

My Worship Notes (to use for spiritual growth this week)

But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. - 2 Peter 3:18a

Everybody _____ be _____

You cannot _____ the _____ of the _____

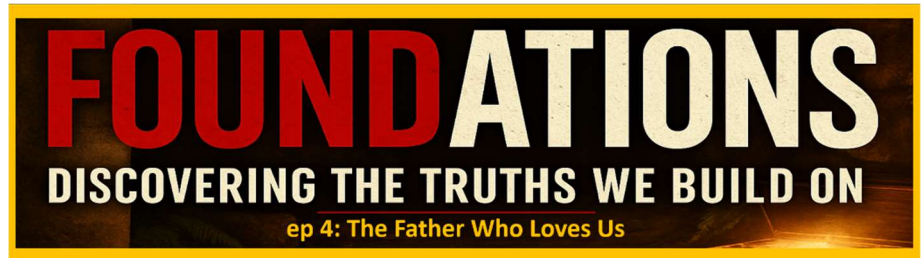
Love is the very _____ of _____ nature

_____ is the _____ of God

_____ is the mission of _____

My Next Steps:

- A) I will start each day this week by thanking God for fully knowing and loving me.
- B) I will write a note or message reminding someone that they are seen and loved.
- C) I will turn off social media one evening to rest in God's presence without filters.
- D) I will confess one fear or regret to God in honest prayer.
- E) (Kid's Step) I will put my heart sticker somewhere I see every day and say, "God loves me!"



October 5, 2025, 9 AM – World Communion Sunday

Gathering Music: - Christy Zey, Piano

*Opening Song: "Good, Good Father" (on screen)

*As we sing we welcome the presence of God with us as acolyte
Isaac Bangert brings in the flame to light the Christ Candle*

*Greeting Our Friends & Making New Connections

* Anthem: *Total Praise* - Bethany Choir
Linda Cook, dir.

*Welcome! - Pastor Robb McClintock

The Bethany Breakdown & Putting our Faith into Action

Centering on God in Prayer

Sharing in God's Word

A Responsive Reading of Psalm 139:1-18 - Lead by Kellen Bangert

Song: "Father, I Adore You" (choir leads and everyone sings)

Message: **Foundations, ep 4 – The Father Who Loves Us**

Psalm 139; 1 John 4:7–12; Romans 8:38–39; John 3:16

Sharing in The Lord's Supper (all are welcome!)

*As we share you are welcome to join in with the praise team singing
"Breathe" (words on screen)*

*Closing Song: "Sanctuary" (on screen)

*Blessing and Sending Out Following The Light of Christ

Love God - Love Others - Serve the World

*You are Invited to stand in body or spirit

Upcoming Events & Ministries

“Jesus CPR” Small Group Learning Experience! **“Christ Provides R.....”**

Mondays: Oct. 20 & 27, Nov. 3
Thursday: & Nov. 13
6:00-7:15 pm in the Lower Level Lounge/Meeting Room

Wednesday Mornings: Oct. 22, 29, Nov. 5 & 12
10-11:15 am in the Lower Level Lounge/Meeting Room

Led by Barb Mamerow & Jill Connery

**We will be exploring the how's, why's, when's of Christ
Providing for us as we move into Thanksgiving and Advent.**

Session 1:
Christ Provides Relevance – using our hands for prayer.

Session 2:
Christ Provides Restauration, Rehabilitation, Resurrection.

Session 3:
Christian People Rejoice, Rebuild,
Read the Bible.

Session 4:
Christian People Respond – What
do you do with CPR now that you
have learned it?
Get your CPR certificate.



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Bethany Prayer Life

At Bethany, we believe in the power of prayer.
If you would like to add a prayer to our email prayer list,
please contact Pastor Robb or the church office.
Joys and Concerns publicly (on our email list, or in person)
shared this week are printed in this bulletin.

