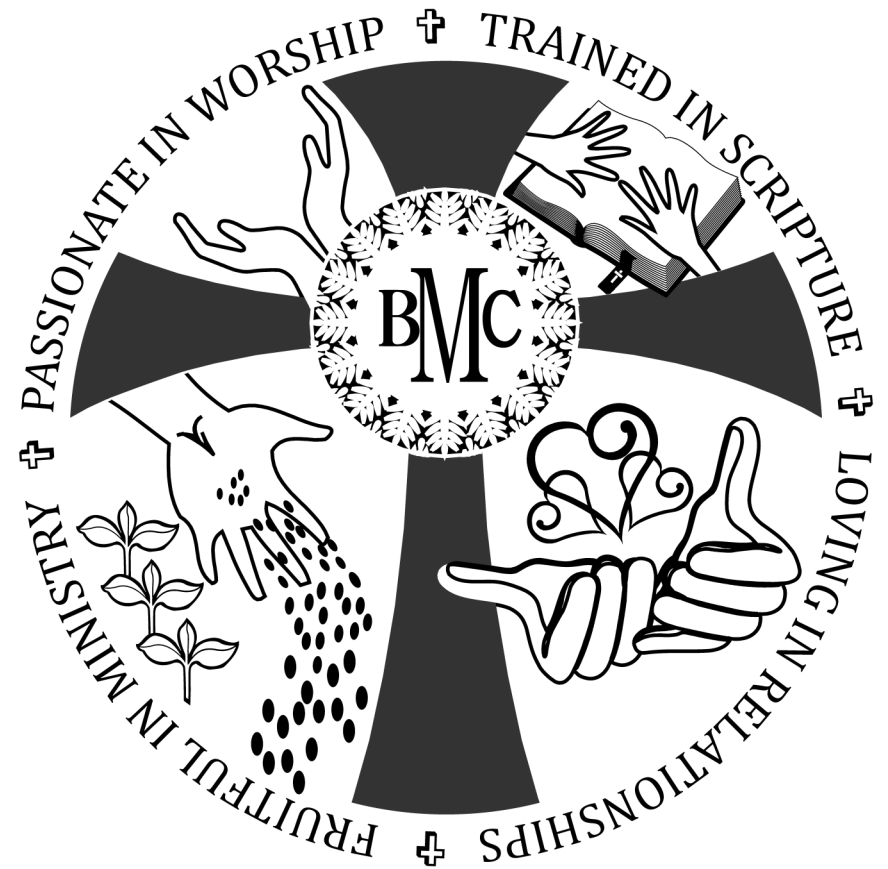


Notes

# Bethel Mennonite Church



(Detach and place in offering plate)

## Bethel Mennonite Church

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Please send me more information about the church.

Please give me a call.

Please add me to the church messaging system using:

Voice Message  Text Message  e-Mail (check all that apply)

**September 16, 2018**  
**Prayer: 9:00 am**  
**Sunday School: 9:30 am**  
**Worship: 10:30 am**

Rev. David Zapf, Pastor

Church Web Site: <http://www.bethelmennchurch.org>

Facebook: <http://www.facebook.com/bethelmennchurch>

Church Phone: 573-378-4878; Mobile: 815-228-6391

E-mail: [bethel.fec@gmail.com](mailto:bethel.fec@gmail.com)

# WORSHIP SERVICE

Prelude.....Joni Loganbill

*I Need a Savior*

Call to Worship..... Psalm 24

Announcements and Prayer

Offering† ..... Local Church Fund

Offertory ..... Twila Garber

*Andante Cantabile* by Beethoven

Praise and Worship ..... Hymn

Message\* ..... Dave Zapf

*Approaching God with Blood on Your Hands*  
*Yom Kippur (Leviticus 16)*

Praise and Worship ..... Hymn

Postlude

†Bethel uses an Offering Schedule, which is published on the inside front cover of the Church Directory. Unless designated otherwise, offerings go to fund indicated above. Offerings on the 1st Sunday of each month go to the FEC. Offerings on the 3rd and 5th Sundays go to the Local Church Fund.

