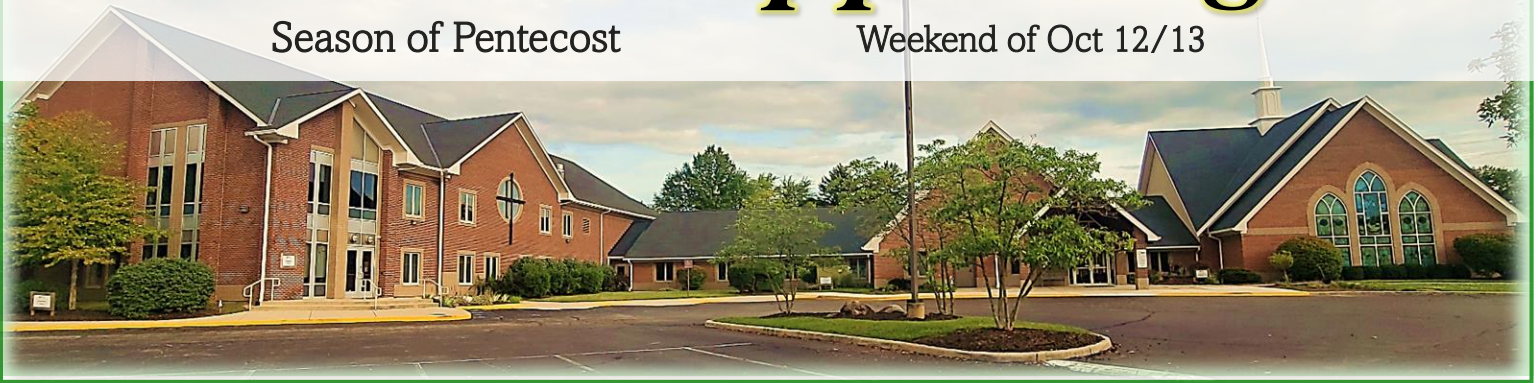


Bethel Happenings

Season of Pentecost

Weekend of Oct 12/13



WEEKLY INSIGHTS INTO WHAT'S HAPPENING AT BETHEL

Bethel Calendar: >>>

DATE	ACTIVITY
Oct 1 – Nov 3	Operation Christmas Child
Oct 13	Called to Vote Study 10a Fellowship Hall
Oct 16	No Youth Group – fall break
Oct 20	Chili Cook-off
Oct 23	No Youth Group – fall break
Oct 30	Youth Group 7p-8:30p
Nov 2	Fall Festival – 2p-7p
Nov 2-3	Circle of Sisters Craft Sale , 8a-1p Bless Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes
Nov 3	Time Change! Fall Back 1 hour Advent Devotionals due

Meditation: GIFT OF GRATITUDE ...

God showers on us the riches of His grace. The rich man who could not leave his wealth did not understand that it was all given to Him by the Lord. Our focus is as grateful Children of God we are able to give away and not let our possessions rule our lives. We have been given the gift of gratitude by our Lord to celebrate His love and grace given to us. And when you have gratitude, it changes your attitude.



Hebrews 3:12-19

Mark 10:17-22

FAMILY FALL FESTIVAL

LEGACY @ BETHEL 20650 CUMBERLAND RD

November 2nd | 2 PM - 7 PM



Free for the whole family!

Hayride - Food - Praise Karaoke - Raffle
Hay Maze - Pumpkin Station - Games
Face Painting and more...



Pick up a yard sign in the Narthex if you are willing to help advertise this event!



The Gratitude Factor - Looking at Stewardship as an Attitude Change is the theme of our Stewardship emphasis this year. Discover how you can be living in the power of thankfulness! Join us as we learn how to give thanks and be grateful for the wonderful gifts that our Lord has given us!

Please pick up your packet in the narthex.

Commitment Weekend will be November 9-10.