****Ron and Mary Vinger welcome a new great-grandson,
Lewis James Vinger. Lewis is 8# 5oz. and born October 2, 2025.
Mom, dad, and baby Lewis are all doing well.**

****Please offer prayers for healing, patience, rest, and peace for
Paula Nault who has been in the hospital since Sunday (9/28) for
pain and stomach issues. She is awaiting test results.**

****Please pray for Will Lull's father as he has been placed on
Hospice. Prayers also for Will and their family as they navigate this
difficult time.**

****Paula Voskuil is asking for prayers for Caryn's (Paula and Al's
daughter) mother-in-law, Anne. She has had a lung thing for two
months. She thought she was getting better but then got worse!
She is now in ICU in Melbourne, Australia. Caryn's father-in-law has
been here in the states the past couple of weeks. (It was a planned
visit). But they are struggling getting him home as some flights have
been cancelled. Thank you!**

****On this World Communion Sunday, we pray for our brothers and
sisters in Christ around the world. Together, we are receiving the
God's love and grace as through the body and blood of Christ.**

Bethany Church Breakthrough Prayer

"God of boundless possibilities, break through to us and reveal the
ways You are calling us to put our faith into action, so Bethany
Church will bring greater healing, hope, and renewal in our
community through the love of Jesus Christ."

Bethany Ministries the week of October 5-12

Sunday **World Communion Sunday**
 9:00A *Worship Service - Choir, Confirmation & Sunday School
 10:00A Continental Breakfast & Conversation Fellowship Hall
 9:45A Sunday School/Youth/Confirmation To Learning
 Experience Downstairs
 10:30A Lunch/Brunch for the New Member Orientation and all
 headed to the Red Barn Maze
 12:00P Meet at the Red Barn Maze if not leaving from church

Monday
 6:00P Scout Meeting Fellowship Hall

Tuesday
 12:30P Prayer Shawl Ministry Lower Level Meeting Room
 6:30P Women's Accountability – Zoom
 8:00P Men's Malachi Group – Zoom

Wednesday
 5:15P Community Potluck Supper Fellowship Hall
 6:00P Communion Led by Lay Servants Sanctuary
 6:30P Vocal Choir Sanctuary
 7:30P Bell Choir Fellowship Hall
 7:30P Praise Band Rehearsal Sanctuary

Saturday Serve lunch at New Community Shelter

Thursday
 9:00A Men's Coffee, Conversation, & Treats Fellowship Hall
 10:30A Sunday Worship/SS Planning Office
 10:00A Women's Bible Study on Job Lower Level Meeting Room

Sunday **Pie Sunday**
 9:00A *Worship Service w/Bell Choir, Confirmation, Sunday School
 10:00A Continental Breakfast & Conversation Fellowship Hall
 9:45A Sunday School/Youth/Confirmation To Learning
 Experience Downstairs

 *Worship is in building and live on our website and Facebook page.
 Worship On Demand is available on our website or Facebook page.
 *Pastor Cast is live or On Demand on our Facebook and website pages.
 *Continental Breakfast is free to all, but donations are welcome.



Welcome To Bethany Church!

1110 Echo Lane, Green Bay, WI 54304
 920-494-8801/ bethanygreenbay.org or scan



office@bethanygreenbay.org 920-315-8288

Pastor: Rev. Robb McClintock, pastor@bethanygreenbay.org

Welcome to All - We are so glad you're here in person or online!
 If you have any questions, please let us know.

- ✓ **Please Fill Out A Connection Card** – So we get to know you!
- ✓ **Kids worship bulletins on round table** – help yourself!
- ✓ **Sunday School** - Calling all Kids & Youth (4K – 12th Grade)!

You're invited to join our vibrant Sunday School experience every week starting at 9:00 am in worship. At 9:45 am, students will head to the Lower Level for a time of interactive learning and faith-building connections. Sunday School wraps up around 10:45 am, when kids/youth will reunite with families in Fellowship Hall.



