

Prayers for the people.

Parkview Manor (Ellsworth) – Martha Kruse

Susan Mullinix Shirley Huisman Pauline Ailts Karter Jansma
Amanda Schultz

Today's offering will be collected for the building fund.

Join us tonight for our final Bethel Bible Study beginning at 6:00 p.m.

On Friday May 12 at 7:00 pm we are having a Mother's Day party, would like to invite everyone to attend the celebration of Mom's. Our speaker is Jan Hansen from Le Mars, IA. Her topic will be about aprons. A lite lunch will follow.

Sunday, May 21 the 2nd through 6th Grade Sunday School Class invites everyone to a snack / light lunch after Church. They are excited to share some of their favorite foods with you. Please join them for a time of food and fellowship.

The bread of Life May Donation is paper towels. Please place it on the table in the Fellowship Hall by May 23. Bread of Life in George served 25 households, 48 adults, and 36 children in April.

The greens of Spring and Summer are arriving which means it's time to sign up on the summer mowing schedule found on the table in the Fellowship Hall. Bethel owns two Hustler mowers and a trimmer which can be used, or you're free to bring your own. Either way, we're happy for the help!

You're invited! Join members of the RCA restructuring team and GSC staff leadership for a denomination-wide, virtual event on Thursday, May 11, at 8:00 p.m. Eastern. During this time, attendees will hear what the restructuring team has been working on and the outcomes around which they feel called to restructure, after much discernment. Attendees will have the ability to ask questions and provide feedback on what is presented in the Zoom chat. This invitation is for all RCA members, especially young people with a heart for the RCA's future. RSVP is required. To register, use this link: www.rca.org/virtual-roundtable.

We could use a few more volunteers in the rotation for the sound booth at Bethel. If you would be willing to serve in this way, please contact James Timmerman.

The quilt blocks and towels are in the library ready to be embroidered. The work group needs the quilt blocks back by June 1st and the towels by July 1st.

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May 7, 2023

The LORD your God is in your midst, a mighty one who will save; he will rejoice over you with gladness; he will quiet you by his love; he will exult.

Zephaniah 3:20

10:00 AM

Morning Worship

Prelude

Bell Ringing

Welcome

Announcements

Call to Worship

Hymns of Praise

Revise Us Again #95

Holy, Holy, Holy! #2

We Greet One Another

Children's Message

Graduate Recognition: Max DeBoer

Special Music

Celebration of the Sacrament of The Lord's Supper

Congregational Prayer

Hymn of Preparation

How Firm a Foundation #179

(Children are dismissed for Sunday School)

Prayer of Preparation

Scripture: Acts 13:1-3 & 14:8-20

Message: The Message among Myths

Hymn of Response:

For the Beauty of the Earth #64

Doxology #623

Offertory Prayer

*Benediction

May Circles: Visiting-Joy Flowers-Love Outreach-Peace

Kitchen Committee: May through August:

Delinda Jansma, Amy Labat, Genna Rath, Heather DeBoer

Sunday School Teachers:

May 7: Dawn Meester and Kelsie and Darwin Jansma

May 14: Alicia Jansma and Lisa Huisman

May 21: Rebecca Van Ravenswaay and Arla Schultz

May 28: Kalene DeBoer and Genna Rath

Special Music:

May 7: Congregational Hymn

May 14: Congregational Hymn

May 21: Congregational Hymn

May 28: Children's Choir

CALENDAR

Sunday, May 7

For your convenience today's Service is posted on our Facebook page, our website and on YouTube! (On YouTube search: Bethel Reformed Church Rural Little Rock live)

Today: Communion Sunday

Friday May 12: 7:00 PM BWM Mother's Day Party

Sunday May 21: Fellowship following worship, lunch provided by the 2nd – 6th grade Sunday School Class

Consistory:

Deacons: Kenneth DeBoer-Property, Greg Huisman-Music,

Ward Huisman-Finance, Jason Jansma-Christian Education

Elders: Gene DeBeer-Worship, Lyndon Drenth-Congregational Care,

LeRoy Hassebroek-Vice President, Clayton Huisman-Clerk

Pastor: Scott Van Ravenswaay