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KEEPING PERSPECTIVE, KEEPING BALANCE

Pastor Mike Brown

Many of the greatest lessons of my life came to me in my role as a parent to three kids. It just seemed that God took every opportunity to speak to me through them. One of those lessons, I have shared many times, but bears repeating now. Karin and I had enrolled one of our girls in gymnastics class. She was maybe three years old. The class was a “parent participation” class where parents helped their child along. My three-year-old was trying to walk across the balance beam some four feet off the ground. She would step and then wobble. Another step, more wobbling. I said to her, “Honey, just look right down where your next foot is going to land and you’ll be fine.” I didn’t know what I was talking about or anything about gymnastics, which the coach quickly caught. She said, “Don’t listen to him! When you walk across the beam, look at the very end of the beam and don’t take your eyes off it.” Well, she tried it and it worked! Somehow lifting up her eyes to the end changed her overall perspective and hence, corrected her balance. That’s when God spoke

to me. “Mike, you knucklehead, keep your eyes on the end of your destination – ME – and you’ll be ok.” I had been a little wobbly myself at that time, anxious and obsessed about the very next step, the next project, the next task.

This has been a tough year for so many of us. It’s been hard to keep



balance. It will be hard for a while longer. Certainly, many people are going to feel thrown off balance when the results of the election are announced. Each side has cast the other as a threat to the American way of life. Each side has painted the other as the enemy. Americans are turning

on each other. Contempt and even hatred of the other fills the air. No matter who gets elected, millions of people across the country, thousands of people in our community are going to feel thrown way off balance, as if they were falling from a great height.

Because of this, my dear friends, I encourage you to do whatever you do to set your sights on Jesus Christ. Pray. Read the Bible. Meditate. Sing hymns. Walk. Jesus is our end. He is our goal. If the truth be known, this country we live in is not our permanent place. It is a place we inhabit only for a moment. Jesus says that “I am going to prepare a place for you” (John 14:2). That is why Paul says so confidently that “our citizenship is in heaven” (Philippians 3:20). Jesus is the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end. Center yourself on Jesus Christ. He will bring you through to the end. Pray for yourself and for all who might feel the world fall from beneath them. Let us reach out in love to any who wobble. Let us find our balance in Christ. 🌈

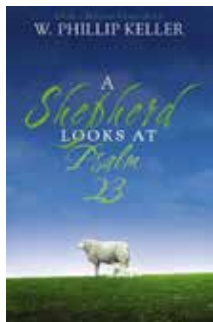
New Sermon Series: The Good Shepherd

Bethel's Fall Stewardship Invitation
Nov 8, 15, 22



During the month of November, Bethel will tune its ears and focus its sight on the one who guides, provides, and teaches us – The Good Shepherd. There are few portions of scripture as well-known or well-loved as Psalm 23. Like lambs eager for green pastures we will meditate, pray, and learn from the only One who is able to supply our deepest need. A stewardship packet will be mailed out in November containing encouragements, information, and a pledge card. The date for returning pledge cards is November 22. 🌈

A Shepherd Looks at Psalm 23: Classic Little Book for You



As a part of this year's stewardship season, Bethel has sent out one copy of the classic little book, *A Shepherd Looks at Psalm 23*, by W. Phillip Keller. It is a delightful book that takes us on an inside look of one the world's favorite and best-known Psalms. Please read this book throughout the month of November

as we focus our hearts in worship on the Good Shepherd of our souls. If you do not receive one, please contact the Bethel office at 608.257.3577. 🌈

Good Shepherd Pledge Sunday

Members are all asked to return pledge cards for 2021 to the church by November 22. 🌈

Celebrating the Lives of Bethel Saints

All Saints Sunday Names

Celebrating All Saints Sunday on November 1, Bethel lifted up the names of saints, both living and deceased, in thanksgiving to God.

