## Welcome to Bethel! We're glad you're here!

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# All Are Welcome!

Your presence is important to us – we are not complete without you. We mean it when we say "all are welcome" – no matter where you are on your faith journey or how you identify.

We firmly believe that there is no age limit in GOD's house. Young or old, you are an essential part of our worship community.

We encourage families with young children to sit near the front of the sanctuary so children can see what is happening. Parents and other neighboring adults can help developing readers follow along with the congregation and the printed Order of Worship. Be patient with our children as they learn to participate in the rituals of worship. Celebrate as they learn to help with various aspects of worship leadership. An encouraging smile can go a long way to helping parents feel comfortable as their kids learn.

## The Season of Lent begins THIS week

Ash Wednesday is March 2

Starting on Ash Wednesday and continuing through April 6<sup>th</sup> we will gather each Wednesday evening at 6:00pm for a Soup Supper followed by a Taize Lenten Worship gathering at 7:00pm. Sign-up sheet for soup supper is in the rear of the sanctuary.

## COVID-19 Update

We are once again gathering indoors for worship. If you have not done so, we encourage you to get vaccinated and boosted against COVID, as well as getting a flu shot.

We encourage all in-person worshippers to mask regardless of vaccination statue. This small act helps protect our children and vulnerable people.

For those not comfortable returning to in-person worship or who find themselves out of town on a Sunday morning, we continue to stream our gatherings via Zoom.

We know that living with the uncertainty of the past 2 years has brought a lot of anxiety. **Please reach out to Pastor Carolyn or other friends if you need support** – and continue to check on friends who may be missing from our worship gatherings.

## Sunday School Update

Our Adult Bible Study has gone hybrid with an in-person gathering streamed on Zoom beginning around 10:10 each Sunday morning. We are taking a look at the Gospel of Luke using a contemporary translation – all are welcome to join the conversation.

Join Zoom Meeting https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6906168306 Meeting ID: 690 616 8306

Kids will meet with Lisa Herlocker in Lentz Hall in the Youth Room for a short Bible Story and a little fun following worship.



To meet our **2022** Operating Expenses each month, Bethel needs **\$6968** 

#### **Giving in February**

2/6	=	\$2345.00
2/13	=	\$3035.00
2/20	=	\$380.00
2/27	=	\$
Total for Month	=	\$5760
TOTAL for January = \$6720.16		

Thanks for your ongoing support of Bethel's Ministries!

#### **Consider Online Giving**

Sign up for Online Giving at our website, <u>bethelroseville.org</u>

If you prefer to give by traditional check, please mail it into the church office at 1050 Douglas Blvd., Roseville CA 95678 or drop it into the basket near the main door as you leave worship.

Use the QR code below to access e-giving from your phone



## Contact Pastor Carolyn

Office Hours this Week Tues, Wed, Thurs afternoon – call to confirm

> pastor@bethelroseville.org 916-781-3333 (office)

## Today's Worship Team

Usher: Susan Woods Readers: Lisa Kaufman-Chan Sound: Rick Mendonsa Zoom: Scott Larson Altar Guild: Terri Larson Kids Message: Pr. Allen Dunn Musician: Audrey Gale

#### Next Week's Worship Team

Usher: Jeri Wartena Readers: Jeri Wartena Sound: Rick Mendonsa Zoom: Scott Larson Altar Guild: Kids Message: Lisa Herlocker Musician: A Wing and a Prayer

#### Upcoming Scripture Readings

First Sunday in Lent, March 6

- Deuteronomy 26:1-11
- Psalm 91:1-2, 9-16
- Romans 10:8b-13
- Luke 4:1-13



#### tacklehunger.org

Thanks for your generous donations – the count is in -- \$371 was collected and will be donated to our local St. Vincent de Paul's feeding program.

#### **New Church Directory**

Printed copies of the updated church directory are available in the back of the sanctuary. It was a limited print run, so if you don't get one, let me know and I can make additional copies – Lisa Herlocker



February 5 – Rikelle Mendonsa February 18 – Barbara Morris February 27– Emily Roxworthy February 29 – Diane Swanson

Blessings to all of our February Birthdays; please let us know if we accidently left you off this list!

#### Serving with Bethel

February marks 76 years of Bethel! We wouldn't have made it this far without our volunteers throug the years. Thank you so much for pitching in when you could – and thanks in advance for all the new ways you will contribute in the coming months.

There is much to be done as God's People, we all have gifts to share, talk with Pastor Carolyn to find ways to use your interests and skills to support the various ministries of Bethel.

#### Ways to help this Spring

#### March 12<sup>th</sup> Work Party

Come help us get ready for Spring by weeding and cleaning up our parking lot planters. Learn more by talking with Jeff Dodge or Scott Larson.

#### March 20<sup>th</sup> noon – 2:00pm

Prepare lunch for the clients of the Roseville St. Vincent de Paul Center. For more details and/or to volunteer, please check with Scott Larson.

#### **Altar Guild**

Weekly volunteers set up our sanctuary for Sunday worship. The current crew is small but mighty and looking for a couple extra folks to help out – either to join the rotation or to just be on-call as needed. For more information, contact Nancy Garman.

## News from Around the Synod

Check this out:

#### **Bishop's Prayer Livestream**

Every Wednesday at 6:00pm PT Livestreamed via Synod's Facebook and YouTube

Join Bishop Megan Rohrer in prayer on livestream watch live on both the Bishop and the Synod's social media pages. Lift up public prayers in the comment sections. Send private payers through DM or email: <u>bprohrer@spselca.org</u>.

Watch via Facebook here: <u>https://www.facebook.com/SPSELCA</u> Watch via YouTube here: <u>https://www.youtube.com/user/SPSELCA/videos</u>

## CONFERENCE ASSEMBLY

Meetings held via Zoom.



TODAY, Sunday, February 27th at 3:00pm

Learn what's happening in our part of the Synod – Join the Zoom Meeting <u>https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87824181282</u> Meeting ID: 878 2418 1282

#### Be the Change! Faith in Action!

The Lutheran Office of Public Policy in California invites you to take part in their weekly Advocacy in Quarantine meetings. Each half-hour call includes an update on legislative actions and a quick advocacy activity. Please join this good work via Zoom at 12:00pm every Wednesday: https://zoom.us/j/389725625

More Synod-wide Events

can be found here: https://www.spselca.net/upcoming-synod-wide-events