Giving– Cash, check, or envelope can be placed in the Giving Kiosk. You can give by mail, text to 844-906-2286, on our website, or by scanning the QR code.

Wiggle Room/Nursery -The Wiggle Room/Nursery with Mrs. Sara Larsen (trained staff) is available for children 5 and under with a private bathroom and changing table. We have pagers for peace of mind.

Bathrooms – A family bathroom is located across from the kitchen. Bathrooms are located to the right of the Lobby. All have baby changing.

Free Faith Resources – Please take any of the community or faith resources. We can also mail resources.

Sunday Fellowship– Join us for conversation and connection in Fellowship Hall at 10:00 am with a complementary light breakfast. Laughter is good for the soul!

Communion - Served on the 1st Sunday, and weekly on Wednesday evenings. We use juice and gluten free bread. All ages are welcome to receive Communion. If you know someone who wants Communion at their residence, please let us know.

Bethany Life Groups – Small faith/ministry groups that will nourish your spirit and allow you to be you! For more information, visit our website.

Socials – Yes, we do that too!



Upcoming Events & Ministries

Bethany Church Class & Membership

God is always calling us forward—are you ready to take the next step in your faith and in your relationship with Bethany?

Consider becoming a full member!

Persons can become members by a profession of faith, transfer from another United Methodist church, restoration of a past membership at Bethany, or remaining a member of a current UM Church and becoming an *Affiliate Member of Bethany.

New Member Orientation Today

Lunch provided at 10:30 am.

Information and conversation about membership promises, responsibilities and possibilities with Pastor Robb until 12:15 pm.

Bethany is better with you being a part of it!

If you are interested, talk to Pastor Robb

Bethany Welcomes New Members on Sunday is October 26



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Bethany Mission Outreach

October Mission Outreach: 5th Annual Trunk or Treat



We are raising funds for the Trunk or Treat Outreach activity on October 19th from 3:00-4:30 pm. Come join the excitement and camaraderie of this fun event! Funds will go toward advertising and outreach supplies, including frisbees and popcorn.

You can give financially to the Trunk or Treat Outreach through the "Monthly Mission" giving.

1. Use an envelope for cash/ check to put in the kiosk or mail
2. Online at bethanygreenbay.org/give
3. Text the amount you want to give to 844-906-2286
4. You can give to the Trunk or Treat by providing candy or store bought individually wrapped treats, or fun items that can be handed out like pencils, bouncy balls.

BETHANY CHURCH..
IN CELEBRATION OF PIE

**FALL PIE DAY
OCTOBER 12, 2025**

BRING A PIE TO SHARE
HOMEMADE OR
BOUGHT PIES WELCOME
ICE CREAM PROVIDED

ALL ARE INVITED TO
PIE TOGETHER DURING
FELLOWSHIP!

Upcoming Events & Ministries

Bethany Church Family & Friends Fun Day! Today!

Time: We will gather to eat lunch around 10:30 am.

Then, we will caravan at 11:15 am to the Corn Maze. You can come and go as you need and are free to explore Red Barn with your family/group. We will try to get a group photo.



Cost: \$8 per person. Pay the Red Barn when you arrive.

Activities: corn maze, hayrides, farm animals, apple sling shot, obstacle course, corn hole, scavenger hunt, bales to climb. Pumpkins and concessions on site.

You are welcome to still come!!!! We have 30 people going.

Address: 7125 County Road J Forestville, WI

Website: www.redbarnmaze.com



Bethany Church Music Project

On October 12th, the adult bell choir will be performing
"They Will Know We are Christians by Our Love."

We are creating a slide show to be used as a backdrop during the performance.

We invite everyone in the church to draw a picture (using materials provided at your table in Fellowship Hall, or at home) or take a photo of what **"Christian Love"** looks like to you within our church.

Join our Sunday School students and staff and be included as a part of our amazing creative project about Christian love at Bethany, in your life, and in our beautiful world!