Beginning with those who have passed, Bethel inscribed the names of the faithful departed into the Bethel Book of Life, lit candles, rang hand bells, and read the names of 70 individuals in memory and celebration. These special moments were accompanied with musical support of a string quartet playing Samuel Barber's, *Adagio for Strings* and a solo, *Nella Fantasia*, by Amy Hartsough. Following the sermon, the names of the recently baptized were read while the handbells rang-out with the hymn *For All the Saints* being sung before and after. With the service ending with a spirited jazz rendition of *When the Saints God Marching In*, the worship service honored God and the memory of Bethel saints, both living and passed.

Faithful Departed: Rachel Aaroen ♦ Virgil Alfred ♦ Harold Anderson ♦ Jan Anderson ♦ Viola Bach ♦ Arlene Bickley ♦ Bruce Bollerud ♦ Mike Bunting ♦ Betty Carpenter ♦ Brent Christianson ♦ Sue Christoffersen ♦ James Conant ♦ Margaret Dukerschein ♦ Bernice Dunhouse ♦ Loretta Dvorak ♦ Sylvia Engen ♦ Marilyn Erdman ♦ Ted Feierabend ♦ Judith Froseth ♦ Robert Gay ♦ Karen Gould ♦ Katharine Gray ♦ Stan Grimstad ♦ Judy Grobe ♦ Lois Gunderson ♦ Luella Hamre ♦ Alice Hansen ♦ Hazel Hiemstra ♦ Jane Hilsenhoff ♦ William Hoekstra ♦ Roger Housner ♦ Florence Hughes ♦ Ramona Johnson ♦ Melvin Lamb ♦ Joan Langdon ♦ Helen Marble ♦ Ardell May ♦ Nyla McCormick ♦ Corinne McVey ♦ Gary Meyer ♦ Eileen Morgan ♦ Le Eldra Morgan ♦ Ellie Munson ♦ Margaret Olson ♦ Norm Olson ♦ Barbara Overton ♦ Elmo Peterson ♦ Karl Peterson ♦ Leland Powers ♦ Charlie Pruett ♦ Deb Przywara ♦ Dorothy Rasmussen ♦ Carol Reimann ♦ Arlene Rickli ♦ Ken Roeh ♦ Sam Roth ♦ Arlyn Sandow ♦ Beverly Schluenz ♦ Don Schmidt ♦ Robert Selvey ♦ Irene Skattum ♦ Darlene Smith ♦ Lorayne Smythe ♦ Virginia Swingen ♦ Marion Trachte ♦ Lou Unverzagt ♦ Melanie Walker ♦ Dave Wieckert ♦ Paul Young ♦ Nancy Zifka

Baptized: Lewis Breidenbach ♦ Bryce Caple ♦ Madeline Huepenbecker ♦ Lucas Jenson ♦ Addilyn Kosiboski ♦ Mara Louthier ♦ Charlie Mulich ♦ Blake Ninmann ♦ Mia Penn ♦ Sydney Piontkowski ♦ Evan Rosenau ♦ Spencer Smith ♦ Stella Totaro ♦ Sage Williams 🌈

Caring for Creation

Climate Adaptation and Resilience Can't Wait: A Call to Action

Tues, Nov 10, 7:30pm; Zoom Webinar

Megan Levy will provide an introduction to Wisconsin's Office of Energy Innovation, as well as updates on the progress of the Energy Independent Communities program and on state energy security planning efforts. Megan will share some of the climate mitigation and adaptation strategies gleaned from the recent Wisconsin Academy of Sciences Arts and Letters "Climate Fast Forward!" Conference.



Billions of Federal dollars are spent every year on worsening natural disasters. We stand on the precipice of historic decisions in the energy sector. Infrastructure investments must be made to support sustainable, resilient, equitable, and secure systems of the future. The Office of Energy Innovation is preparing to direct Federal dollars to a variety of these investments, like critical infrastructure microgrids and community resilience centers.



As Local Energy Program Manager, Megan Levy has spent more than a decade working on building energy efficiency with the low-income weatherization program and with the Wisconsin Office of Energy Innovation. As the state's Energy Emergency Assurance Coordinator, she oversees the Energy Independent Communities

program with more than 147 member communities. As designer and manager of the Municipal Energy Efficiency Technical Assistance Program (MEETAP), Megan provides expertise to municipalities, tribes, and schools across the state to facilitate successful energy efficiency projects. A graduate of the University of Wisconsin-Madison, she has held both regional and national leadership roles. In 2016-17, she served on the Board of Directors of the Midwest Renewable Energy Association; in 2017, she was named Co-Chair of the Energy Security Committee of the National Association of State Energy Officials.