\*A nursery located in the basement is available for children age 3 and under for the remainder of the service. Nursing mothers may use the rooms in the back of the balcony.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Offerings**—September 2: Local Church \$1,860, FEC \$1,347, Parsonage Repairs \$100; September 9: Local Church \$540, Church Library \$1,627, Sullivans \$125.

**Offering next Sunday:** Children’s Choir/Kids Klub

**The Mercy Road Team** will have a concert at Bethel on Sunday morning, September 23rd. A free-will offering will be taken for their prison ministry. Posters to advertise this event are available on the information table. Please take distribute to appropriate locations!

**There will be a carry-in Church Fellowship Meal** following the Mercy Road Team concert on September 23rd. Church members: please bring enough for additional guests.

### 2018 Local Fund Offerings as of 9/9/2018

|          |     |             |
|----------|-----|-------------|
| Offering | 84% | \$56,762.70 |
| Need*    |     | \$67,500    |

\*Anticipated need is \$1,875/week multiplied by the number of weeks year to date.

## THIS WEEK

|        |         |                               |
|--------|---------|-------------------------------|
| Sun.   | 2:30pm  | Kidwell/Good Shepherd Service |
| Wed.   | 3:30pm  | Children’s Choir/Kids Klub    |
| Wed.   | 7:00pm  | Youth Group at Providence     |
| Thurs. | 1:00pm  | Women in Mission              |
| Sat.   | 9am–1pm | Blood Drive at Bethel         |

## COMING EVENTS

|          |         |   |
|----------|---------|---|
| Sept. 23 | 10:30am | Mercy Road Team at Bethel                           |
| Sept. 23 | noon    | Church Carry-in Fellowship Meal                     |
| Sept. 26 |         | See You at the Pole for Students                    |
| Oct. 4   |         | Bring Your Bible to School Day (bringyourbible.org) |

**The Mercy Road Team and the Harvest Team** from the Gospel Echoes prison ministry will be featured in concert at a fund raising banquet in Warsaw, Missouri, on Saturday, October 6. See foyer bulletin board for more details.

**The Glensted United Methodist Church** will host their annual “Lord’s Acre Sale” on Saturday, September 9, from 5:00pm–7:00pm See bulletin board for more information.

**Following Dave’s ministry** service here at Bethel both he and Ruth will be missed. This includes both personally as well as ministry service. To facilitate this transition in the sphere of service the Church Council has decided to seek help with the weekly bulletin, church records and various communication. Dave is interested in helping inform/train the individual or individuals interested in this. Computer skills will be a definite help. Please contact a council member if you feel led to serve in this capacity. On behalf of the Council & Board, Stan Garber.

**World Craft & Thrift Store** is celebrating it’s 20th Anniversary with a picnic in Dunham park on September 28 at 5:00 pm. All former and present volunteers are invited. Meat and drink are provided. Bring a dish of your choice and lawn chairs. RSVP as soon as possible at the store or to omaguhr@outlook.com

**Bulletin information due by noon on Thursdays.**

### Vision

The vision of Bethel Mennonite Church is to be a Christ-centered community that is passionate in worship, trained in the Scriptures, loving in relationships, and fruitful in ministry to the glory of God.

### Mission

We strive to achieve this vision by prayerfully cultivating a Spirit-led, Christ-centered community through the message of salvation, intentional worship, Bible-centered teaching, Christian fellowship, and mission orientation.

### Core Values

- Loving God
- Loving Our Neighbors
- Seeking God through Prayer
- Seeing Life through a Biblical Worldview
- Serving God together through Team Ministry

Praise the Lord Forever (PTLF) by being Passionate, Trained, Loving, and Fruitful!

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