



CHURCH ONLINE

SEPTEMBER 13, 2020

WHAT TO EXPECT



WORSHIP:

Join us online for a time of worship led by our worship team.

WORSHIP SONGS

FOR WHO YOU ARE
HILLSONG LIVE

EVER BE
BETHEL MUSIC

GREAT ARE YOU LORD (ITS YOUR BREATH)
ALL SONS & DAUGHTERS



KIDS MINISTRY:

ONLINE KIDS BIBLE LESSON AT 11:00 AM

We are starting a bible lesson time for children ages 3-12, taught by our Bethel kids teachers. This will be offered via ZOOM. Click [here](#) to join.



TEACHING:

Pastor Phil Mittelstaedt

SERIES: REFOCUS

PART 2: Why Focusing on a "Better You" Doesn't Work



FOLLOWING THE GATHERING

We will also be having virtual Prayer on Zoom. Join Zoom Meeting [HERE](#)

PRAYER

1. **PRAYER WALK** in the neighbourhood of the church facility - Following church online, meet at the parking lot between 11:00-11:15 to get into groups of 2-4 and receive instruction on where to walk and pray. We want to see our neighbours' lives changed by Jesus.
2. **PRAYER WALK where you live** – After the gathering or in your own time, walk the streets of your neighbourhood, hearing what God is saying, and praying for your neighbours to encounter Jesus.

Not sure how to go about prayer walking? Here is a [helpful guide](#).

STAY CONNECTED

LIFE GROUPS

We all need each other and life is better together. Gather in-person or on zoom in small groups for prayer, connection, and growing in your faith. For more information about opportunities, click [HERE](#).

COMMUNITY GARDEN

The vision of a community garden is being revived! If you are interested in gardening and getting to know the neighbours surrounding the church building, contact Alba Zhou at alba.zhou@gmail.com. The idea is to re-plant and tend the garden so that we could invite the community for a meal from its harvest before the fall.

FOOD FOR FAMILIES

Starting Thursday, September 24, Bethel International Church will become a weekly distribution site for giving away food hampers! Partnering with City Reach, we want to show God's love to our community in a practical way.

We are looking for help in the following areas:

- Processing registrations for food hampers by email, phone and/or onsite.
- Picking up food hampers from City Reach (near Slocan/Broadway) on Thursdays and bringing it to our church site.
- Set up for food hamper distribution and ensure a safe experience and collection process.
- Connect with people receiving the hampers / Delivering food hampers anytime after.

Know anyone or any family that we could bless with a weekly food hamper? Or want to be part of the team? Contact Pastor Rajan for more information and specific times.

OUR OWN CHURCH APP IS HERE!

We are very excited to announce that we have launched an official Bethel International Church App!

This is available for iPhone and Android users, as well as tablets (App stores: Apple, Google Play and Amazon). All you need to do is enter: Bethel International Church, find our BIC icon, and install. Plus - it's free!

On this app, you will be able to stay connected with church online, messages, as well as GIVE. If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to Jenn.

WHEN ARE WE GATHERING IN-PERSON ON SUNDAYS?

- For those curious and/or keen on gathering in-person on Sundays, stay tuned. Our health and safety plan team is in the process of outlining procedures that would be necessary to facilitate in-person gatherings of under 50 people.
- For those not yet keen on gathering in-person on Sundays, rest assured: When we do decide to resume in-person gatherings, we will still be having church online as an option.

WAYS TO GIVE

With not having our Sunday gatherings at our facility, we are encouraging people to give tithes and offering in 3 different ways:

1. Via our [Website](#) through online giving.
2. **Text** to give by texting GIVE2BETHEL to 1-888-364-4483.
3. **E- Transfer:** We are now able to receive tithes and offerings to the church through e-transfer. The benefit of this option is that you can give from your debit account directly to the church without any processing fees. To do this, choose the e-transfer option from your online banking account and send funds to "donate@bethelinvancouver.com". If you would like specify designated offerings (i.e. Tithe, Missions, Good Samaritan fund), please indicate this in the "memo" or send a separate email to the same address. Currently the church is not able to set up "auto deposit" with our account, therefore you will need to create a simple security question and answer. If you wish, you may email this information separately to our treasurer, Usi Vuma
4. By **mailing a cheque** to our church office:
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Thank you for your continued faithfulness and worship to God through your giving.