Login Link: <https://tinyurl.com/ytkadzd> 🌈

Fireside Chats

Pastor Mike has hosted Fireside Chats each Tuesday evenings to answer questions about the church, the Bible, etc. In October, Fireside Chats started branching out by inviting others into the Fireside Seat. There is so much going-on at and with Bethel that we want to provide the most accurate and up-to-date information and details possible. Starting in November, other staff, leaders, and ministry volunteers will take a turn responding to your questions especially as they relate to something that they are intimately familiar with. Tuesday Fireside Chats are live-streamed at 7pm on Facebook or viewed on YouTube any time after 8pm. If you have any questions you would like to ask, please send them to christal@bethel-madison.org.

Upcoming Fireside Chat Schedule

Nov 17: Pam Shellberg (Questions about the Bible)

Nov 24: Pastor Mike with the Finance Team (Questions on church finances)

Dec 1: Pastor Mike with Horizons (Questions about Camp)

Dec 8: Pastor Mike with Walter Dewey (Questions about the Foundation)

Dec 15: Pastor John with John Bauer (Questions about the Strategic Plan)

Dec 22: Pastor Mike with St. Nicholas 🌈

Lutheran World Relief Update

Thank you to the Blanket Workshop, women's circles, Bethel families, and men and women of the congregation for your contributions to this summer's Lutheran World Relief appeal. During much of 2020, Covid-19 has curtailed shopping and the usual preparation of school, personal hygiene, and baby kits. Even so, our congregation gave 38 personal hygiene kits, 61 quilts, and an offering of \$1,963 to be used where needed most.

You may recall that in early August the Port of Beirut experienced a tremendous ammonium nitrate explosion which killed 180 people, left 300,00 homeless, and destroyed over \$600,000 in LWR humanitarian supplies destined for refugees and other distressed populations. Sifting through the wreckage afterward, local staff were able to salvage some of the personal hygiene kits and quilts from three damaged, but not destroyed, shipping containers. Thanks be to God! 🌈

A Call to Justice & Mercy

Welcome to Our November Big Watch!



Our BIG WATCH for November, sponsored by the Women's Coordinating Council, is the movie *Hidden Figures*, a family friendly movie rated by Common Sense Media for ages 10+.

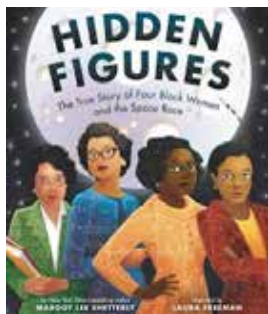
Hidden Figures continues our look at the history of race in America that we started with the book *Stamped: Racism, Antiracism, and You*. The movie is based on a true story from Jim Crow Virginia in the early 60s. Three Black women who work for NASA overcome racial and gender bias to successfully send John Glenn into space and back. And much more.

In *Hidden Figures* we see history – and hope -- come alive. Yes, we see and feel the cruelty of Jim Crow. We also see joy . We see the nurturing role of the Black church during the civil rights era. And we see the persistence of people seeking justice and equality and the signs of overt systemic racism pulled down.

Check out this music video from the movie:
<https://tinyurl.com/yxtetggw>

A discussion guide will be available on the ACTJAM page of Bethel's website: www.bethel-madison.org/actjam

ACTJAM Read Aloud Storytime for Kids



Hidden Figures is also a picture book for kids 4-8! Watch and listen to Bethel's Kris Fansler read the story and show the bright and colorful illustrations.
<https://tinyurl.com/y4uxfbyb>

"Finally, the extraordinary lives of four African American women who helped NASA put the first men in space is available for picture book readers," proclaims Brightly in their article "18 Must-Read Picture Books of 2018." "Will inspire girls and boys alike to love math, believe in themselves, and reach for the stars."

