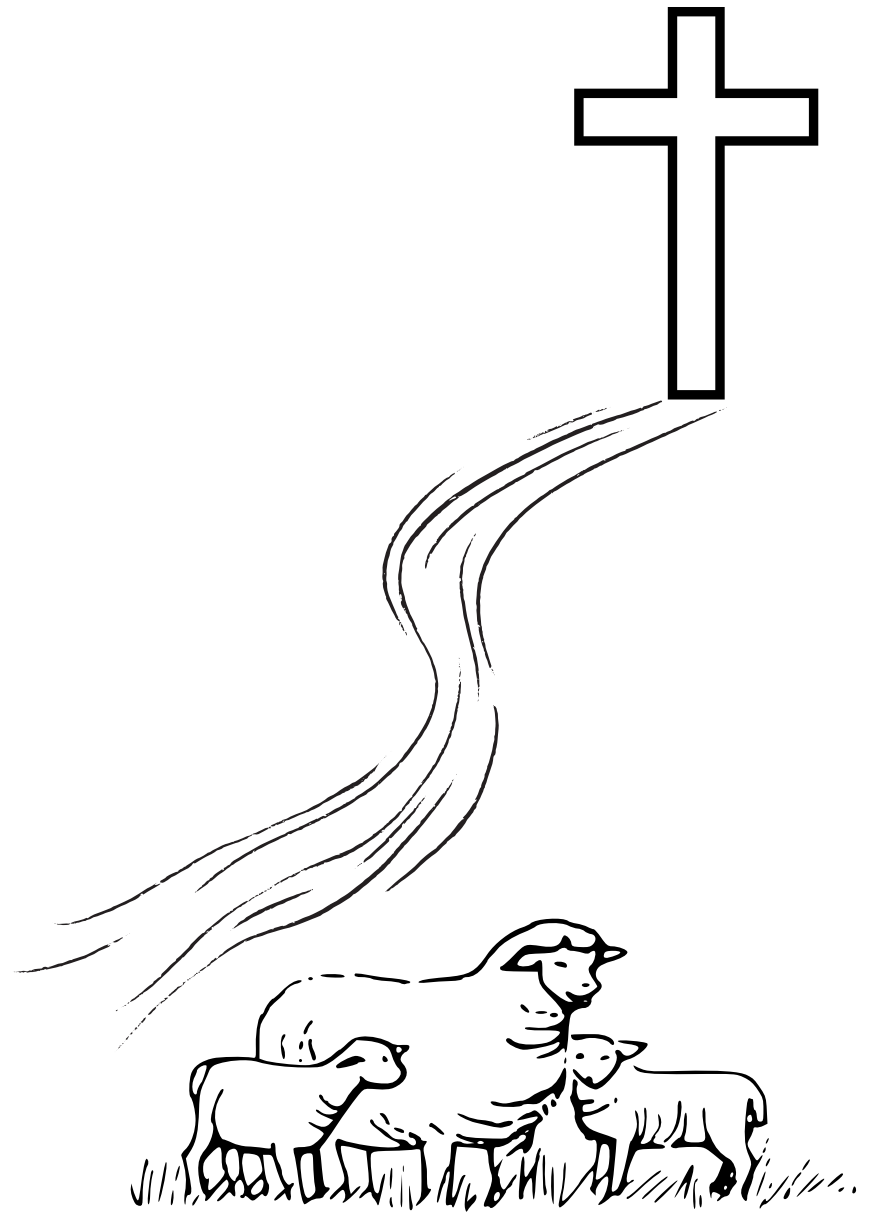
Pastor Scott will be on Vacation next week, April 28-May 3. If you need pastoral care or counsel during that time, please feel free to reach out to our elders. John Metzger will lead our service May 3.

Come & enjoy our **Mother's Day Program on Friday, May 8th** at 7 PM. Our speaker will be Krystal Kolb & her daughter's will provide music.

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

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Rev. Scott Van Ravenswaay

Spring Mission Fest April 26, 2026

“And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.”
Colossians 3:17

10:00 AM

Morning Worship

Prelude

Bell Ringing

Welcome

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Hymns of Praise

For the Beauty of the Earth #64

Come, Christians, Join to Sing #70

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

Special Music: Children’s Choir
Congregational Prayer

Hymn of Preparation
I Love to Tell the Story #322

Scripture: Colossians 3:1-17
Message: Lucas Draffen - Inspiration Hills

Hymn of Response/Offertory
O to Be Like Thee! #403

Offertory Prayer
*Benediction

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 26 - Children’s Choir

May 3 - Congregational Hymn

May 10 - George/Little Rock Swing Choir

Sunday School Teachers:

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

Building Fund Offering - 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

Prayer List

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