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

ALL SAINTS SUNDAY • NOVEMBER 6, 2022



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.

Families with young children are encouraged to sit near the front of the sanctuary so children can see what is happening. Parents and other near-by 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. Small gestures can go a long way.

special guest

Today we welcome Karen Edwards from St. John's Program for Real Change. Bethel has a long history of supporting their programing for local women and children in need. Karen will give an update on their activities immediately following worship in the sanctuary.

Contact Pastor Carolyn

Contact Pr. Carolyn at the info below to double-check her office hours.

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

"Noisy Offering!"

Encouraging the participation of our youngest members in worship is important to us. When they help collect the offering each week, they are disappointed or confused when folks don't drop something in the basket.

The Worship & Music Team is asking that you drop a little spare change into the basket when it comes your way. This spare change will be kept in the safe and counted after a few months. When the total amount has grown enough, this "noisy offering" will be donated to a local charity to be decided on soon. Your suggestions are welcome.

Prayer Requests

Paper is available on the table as you enter the sanctuary for you to write prayer requests on. Return the paper to an usher no later than during the Hymn of the Day. Ushers will get the requests to the day's reader who will incorporate your individual

prayers into the Prayers of Intercession. Those worshipping via Zoom, can type requests into the chat box to be passed along to the reader. The reader will read all of the prayer requests for the day from the microphone. It is our hope that this will help all those in worship hear the prayer requests.

Upcoming Scripture Readings

Next Sunday, November 13th 23rd Sunday after Pentecost

- Malachi 4:1-2a
- Psalm 98
- 2 Thessalonians 3:6-13
- Luke 21:5-19



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

Giving in October

=	\$1855.00
=	\$1981.00
=	\$806.00
=	\$1641.00
=	\$1,100.00
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Total for Month = \$7,383.00

TOTAL for September = \$5958.16

Thanks for your ongoing support of Bethel's Ministries!

Consider Online Giving

Sign up for Online Giving at our website, bethelroseville.org

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 during worship.

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



Friendly Reminder

We share our playground space with our Montessori School tenants and are committed to leaving the space ready for school on Monday. Bethel's kids are welcome to play on the equipment & toys, but everything should be put back the way it was found before families go home. To help with this, we ask that parents supervise their children's playground time. Thank You! ☺

Today's Worship Team

Usher: Kary Pfennig Readers: Allen Dunn Sound: Rick Mendonsa/ Vince Neill Zoom: Jeff Dodge/Scott Larson Altar Guild: Kelly Mendonsa Kids Message: Jeri Wartena Musician: Wing and a Prayer

Next Week's Worship Team

Usher: John & Olivia D'Antonio Readers: Lisa Kaufman-Chan Sound: Rick Mendonsa/ Vince Neill Zoom: Jeff Dodge/Scott Larson Altar Guild: Kelly Mendonsa Kids Message: Lisa Herlocker Musician: Audrey Gale



November 7 – Roger Linn November 9 – Loraine Anderson November 21 – Hudson McBain November 26 – Scott Larson November 28 – Allison McBain

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

Song of the Month

For November, our song is *Build a Longer Table.* "If you have more than you need," says a popular proverb, "it's better to build a longer table than a taller fence."

In this proverb, hymnwriter David Bjorlin heard a resonance with the obstacles that refugees often meet when seeking safety far from their countries of origin. Bjorlin's text uses the love of Christ as its model in calling us to respond to refugees with long tables, wide doorways, and safe refuges rather than with violence and exclusion. The tune is likely known with its pairing, "Now the green blade rises" (ELW 379).

Holiday Wreath Fundraiser!!!

It's time for our annual wreath fundraiser to support opportunities for the children of Bethel to attend retreats at Mt. Cross and other regional ELCA events.

Shop online for wreaths, centerpieces, and more at <u>GiftItForward.com</u> Use the code BETHELCA002 and each item purchased will earn Bethel an \$8 rebate. Scan the QR code below to access the website directly. Delivery begins in mid-November and orders can be placed through December 9th.





THANKSGIVING EVE SERVICE

Please consider joining our Incarnation Anglican friends on Wednesday, November 23rd at 7:00pm for a joint Thanksgiving Eve Worship Gathering. It's never a bad time to give thanks to the Lord.



The Bethel Amazon Smile program has earned Bethel \$32.03 as a result of qualifying purchases between April – June. To those of you signed up, thank you – and remember to make your Amazon purchases by starting at <u>smile.amazon.com</u> If you are not part of this easy program, talk with Lisa Herlocker to get signed up



Save these dates

November 8

Election Day – Be sure to mail in or drop off your ballot by 8:00pm

November 18 – 20 Synod Elementary School Retreat at Mt. Cross

November 23 at 7:00pm Thanksgiving Worship Gathering with Incarnation

November 27 – 1st Sunday in Advent

November 30 6:00pm Advent Soup Supper 7:00pm Advent Worship



VOTING INFORMATION



The California Lutheran Office of Public Policy has created a Voter Guide for the propositions on the November ballot. Copies are available in the back of the church or online at

https://lutheranpublicpolicyca.org/blog Feel free to use the guide as just one resource as you exercise your right to vote.

