



Session Highlights

"When Jesus Christ is a single component instead of the center of life, things become complicated; the worries of the world, the deceitfulness of wealth and the desires of other things choke the word of truth in our lives, and we do not bear lasting fruit (Mark 4:19)."
– Face To Face, author Kenneth Boa.

Greetings Bethel Church family and friends!

The Session met Sunday, October 12, 2025 at 2:00 pm for the regular stated meeting. Here are a few highlights from our meeting.

The Session received regular monthly reports from:

Ethan Wallace provided the Deacons' report and minutes review, as well as the Financial Report. Bob Love and Bill Johnson provided reports on their shepherding activity. Monthly Staff reports were received from our Senior Pastor, Assistant Pastor, Young Adult Ministry Intern, and Youth Ministry Intern.

Neil Allen provided a Phase 2 Building update – block walls are being erected, backfilling and concrete prep work are currently being performed, the basement will have a concrete slab installed this week, plumbing prep work will begin soon, as well as steel floor framing. Carmel is hopeful of having the building dried-in by early 2026.

Other Session action highlights:

The Session approved our Christian Education Committee's recommendations to use Hebrews 12:1-2 for the spring memory passage, Family Quest date changed from February 15th to February 1st, and to hold Kids Night Out on Saturday, February 7, 2026.

The Session approved the 2026 final budget as prepared by the BPC Budget Committee. There will be a congregational meeting to present the budget at a date to be determined.

As always, please do not hesitate to reach out to your shepherding elder if there are any questions, concerns, and most importantly any prayer requests.

Peace,
Neil Allen
Clerk of Session

this week

Sunday's sermon:

Table Manners

1 Corinthians
11:12-30

events

Congregational Luncheon
10/19 - following service

Youth
10/19 at 5:00 pm

Young Adult Community Group
10/19 - see Matt Clay

GriefShare
10/21 at 6:30 pm

Men's Bible Study
10/22 at 6:00 am

GriefShare
10/22 at 1:00 pm

Mentors & Moms
10/23 at 9:30 am

Men of the Covenant
10/23 at 6:30 pm

volunteer schedule

Infant Nursery
Danielle Austin
& Beth Stowe

Toddler Nursery
Peggy & David
Long

Worship Training
Lindsey Hall &
Ruth McCormick