Regular Worship Services: Sat 5:30p, Sun 8:45a & 11:11a, Live Stream: Sun 8:45a & 11:11a
Office Hours: Tue, Wed, Thu – 9:00a-4:30p and Fri – 9:00a-1:30p

Things you should know >>

WHAT'S HAPPENING EACH WEEK...

Youth Group:
Wednesdays, 7p – 8:30p
 in the Youth Room upstairs. All middle and high school students welcome! Info – Sarah Manro at 317 937 4987.

Women On Wednesday:
Wednesdays, 9:30a–11a,
 we continue to study the Bible in the Fellowship Hall. All women welcome. Info – Sarah Manro at 317 937 403 5525.

Sausage & Scripture:
 Meets **Saturdays, 7:30a–9:00a** in Fellowship Hall. All men welcome to attend.

Sisters Without Misters:
 Meets the **2nd Saturday of month @ 1p!**

Marilyn's place:
 Tuesday – Friday 3 to 7p, & Saturday 11a-3p each week.

Bethel food pantry: Open every **2nd & 3rd Tuesdays from 6-7:30p** and the following Saturdays of that week from 9-11:30a. Signup sheet in the Narthex on the information wall to volunteer.

2024 CHILI COOK-OFF

RIGHT AFTER THE 11:11 SERVICE IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL



IS YOUR CHILI YUMMY? IF SO, IT IS TIME TO SHOW OFF YOUR COOKIN' SKILLS!!! BRING YOUR CHILI TO THE FELLOWSHIP HALL BEFORE 12 NOON ON SUNDAY OCTOBER 20TH. BE SURE IT IS IN A CROCK POT TO KEEP IT WARM. AND THAT IS IT.

NOW IF YOU ARE NOT INTERESTED IN COOKING BUT HAVE AN APPETITE FOR SOME GREAT CHILI JUST SHOW UP FOR LUNCH. WE SERVE THE BEST CHILI IN TOWN!!!

CONTACT: RISE HELGEMO 317-439-3891

WEEKLY SPOTLIGHT!

Each week we Spotlight our recent volunteers & Members!

IN THE **Spotlight** *thank you*



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No WOW on October 16th!



IT'S TIME TO ORDER ~ Orders are due October 20th!

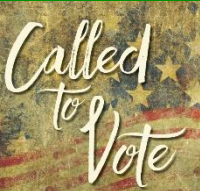
CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS!

Envelopes to place an order are available in the narthex.

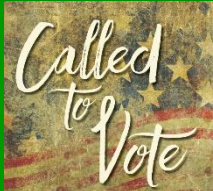
8" red plants are \$11.50 each

10" red/white combo plants are \$20 each.

Checks made payable to Bethel Lutheran Church



5-SESSION STUDY THAT HELPS YOU THINK CLEARLY ABOUT GOD'S WILL IN GOVERNMENT AND YOUR RESPONSIBILITIES AS A VOTER. STARTS THIS SUNDAY IN FELLOWSHIP HALL AT 10AM.



The annual Advent Devotional sign-up is open! Please consider volunteering to write a devo based on one of the Christmas songs on the list. Songs from the red hymnal have numbers next to them, and lyrics for the songs that are not in the hymnal are on the clipboard or the information table in the narthex. Turn in the office or email to gh@bethellutheranchurch.com. Devotions are due on Sunday, November 3.



Operation Christmas Child
Started October 1st!
We collect boxes through November 3rd.

FYI FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Link to **Annual Report** on Bethel website: [click here](#)

Join us Online!

Click this link for Bethel Facebook Page



Click this link Prayer Requests Prayer List



This week the Food Pantry is asking for **cooking soups, cream of chicken, cream of celery, Cheddar cheese and broths.**
 Money Donations Welcome.



YOUR GIVING MATTERS!

2024 Month to Month				
Bethel Finances	June	July	August	YTD
Revenue	48,501	40,783	61,541	401,055
Expenses	52,096	45,976	39,185	379,695
Net Total (loss)	(3,595)	(5,193)	22,356	21,360