Prayers for the people.

Contact:

Parkview Manor (Ellsworth) – Martha Kruse Susan Mullinix RCYF Shirley Huisman Shari DeBoer Pauline Ailts Warren Jansma

**The Thanksgiving Eve Service** will be held here at Bethel, this Wednesday, November 23 at 7:00 pm. Pastor Randy Knuth will be preaching. The offering for the evening will go to the Bread of Life ministry in George.

**Bethel Bible Study – Join** us for our Advent series beginning tonight at 6:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall as we engage Max Lucado's study, "Because of Bethlehem"

**The bread of Life** Donation Table is in the Fellowship Hall. Each month will highlight a different request for those in need. December is Shampoo or Body Wash. Please have it at church by December 21. Thank you.

**Dear ladies of Bethel** our B.W.M. Christmas Party will be Saturday, December 3<sup>rd</sup> at 2:00 p.m. This year we will be celebrating our Savior's birth with a focus on service. During our party we will be preparing goodie boxes to be shared during our Christmas caroling and also to Parkview Manor in Ellsworth, George Good Samaritan Center, and the Veterans Home in Luverne. You are invited to join the fun and we ask if you could bring goodies to help fill the goodie boxes. This year our goal is to pack 16 boxes and three trays.

I hope that this letter finds you well. I am writing to let the congregation know that I will be visiting Little Rock with my family the week before Christmas this next month. As such, my wife and I are wanting to let all those who might be interested to come to the Tow and Country building on Monday, December 19<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm for an open house. We will be giving a bit of an update as to what we have been up to in East London and hoping to have good fellowship with all who would like to see us. It would be great to see you there! Grace and peace! Scott Burdsall

**Bulletin announcements – if you** have an announcement, you would like placed in the bulletin for the week, please email it to <u>bethelbulletin1@gmail.com</u> by noon on Thursday.



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# **Bethel Reformed Church**

1295 Kennedy Avenue Little Rock IA 51243 Rev. Scott Van Ravenswaay November 20, 2022

Therefore let us be grateful for receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, and thus let us offer to God acceptable worship, with reverence and awe, or our God is a consuming fire.

Hebrews 12: 28-29

10:00 AM

## **Morning Worship**

Prelude
Bell Ringing
Welcome
Announcements
Call to Worship

Hymns of Praise When Morning Gilds the Skies #66 To God Be the Glory #79

We Greet One Another Children's Message: Lyndon & Nancy Drenth

Special Music: Children Choir

Congregational Prayer
Hymn of Preparation
Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus #363

(Children are dismissed for Sunday School)

Prayer of Preparation Scripture: Luke 15:11-32 Message: Cause for Celebration

Hymn of Response
The Love of God #305
Doxology #623
Offertory Prayer
\*Benediction

November Circles: Visiting-Joy Flowers-Love Outreach-Peace December Circles: Visiting-Love Flowers-Peace Outreach-Joy

Kitchen Committee: September through December: Nancy Drenth, Becky Stubbe, Dawn Meester, & Geraldine Hassebroek

**Special Music:** 

November 20: Children Choir

November 27: Congregational Hymn

**Sunday School Teachers:** 

November 20: Kalene DeBoer and Lyndon & Nancy Drenth

November 27: Heather DeBoer and Genna Rath

December 4: Dawn Meester and Kelsie & Darwin Jansma

December 11: Alicia Jansma and Lisa Huisman

#### **CALENDAR**

## Sunday, November 20

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)

<u>Wednesday, November 23:</u> 7:00 pm Thanksgiving Eve Service here at Bethel

### Consistory:

Deacons: Hunter Sieperda-Finance, Greg Huisman-Music, Jason Jansma-Christian Education, Randy Buntjer-Property Elders: Korey Meester-Vice President, Gene DeBeer-Worship, Lyndon Drenth-Congregational Care, Clayton Huisman-Clerk

Pastor: Scott Van Ravenswaay