Ken Burns and Isabel Wilkerson on History and Shaping the Future (Big Watch Part 2)



<https://tinyurl.com/y3f9ubw4>

Why hold history up to the light – especially when it's painful or unflattering? If anyone is qualified to answer, it's Ken Burns, producer of award-winning documentaries such as *The Civil War*, *Baseball*, and *The Vietnam War*, and Isabel Wilkerson, author of *The Warmth of Other Suns* and *Caste*.

Together last month (October, 2020), Burns and Wilkerson share how grappling with the past can lead us forward at a time when we desperately need to do so. They show how our lens on history powerfully influences how we envision and shape the future. It's wise and hopeful conversation that's relevant to us as we unearth history and consider how to dismantle racism in our community. 🌈

Hephatha Lutheran 'Mission Partner Appreciation Day' Sat, Nov 7 from 3-3:30pm



Hephatha Lutheran Church in Milwaukee, our mission partner church, requests us to join their 'Mission Partner Appreciation Day' via Zoom. You can join the Zoom gathering

by going to Hephatha's website at hephatha100.com. We hope to 'see' you there! 🌈

Memorials

IN HONOR & IN MEMORY
July - September 2020



THE FOLLOWING TELECASTS WERE SPONSORED DURING THE MONTHS OF JULY, AUGUST AND SEPTEMBER

Sept 27 & Oct 4: In loving memory of **Laverne B. Forest** by family and friends

BETHEL CHOIR

In memory of Judy Grobe by Joan Gilbertson

In memory of Alice Hansen by Carolyn Aradine, Betty De Vries, Robert Mertes, Joyce Von Arx, Joan Zingale

BETHEL HORIZONS 50TH ANNIVERSARY

In memory of Norman Olson by Phil & Mary Lou Dzick

In memory of Pastor Duane Hanson & artist Don Hunt by Darlene & Burt Olson

BETHEL HORIZONS CAMPERSHIP

In honor of Rob Kohlhepp by Marcie Bakker

In memory of Lou Unverzagt by Phil & Mary Lou Dzick, Marty & Carol Clarke, Audrey & Harold Cushman, Joan Gilbertson, Don Harris, Darlene & Burt Olson, Jack & Lori Poulson

BETHEL HORIZONS FOUNDATION

In memory of Jane Hilsenhoff by University Hill Farms Circle

BETHEL HORIZONS PROGRAM FUND

In memory of Brent Christianson by Carol Lee Ross

In memory of Robert Gay by Dannelle & Andy Gay

In memory of Alice Hansen by Ann Badeau, Neil & Mary Bard, Anna Biermeier, Eric Haney & Cathy Murphy, Ruth Hanson, Butch & Joanne Jensen, Keith & Andrea Kelling, David & Linnea Krahn, Jeanie Michaelis, Alice & Bill Mowbray, Darlene Olson, Leon Radant & Margie Miller, Robert Rand, Sarah Rose, Jacqui & John Shanda, Connie Thompson, Ellen Thompson, Bill and Betsy Tishler

In memory of Hazel Heimstra by Rose Fahien, Ruth Hanson, Allan and Wendy Schultz, Della Vivien

In memory of Roger Housner by Phil & Mary Lou Dzick

In memory of Ellie Munson by Marian Osterberg, Audrey Plout, Dwight and Bonnie Ziegler

In memory of Norman Olson by Norv and Carrie Bernhardt, Anna Biermeier, Arnold Alanen and Lynn Bjorkman, Joyce Bringe, The Dennis & Catherine Buege Fund, Bob and Marilyn Cleveland, Albert & Kari-Ellen Cole, Richard and Peggy Daluge, Alfred Andreychuk and Allan Deptula, Cheryl Frazier, Joan Gilbertson, Carlyle and Mary Haaland, Ruth Hanson, Don Harris, Marcy Heim, Rebecca Jorgensen, Susan M. Muldowney and Dan Olson, Darlene & Burt Olson, Marian Osterberg, Thomas Pierce, Jack & Lori Poulson, Bob Rand, Tom and Anne Renk, Jack and Sarah Salzwedel, Jim Sartori, Norma Satter, Allan and Wendy Schultz, Jerry and Lynette Schwartz, Jeremy & Ann Shea, Kokpeng Yu and Anna Lee Shen, Harold and Susan Siekert, Tom & Mary Anne Smith, Eugene Strangman, Jo Thomley, Dan and Amy Thorson, Mary Lou Tyne, Larry Veleke, Todd and Jae Werndli

