



[9] you whom I took from the ends of the earth, and called from its farthest corners, saying to you, "You are my servant, I have chosen you and not cast you off"; [10] fear not, for I am with you; be not dismayed, for I am your God; I will strengthen you, I will help you, I will uphold you with my righteous right hand. (ESV) Isaiah 41:9-10

Dear Bethel Church Family,

We're thankful for the many ways the Lord is at work among us. Your generosity and patience during this season of growth and change have been a real encouragement to the diaconate.

### **Facility Updates**

We know that the ongoing construction has brought restricted parking, building access, and utilities disruptions. Thank you for your grace and understanding as we work through these issues and toward our long-term project goals. Every disruption is another step toward creating a more welcoming and useful space for ministry.

As we see real progress on phase two of our building project, we encourage you to continue giving generously to the building fund. These gifts enable us to prepare for expanded ministry opportunities and to better serve our congregation and community for years to come.

We're excited to share that the longneglected tennis court is being resurfaced! In addition to restoring the court, new pickleball lines will be added, providing more opportunities for fellowship and recreation.

#### **Other Notes**

If you would like printed offering envelopes, please let the church office know how many you'll need.

### Staying Connected

As always, we encourage you to reach out to your shepherding team with any questions, concerns, or needs. We are here to serve you and to walk alongside you in the name of Christ.

Blessings, Ethan Wallace, Diaconate Chairman

## this week

### Session Meeting

9/14 at 2:00 pm

Kids' Quest 9/14 at 5:00 pm

Sunday's sermon:

Circle # 2 9/14 at 3:30 pm

GriefShare

9/16 at 6:30 pm

Obedient Children

Colleen Riddle Circle

1 Peter 1:13-17

MS Girls Discipleship Group 9/14 at 4:00 pm

events

9/17 at 11:00 am

Youth 9/14 at 5:00 pm

# schedule

volunteer

<u>Infant Nursery</u> Abby Chidester & Kimberly Richards

<u>Toddler Nursery</u> Jessica McMullen & Sylvia Price

**Worship Training** Danielle Austin & Amanda Brummett