Send your photo or art to Linda Cook.
linda.cook@snc.edu or text to Linda at 920-639-4117



Bethany Church Honors the Saints In Our Lives All Saints Sunday on November 2, 2025

Bethany will gather to celebrate All Saints Sunday—a holy day to worship, remember, and give thanks for all the beloved people who have touched our lives and gone before us.

You are warmly invited to:

✦ Share names of all loved ones and friends, who have passed away in your lifetime, that you would like included in the All Saints' bulletin. Please submit names to the church office by October 26.

✦ Share pictures of your loved ones or friends (shown in worship) for our All Saints' Sunday. Pictures may be sent electronically by email to office@bethanygreenbay.org or text to Jill at 920-217-9241. You can also bring framed pictures to display during worship. Please provide all photos by October 26. Following worship, you may take your framed photos.

✦ Join in a beautiful service filled comforting scriptures, majestic music, and the promise of eternal life as we join in Communion with the Saints.

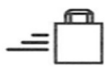
Come and be part of this tender, hopeful service as we honor the great cloud of witnesses who **continue to surround us in love.**

If you have any questions, please contact Jill in the church office at 920-494-8801 or office@bethanygreenbay.org





Thanksgiving Dinner



Meals will be delivered to Green Bay Area addresses by delivery volunteers. No in-person activities at Lambeau Field.



Food will arrive fully cooked but chilled 8-11 am on Thanksgiving Day, ready to reheat at your convenience.

(920) 490-7030

Call to reserve your meal delivery. Phone line open until Nov. 12 or until filled, whichever comes first. Hablamos Español.

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SCAN TO DONATE

TRUNK OR TREAT

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25TH
3:00- 4:30

HOW CAN YOU HELP?

- SIGN UP TO DECORATE YOUR TRUNK AND PASS OUT CANDY
- SIGN UP TO HELP WITH PARKING OR MOVING FAMILIES THROUGH THE LINE
- IF YOU CAN'T VOLUNTEER, PLEASE FEEL FREE TO COME AND JOIN THE FUN. DON'T FORGET TO BRING FRIENDS AND FAMILY!

SIGN UP SHEETS ARE IN THE BACK! THANK YOU!



Save The Date! Bethany Annual Church Conference Sunday, October 26

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Bethany's Annual Church Conference is Sunday, October 26, immediately following our 9:00 AM worship service at 10:15 am in the Fellowship Hall during of our Food & Fellowship Time.

We need YOU to help us celebrate Bethany's ministries and shape Bethany's future! At our annual Church Conference, everyone is invited to come, listen, ask questions and share. It's a time to celebrate what God has done, look ahead with vision, and speak into the life of our church.

Every voice matters in the conversation, and all professing members will also participate in the official votes that affirm our leaders and guide our ministry decisions. Similar in format to our Bethany quarterly meetings, our District Superintendent, Rev. Park Hunter, will lead us in this important time of prayer, discernment, and possibility.

Your presence matters. Come and be part of shaping the year ahead!

Food, Faith, and Fellowship

2nd Monday of every month, 5:00 pm to 6:30 pm



October 13
Mexico Lindo

445 Cardinal Way, Green Bay

RSVP to Jamie 920-764-0577 and/or Stephanie 920-676-0514

Everyone is responsible for their own tab.

Come and go as you need.

Mission Fuel Giving

*Your Apportionment Dollars
Planned for 2025*

Global

GLOBAL CONNECTIONAL MINISTRIES \$1,286,790

We are connected nationally and internationally to ministries through our Conference apportionment payments to the General Conference, supporting:

- ♦ Africa University
- ♦ Black College Fund
- ♦ General Administration of GCFA
- ♦ Interdenominational Cooperation Fund
- ♦ Ministerial Education Fund (25% stays in Wisconsin and is available for our Board of Ordained Ministry)
- ♦ World Service Fund – worldwide missions
- ♦ North Central Jurisdictional Conference Fund
- ♦ Episcopal Fund to support Bishops