In memory of Tom Osterberg by Marian Osterberg

In memory of Karl Peterson by Tom and Judi Griffin, Bethel Friendship Club

In memory of Harry Keith Schoff by Phil & Mary Lou Dzick, Ruth Hanson

In memory of Bob Selvey by Phil & Mary Lou Dzick

In memory of Lou Unverzagt by Judi & Tom Griffin, Ruth Hanson, Bob & Peggy Hoekenga, Alice & Bill Mowbray, Rosella Paulman, Larry Veleke, Della Vivien, Laura & Denis Vogel, Bethel Friendship Club

In memory of Paul Young by Alice and Bill Mowbray

BETHEL HORIZONS SCHOLARSHIP

In memory of Bill Clerkin by Kathy Clerkin

CREATIVE WORSHIP SINGERS

In memory of Deb Przywara by Blessing Circle

ENDOWMENT FOUNDATION

In memory of James Conant by Stephen Christenson, Tara & Bradley Miller, JoAnn Six

In memory of Karen Gould by Karen Gould Estate

In memory of Judy Grobe by Bradley & Barbara Armstrong, Karl & Velma Marquardt
In memory of Alice Hansen by Karl & Vel Marquardt, Peder & Jeanne Moren
In memory of Jean Hodel by Howard Hodel, Tricia Hodel

HOMELESS MINISTRY

In memory of Alice Hansen by Donna Border, Daniel & Judith Breunig, The Dennis & Catherine Buege Fund, William Bullock, Arlen & Judith Christenson, Bob & Marilyn Cleveland, Nancy Cohick, Ann & Phillip Dettwiler, Kathleen Engel-Hunt, Donna Fox, Craig & Cristel Gjerde, Judi & Tom Griffin, Ruth Hanson, Faith Kelley, Rita Kelliher, Phyllis Kenseth, Barbara Kepler, David & Sigrid Knuti, Kenneth Kushner, Jan & Ron Opelt, David & Patty Saxe, William & Pamela Scheibel, James & Mary Stafne, Edward & Cynthia Stark, Eugene Strangman, Mike & Bev Thom, Connie Thompson, Mary Lou Tyne, Dorie Underkofler, Carolyn White
In memory of Alice Hansen, our Beloved Circle Sister by Howard & Bonnie Kulke
In memory of Jeannine Smith by Catherine & Robert Trevallee

LIBRARY

In memory of my parents, Joseph W. & Mary E. Steel by Roger Steele

MEDIA EQUIPMENT

In memory of my husband Joe & daughter Mary Jo by Lorraine Hoel

MEDIA MINISTRY

In honor of Pastors & Staff for all the media outreach by Mary Lou Tyne
In memory of Mike Bunting by Phil & Mary Lou Dzick
In memory of Pastor Brent Christianson by Carla Mollien
In memory of Bill Clerkin by Kathy Clerkin
In memory of Judy Grobe by Margaret Aikins
In memory of Alice Hansen by Doug & Judi Haag, Carla Mollien
In honor of Pastor Mike, Amy Hartsough & Katie Gerlach for their contributions which have touched us. by Burt & Darlene Olson
In memory of Margaret Olson by Joan Gilbertson, Judi & Tom Griffin
In memory of Karl Peterson by XYZ
In memory of Louise Rasmussen by Carol Ross
In memory of Don Schmidt by XYZ
In memory of my parents, Joseph W. & Mary E. Steel by Roger Steele
In memory of Ruth Kirchoff by Donn & Sheila Barber
In memory of Art & Char Nelson by John & Sandra Hefte
In memory of Hugh Russell by Joyce Russell
In memory of Glen & Ardene Smith by Cindy

