

# WELCOME TO BETHEL CHURCH



The fear of the LORD leads to life:  
Then one rests content, untouched by trouble.  
Proverbs 19:23

**The Lord's Day  
July 25, 2010**

Prelude – **Kristin Fehr**  
Pianist – **Andrina Doerksen**

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Welcome & Announcements – **Abe Wieler**

Adoration & Praise – **Henry & Lina Peters**

Prayer Ministry & Offering – **Pastor Randy**  
Offertory – **Kristin Fehr**

Children's Feature – **Henry Peters**

Scripture & Prayer – **Brian Falk**  
Esther 7:1-6

Missions Report – **Sam & Melody Kuka**  
(SEND International)

Our Response in Song

Prayer & Benediction

**There will be a short VBS Volunteer meeting in the Youth Room following the morning service.**

## THIS WEEK AT BETHEL

### **TODAY**

7:30 PM **COLLEGE & CAREER @ church**

### **TUESDAY**

6:30 AM **MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST**

### **SUNDAY**

10:00 AM **WORSHIP SERVICE – Martin Harder**

## PRAISE & PRAYER

*“And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the saints.”* Ephesians 6:18

**...Our Government Leaders** – serving in municipal, provincial and federal government (1 Tim. 2:1-2)

To help keep our prayer list current we would ask that prayer requests be updated. We will print a request for four weeks and then it will be removed unless we have a request to continue.

## CHURCH COUNCIL NOTES:

Although it seems like summer has just started plans are already underway for youth in the fall. Pastor Harold's time at Bethel will come to a close as summer winds up. A search committee has been formed by Church Council to find the new youth pastor that God has in store for Bethel, and even though it seems unlikely that one will be hired by fall we are still excited for what God has in store. The **Senior Youth** program is scheduling for an early September kick off and a great leadership team involving a majority of the youth sponsors from last year is already in place. If you have any questions about the Senior Youth program or would like to become involved in some aspect please contact any of the youth sponsors, or Kenton Doerksen – Ministerial & Council liaison (325-5389). **Junior Youth** will be headed up by Mark Toews on an interim basis (325-6854). There are already a number of excellent youth sponsors helping out in Junior Youth however a few more will be needed before youth starts in fall. If you have any questions about the youth program for the upcoming year please contact Kenton or Mark. Please keep the youth program in prayer as we continue to trust God for his direction and invest in the youth of our church and larger communities.

At their June meeting Church Council formally appointed **Jonathan Peters** to be the new **Awana Commander**. Jonathan has attended the Commander's College and is looking forward to serving in this role. Please pray for Jonathan and for the Awana team as they look forward to the fall start-up.



**CONGRATULATIONS** to Brian & Michelle Derksen on the birth of a baby boy, Blaze Kyson on July 18, weighing 7lbs 12.5 oz! We wish you great joy in raising your sons for Him.

## BETHEL'S UPCOMING EVENTS/ NOTES

**AUGUST 2 - Ryan Thiessen** (son of Gerald & Tina Thiessen) has been involved with **Koenes Ministries** in San Carlos in Senora Mexico for 3 years. It is an organization that hosts short-term mission groups from Canada and the US and connects them with needs and projects in the community through the local churches there. Ryan will be sharing about his work at the Winkler Senior Centre @ 8:00 PM.



**AUGUST 8 – College & Career Swim Night** - @ 9:00 PM at the Winkler Aquatic Center.

**AUGUST 10 – Youth Farewell for Pastor Harold** - @ 7:30 PM at church. Inviting all youth involved at Bethel in the past 9 years under Harold's leadership. Come out for a fun evening with Harold. Bring a lawn chair and any fun memories.



**AUGUST 16-20 – VBS @ Bethel** – for all kids ages Kindergarten – Gr 6 from 7-9 PM. Don't miss it! Volunteers are still needed to help with the program. If you could help out, please contact Pastor Greg @ 362-2937.

**40 DOZEN COOKIES** (peanut-free) are needed for Bethel's VBS. If you would be able to help out in this way contact Pastor Greg.



## UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS/ NOTES

**AUGUST 2-6 - Walhalla Community VBS** – Bethel Church has been asked if we could help provide volunteers for the Community VBS program being conducted in Walhalla, N.D. from 6:00 – 8:00 P.M. If you would like more information please call Cindy Smart, 325-4466.

**AUGUST 21 - 1st Annual Ride For Providence** - Providence College and Seminary invites our Motorcycle enthusiasts to our 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Ride for Providence. Funds raised during this ride will go to benefit the "Youth of Your Province" through our Bursary/Scholarship Fund. Information, registration, and sponsorships can all be done on-line at [www.providencecollege.ca](http://www.providencecollege.ca) or by calling Margaret at 433-7488 ext 236.

### **WOMEN'S EVENT:**

**Living Proof Live** simulcast featuring **Beth Moore** @ the Winkler EMM Church on September 18<sup>th</sup>. Tickets \$20/person (lunch is included). A sign-up sheet has been posted in the south foyer.

Exalt Christ  
Equip For Service  
Edify One Another  
Evangelize The Lost  
Extend Christ's Love

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Music Committee – Andrina Doerksen (325-5389)  
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Awana – Jonathan Peters (325-2093)