Wisconsin

CONNECTIONAL MINISTRIES \$2,081,298

- ♦ Operations of Pine Lake and Lake Lucerne camps and retreat centers
- ♦ Advocacy, social justice, and monitoring groups
- ♦ Support for health and welfare agencies like Northcott Neighborhood House, Rooted and Rising and Harbor House
- ♦ Support for our active caucuses representing a range of cultures
- ♦ Communications and technology to connect with churches through weekly Enews, district communication, Bishop Dan Schwerin's messages, and devotionals.
- ♦ Membership and support of the Wisconsin Council of Churches
- ♦ Salaries and benefits for Conference staff

Wisconsin

CLERGY AND LAY LEADERSHIP \$391,210

- ♦ Connectional Table provides leadership to our conference committees and training
- ♦ Radical Inclusion and Racial Justice Initiatives
- ♦ 5 campus ministries supported through Board of Higher Education and Student Ministries
- ♦ Recruitment and nurturing of future and current ordained ministry
- ♦ Assistance to churches to pay minimum compensation for full time clergy
- ♦ Health insurance for all active, retired, and disabled clergy and their families.
- ♦ Coordination of pension benefits for active clergy, disabled, and retired clergy, their spouses and surviving spouses
- ♦ Lay Ministry and Youth Ministry

Wisconsin

LOCAL CONGREGATIONAL DEVELOPMENT \$1,531,855

- ♦ Over 20 New Ministries are being funded for a total of \$480,000
- ♦ Critical Mission funding totaling \$125,000
- ♦ Support for The Institute of Congregational Development and Instituto de Desarrollo Congregacional
- ♦ Training for Church renewal through Missional Church Consultation Initiative (MCCI).
- ♦ Salaries and expenses for four district superintendents, the Assistant to the Bishop and two District Administrators
- ♦ Moving expenses for pastors moving to and from appointments and retirements
- ♦ Legal immigration assistance for new pastors
- ♦ Assistance to clergy and churches with emergency financial needs

CONFERENCE SUPPORT MINISTRIES \$306,950

- ♦ Operation and maintenance of the Conference Center in Sun Prairie
- ♦ Archives office supporting research and history
- ♦ Accounting, audit, legal and other support administration
- ♦ Episcopacy Committee support

Wisconsin





How Bethany's 2025 Apportionment Was Calculated

Every United Methodist church in Wisconsin contributes its fair share of the Conference budget. For 2025, the total Conference budget is \$6,712,885. Bethany's share, like all other WI UM Churches, was calculated using the 2023 year-end statistical reports we submitted. The formula is weighted: $\frac{1}{3}$ Membership + $\frac{2}{3}$ Operating Expenses.

This means two factors are considered together: the size of our congregation and our financial resources. Churches with more members and greater expenses are asked to contribute a bit more, while smaller congregations contribute less. It's how we make sure every church carries its part of the mission fairly.

Component	Bethany's Data	Conference Total	Bethany's Share
Membership ($\frac{1}{3}$)	333 members	28,598 members	1.06%
Operating Expenses ($\frac{2}{3}$)	\$283,586	\$42,356,095	1.32%
Blended Share	—	—	0.793%
2025 Apportionment	—	\$6,712,885	\$53,220

Why This Matters

Apportionments aren't randomly assigned fees — they're the fuel that powers our shared ministry together. Each United Methodist congregation contributes in proportion to its size and resources, so together we can do what no single church could do alone

Bethany's 2025 share ensures that our church is fully part of this movement of discipleship, compassion, and transformation.

To Give >



or >

*Amount: \$ _____ Date: ____/____/____
☐ Cash (enclosed) ☐ Check (enclosed)
STEP #3 Designate my giving
\$ _____ Bethany Operating Budget
\$ _____ Current Monthly Mission
\$ _____ Capital Repair Fund
\$ _____ Other Apportionments
\$ _____ TOTAL (*should match amount above)
GIVING ENVELOPE

Your Apportionment
Dollars planned for 2025