MUSIC MINISTRY

In memory of Judy Grobe by Judi & Tom Griffin
In memory of Alice Hansen by Delma Baker, Norv & Carrie Bernhardt, Donna Fox, Donn & Renee Gasner, Keith & Andrea Kelling, Rosemarie & Francis McMahan, W. E. Naas & Renee

Trent, Mike & Bev Thom, Jo Thomley
In memory of Joan Langdon by Judi & Tom Griffin

OPERATING BUDGET

In memory of Harold Anderson by Rebecca Jorgensen
In memory of Robert Gay by Dannelle & Andy Gay
In memory of Judy Grobe by Marilyn & Bob Cleveland, Larry & Gail Grobe, Mel & Vera Miller, Ted & Jan Tweed, Jean Unverzagt, Abigail Circle
In memory of Judy Grobe, my cousin by Ronald Holten
In memory of Alice Hansen by Susan Bulgrin, Ray & Helen Kruse, Michael & Kathlyn Steele
In memory of Jane Hilsenhoff by Robert & Lu Westervelt
In memory of Joan Langdon by Rebecca Jorgensen
In memory of Marlys Mittlestadt by Rebecca Jorgensen
In memory of Keith Schoff by Gisela & John Kutzbach
In memory of George Traut by Anonymous
In memory of Lou Unverzagt by Connie Dreger, Lena Hinton, George Holt, Betsey McKinney, Daniel & Susan Murray, Mark Unverzagt, Abigail Circle
In memory of Vernon Paul Young by Lois Polenz, Robert Keller
In memory of Norma by Ruben Buse

SPECIAL CHALLENGE FUND

In memory of Alice Overdahl Hansen by Alice & Marc Hansen Charitable Gift Fund

Parish Records

BAPTISMS

Charlie Jack Mulich	7/12/2020
Mara Mae Louthier	8/14/2020
Madeline Rose Huepenbecker	9/6/2020

WEDDINGS

Glen & Valeria Miller	8/21/2020
Mangali Gomden & Bikram Gurung	9/5/2020

FUNERALS

Margaret Olson	7/11/2020
Jane Hilsenhoff	7/15/2020
Eileen Morgan	7/17/2020
Barbara Overton	7/25/2020
Melanie Walker	8/3/2020
Joan Goodyear	8/10/2020
Bruce Bollerud	8/11/2020
V. Paul Young	8/12/2020
Ardell May	8/14/2020
Roger Housner	8/22/2020
Judith Froseth	8/28/2020
Irene Skattum	8/29/2020
Gary Meyer	8/30/2020
Judy Grobe	9/3/2020
Michael Bunting	9/4/2020
Nancy Zitka	9/14/2020
Joan Langdon	9/21/2020
Harold Anderson	9/22/2020

Give Memorials online at bethelmadison.org/giveonline
(select 'other - special' then use the optional memo line to add your memorial or honorarium.
Or mail memorials to Dona Meyer at Bethel Lutheran Church, 312 Wisconsin Ave, Madison, WI 53703

Men's Current Christian Concern (Thursdays at 8:30am)

Men's Current Christian Concerns continues to meet each Thursday morning via a Zoom video conference. The meeting starts at 8:30am instead of 7am during this temporary rearrangement.

Nov 5 – Security and Privacy: Part 3

Nov 12 – What Makes a Good Catholic?

Nov 19 – Critical Race Theory in Education

If you have questions, contact Larry Larrabee at 608.249.9982.

Wednesday Night Live Streamed Lord's Supper - Join us on Wednesdays at 6:30pm for the Lord's Supper. Just because we are unable to meet in person for worship doesn't mean we can't share the Lord's meal. There are few features more central to the life and teaching of Jesus than the common meal. Every Wednesday until we are able to celebrate in person, a pastor will lead us in a live-streamed Lord's Supper at 6:30pm on Bethel's Facebook or you can watch any time after 8pm on our YouTube channel. Of course, no Lord's Supper is complete without the bread and wine (or juice). So, everyone is asked to have wine/juice and bread ready for the evening's communion (any type of bread and wine/juice will work). A pastor will lead the blessing over the internet. We will all share the body and blood together and the goodness of God.

