

“This is the day that the LORD has made, let us rejoice and be glad in it.” Psalm 118:24

Welcome to Bethel Christian Reformed Church on this Sunday, February 12, 2023. This is the day the Lord has made!

Helping with Worship and Fellowship this morning

Ushers: Paul Poppen, Kevin Abel & Brian Bresser
PP/Audio: Curt Vlietstra & Jared Oosterhouse
Organist: Sandy Alsum
WOW Leader: Erica Mulder
WOW Helper: Olivia Mulder
Nursery Adult: Nicole Poppen
Nursery Helpers: Ali Oosterhouse & Lily Vander Galien

Bethel Family

This morning Ben Verhulst will be leading our service. Ben is an elder at City Reformed Church in Milwaukee where he has also served as a pastoral intern. He is married to Rachelle and his primary focus is taking care of their two young boys. When time allows, he also works on his MDiv, attends Synod, and consults with churches on Safe Church questions.

Our 2nd offering this morning is for Bible League International.

Church Directory Updates- The 2023 church directory will be printed in the coming weeks. If you have a new address, phone number or email address you would like included please email office@waupunbethelcrc.com

Bethel Activities and Events

Coffee Break meets on Wednesdays at 9:00 a.m. All are welcome to join!

Elder Family Visitation for Sunday, February 19, 2023 held at Church

Elder Districts

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6:00PM	Ben Buteyn	Wayne Kastein	Jared Oosterhouse	Josh Schaalma
6:45PM	Dan Buwalda	Frank De Young	Jordan Oosterhouse	Nathaneal Scheuers

Elders Districts-- 1/De Young & Smies , 2/Bos & Visser 3/Karsten & Buwalda 4/Heuver & Hoffman

Please contact Christina at (920) 463-0846 or office@waupunbethelcrc.com if you are unable to make your visit.

Thank you,
The Elders of Bethel

Community Activities and Events

Join the grassroots movement for reformation in the Christian Reformed Church in North America (CRCNA). Listen to "The Messy Reformation," a podcast featuring local pastors and updates in the CRCNA. Sign up for our email newsletter for resources and be part of a community committed to empowering congregations and pastors in the work of reformation within the CRCNA. Sign up now: <https://themessyreformation.jasonruis.com/join-the-reformation/> Find our podcast: "The Messy Reformation" on any podcasting software or YouTube.

Register for the ONE Waupun Men’s Conference today! Our theme this year is “Who we are in Christ” and will feature a video message by Rick Warren and in-person messages from Bob Lenz, Founder & President of Life Promotions, and Aaron Baart, Chief of Staff & Dean of Chapel at Dordt University. Between praise & worship, fellowship and small group discussion, your spirit will be renewed and refreshed. This free conference will take place on Saturday, March 4 from 8:30-3:30. Register today at www.onewaupun.com

75th Anniversary Celebration!!!! SAVE THE DATES! April 29 & 30

Seventy-five years of longevity is no guarantee. Whether it is a business, a church, a family, or any other institution, reaching the milestone of a Diamond Anniversary only happens through faithfulness in leadership, investment, and operation. It’s important that we acknowledge God’s faithfulness and the shared investment of generations to allow Christ-centered education at CWC to not just exist but to thrive. Setting aside time highlights commitments to invest for generations to come, because there are no guarantees in the future. This event also is a way of “telling the generations of the praiseworthy deeds of the Lord” to our alumni, our current parents/staff, and our community.

The Dordt University Wind Symphony is coming to Waupun on Saturday, March 11 for a 6:30 PM concert at the Central Wisconsin Christian School Crusader Center. They are in need of host families to volunteer to house the students after their concert. Host families typically come to the concert and pick up students afterward, provide a snack that evening, provide breakfast the following morning, and make sure they get to the First CRC in Waupun in the morning for worship the next day. If you are willing to housing Dordt University Wind Symphony Students on Saturday, March 11, please contact Kim Greenfield at kgreenfield@wearecwc.org

<u>Week</u>	<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Offering</u>	<u>YTD Given</u>	<u>YTD Budget</u>
February 5	229	\$16,037 (General Fund) \$442 (Church Health Services)	\$360,512	\$315,531

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Prelude

We Gather in God's House

- * How Great Is Our God
- * Call to Worship/Greeting
- * Battle Belongs
- * What He's Done

We Worship Through Prayer and Giving

Congregational Prayer

Offerings:

- (1) General Fund
(2) Bible League International

We Hear God's Word Proclaimed

- *Hymn— PH #246 “Come, Thou Almighty King”

(Children ages 3-5 are dismissed for Walk Out Worship)

Scripture: 1 Samuel 17:41-47

Sermon: God's Mighty Deliverance

Prayer

We Depart to Serve in God's Kingdom

- *Hymn— PH #408 “Rejoice, the Lord is King”

*God's Blessing

*Hymn—PH #500 “How Firm a Foundation”

Postlude

This week at Bethel...

Monday (2/13)- Council Meeting

Wednesday (2/15)- Coffee Break @ 9:00 a.m.
GEMS

Helping with Worship/Fellowship on February 19, 2023

Visiting Pastor: Joe DeHaan

Offering: Mission Support

Ushers: David Smits, Bryant Greenfield and Brian Kartechner

PP/Audio: Curt Vlietstra & Jared Oosterhouse

Organist: Marilyn Smits

Nursery Adult: KK Vander Werff & Samantha Braskamp

Nursery Helper: Bella Schaalma & Addie Smits

WOW Leader: Cassie Kartechner

WOW Helper: Ben Kartechner

