

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

18TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST • OCTOBER 9, 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.

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 and it will 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.

Our Worship Gathering is outdoors on our patio as we celebrate the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi and the joy our pets bring to us.

Please follow directions of Pastor Carolyn during worship to receive a special blessing for your pets.

Pets must be on leashes, in carriers, or joining us virtually via photos.

(Be prepared to clean up after your pets ☺)

Join us for
**SUNDAY
SCHOOL**



Following worship & snacks, kids will join “The Lisas” in Lentz Hall for some learning and fun. Readers with Lisa Herlocker and younger ones with Lisa Kaufman-Chan.

The Adult Study of the Book of Esther continues with Pastor Carolyn in Lentz Hall as well. All are welcome to join in the conversation whether or not you’ve attended in the past.

Upcoming Scripture Readings

Next Sunday, October 18th –
the 19th Sunday after Pentecost

- Genesis 32:22-31
- Psalm 121
- 2 Timothy 3:14 – 4:5
- Luke 18:1-8

Contact Pastor Carolyn

Office Hours this Week
Various, please call to confirm

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



Finance Update

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

Giving in October

10/2	=	\$1855.00
10/9	=	\$
10/16	=	\$
10/23	=	\$
10/30	=	\$
Total for Month	=	\$

TOTAL for September = \$5958.16

Thanks for your ongoing support of



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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



Song of the Month

For October, our song is *By Grace We Have Been Saved*. This month the hymn writers have direct connections to Bethel! Both composers have spent quality time with the people of Bethel in the past, here in Roseville, at various youth ministry events, and even in Wittenberg, Germany!

Jonathan Rundman set out to write a folk/rock song for his 2006 album, *A Heartland Liturgy*, based on Ephesians 2:8-9 but ran into trouble finding an original melody for the chorus after subconsciously borrowing another song's tune. He emailed the words to Nate Houge, who was working at Shepherd of the Valley Lutheran Church in Apple Valley, Minnesota. Nate wrote the melody for the chorus on the spot. The stanzas are a pastoral reminder that God has claimed us and is present with us.

Today's Worship Team

Usher: Jeri Wartena
Readers: Patrick Gale
Sound: Rick Mendonsa/ Vince Neill
Zoom: Jeff Dodge/Scott Larson
Altar Guild: Terri Larson
Kids Message: Jeri Wartena
Musician: Audrey Gale

Next Week's Worship Team

Usher: Susan Woods
Readers: Bruce Seiler & Nancy Garman
Sound: Rick Mendonsa/ Vince Neill
Zoom: Jeff Dodge/Scott Larson
Altar Guild: Nancy Garman
Kids Message: Pr. Carolyn
Musician: Wing and a Prayer



- October 8 - Hadley Gale
- October 10 - Lisa Kaufman-Chan
- October 14 - Cheryle Sorenson
- October 16 - Lan Dodge
- October 22 - Jeff Dodge
- October 24 - Mike Anderson

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

Save these dates

Details Coming Soon!

October 23 following worship
Budget Forum

October 30 following worship
Semi Annual Meeting and Oktoberfest Brunch
Little Lutherans Pumpkin Painting

November 5 - time TBD
Nature Walk

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

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

Lutheran Disaster Response *Hurricane Response*

This hurricane season has brought devastating storms including Hurricane **Fiona**, which inundated **Puerto Rico** with rain, reminding people of the devastating aftermath of Hurricane Maria in 2017.

Hurricane **Ian** made landfall in **Florida** with near Category 5-strength winds, dumping record amounts of rain and causing catastrophic, life-threatening flooding. Authorities estimate the number of fatalities is expected to rise.

Lutheran Disaster Response works with its partners to provide immediate relief, such as water, clothing, gift cards, tarps and other needs. Since many hurricanes, including Ian and Fiona, also require a long-term response, Lutheran Disaster Response provides support on the long road to recovery with disaster case management, construction management, and emotional and spiritual care.

What you can do:

Pray: Please pray for the communities impacted by Hurricane Ian. May God's healing presence give them peace and hope in their time of need. Pray that God will deliver comfort to those who mourn and strength to those working diligently to rescue survivors.

Give: Gifts to "**Hurricane Response**" will be used in full (100%) to assist those affected by hurricanes until the response is complete. Or make a general donation to **Lutheran Disaster Response** so we can respond to disasters whenever and wherever they strike.

Give Online www.elca.org/ldr

Mail your donation Make checks payable to Lutheran Disaster Response
(if designated to a specific disaster, please indicate in the memo line).

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You Are invited to a virtual evening with
Regina Q. Banks,
Director of Lutheran Office of Public Policy.
Thursday, October 20th at 7:00 p.m.

We will be exploring the
California Ballot Propositions
from a faith prospective.

Presented on Zoom by the
Sierra Pacific Synod Hunger Network.

Register now!

Email Edie Lott at thelotts@gmail.com with your name, city and congregation to register. You will receive a Zoom Meeting Invitation the week before the event.