Contemplative Scripture Reading on Thursdays (Interactive) - Join Pam Shellberg for a time of interactive, contemplative scripture reading. During each 45-minute period, we will read a passage from scripture and reflect on it by way of the ancient practice of lectio divina. This involves engaging the scripture with our minds, imaginations, and hearts – along with good measures of silence and sharing. This will happen in “real-time,” and you will be able to join in as part of a video conference (if you have a webcam on your computer) or by phone. Links will be provided in the Thursday Daily Devotion email for joining this group. Send any questions to Pam Shellberg at pam@bethel-madison.org.

The **Men's Friday Book Study** currently meets every Friday from 8-9am via Zoom. The group is discussing *Why Does The World Exist?* by Jim Holt. Contact Larry Larrabee at lar3car2@gmail.com or 608.249.9982 for the Meeting ID and Password.

TEXT TO GIVE - Text “BLC” to 73256 to give.

GIVE ONLINE - www.bethel-madison.org/giveonline

Bethel on Instagram - Scan the image below to follow us!



CHRISTMAS

Flowers, Food Pantry & Homeless Ministry 2020

Please write **separate checks** for Poinsettias, Food Pantry & Homeless Ministry. The **Deadline is Monday, Dec 7**, to return this form and money to Bethel for donations to be included in the Bethel Weekly listing.

POINSETTIA GARDEN

CIRCLE ONE: In Memory In Honor

NAME _____

BY _____

_____ X \$20 = _____
OF PLANTS TOTAL DUE

Flowers may be picked up starting Dec 28 or after. The deadline for all gifts to be recognized in the Bethel Weekly listing is Dec 7.

HOMELESS MINISTRY

CIRCLE ONE: In Memory In Honor

NAME _____

BY _____

AMOUNT _____

FOOD PANTRY

CIRCLE ONE: In Memory In Honor

NAME _____

BY _____

AMOUNT _____

CASH/CHECK # _____

ENVELOPE # _____

PHONE _____

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Attn: Christmas Giving
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23 PENTECOST

Pastor Mike Brown - Nov 8 at 7:30am, 9am, & 11am

24 PENTECOST

Pastor Mike Brown - Nov 15 at 7:30am, 9am, & 11am

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 8

- 7:30a Worship Service (live-stream Facebook & YouTube)
- 9:00a Worship Service (viewed on Facebook & YouTube)
- 10:00a Virtual Coffee Hour (Zoom)
- 11:00a Worship Service (live-stream on Facebook & YouTube)

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 9

- 9:00a Daily Devotion (Email)
- 12:00p Food Pantry Open 1-3pm (MWF)

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 10

- 9:00a Daily Devotion (Email)
- 7:00p Fireside Chats (Facebook)
- 8:00a Fireside Chats (YouTube)

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11

- 9:00a Daily Devotion (Email)
- 6:30p Lord's Supper (live-stream Facebook)
- 7:00p Bible Study - The Bible, the Body, and the Beloved with Pastor Mike
- 8:00p Lord's Supper (YouTube)

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 12

- 8:30a Men's Current Christian Concerns (Zoom)
- 9:00a Daily Devotion (Email)
- 10:00a Contemplative Scripture Reading with Pam Shellberg (Zoom)
- 8:30p Contemplative Scripture Reading with Pam Shellberg (Zoom)

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 13

- 8:00a Men's Friday Book Study (Zoom)
- 9:00a Daily Devotion (Email)

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14

- 9:00a Daily Devotion (Email)

PASTORAL STAFF

Pastor Mike Brown - Lead Pastor
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Pastor John Swanson - Director of Congregational Life
jswanson@bethel-madison.org

SUNDAY FLOWERS

Oct 18: Altar Spray was given in memory of Jim & Joan Langdon by Peder & Jeanne Moren.

Oct 25: Altar Spray was given in thanks of the crystal clear persuasion of God's word by an Anonymous member.

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