

SERMON NOTES

JAMES: where there's fire, there's smoke



@mybethelfamily



Download on the
App Store

GET IT ON
Google Play

Search "Bethel Lutheran Church"

Bethel Pastors & Directors

Pastor Allen Aase	<i>Pastor for Youth & College Ministries</i>	allen@bethellutheran.church
Pastor David Foss	<i>Lead Pastor</i>	pastordave@bethellutheran.church
Pastor Kevin Foss	<i>Battle Lake Campus Pastor</i>	pastorkevin@bethellutheran.church
Pastor Rich Iverson	<i>Pastor for Faith@Home Ministry</i>	pastorrich@bethellutheran.church
Pastor Ed Monson	<i>Visitation Pastor</i>	pastored@bethellutheran.church
Kate Haus	<i>Director of Operations</i>	kate@bethellutheran.church
Erika Lundberg	<i>Director of Worship Ministry</i>	erika@bethellutheran.church
Jenny Mathiesen	<i>Director of Children's Ministry</i>	jenny@bethellutheran.church
Tim Mathiesen	<i>Director of Communication & Connection</i>	tim@bethellutheran.church
Brad Pribbenow	<i>Battle Lake Campus Worship Leader</i>	bpribbenow@lbs.edu
Julie Gundersen	<i>Parish Nurse</i>	nurse@bethellutheran.church

Bethel Elder Board

John Austin	Allan Bjerkaas	Dave Cornell	Eric Ewan
Peter McKnight	Steve Moline	Matt Olsen	Richard Risbrudt
Loran Rogness	LaWayne Rogness	Daryl Synstelien (chair)	Steve Tonneson
Dan Venberg	Doug Walvatne		

Bethel Lutheran Church
Fergus Falls Campus: 702 West Alcott Ave, Fergus Falls, MN 56537
Battle Lake Campus: 112 West Main St, Battle Lake, MN 56515
bethellutheran.church / office@bethellutheran.church / (218) 736-5654



May 5th / 2019

Order of Worship

Bethel Lutheran Church
Fergus Falls | Battle Lake



8:00 AM Worship Service

Bell Choir
Worship in Song
Joyful Joyful We Adore Thee
Psalm 62
Offertory
Bethel Choir
Message Pastor Rich Iverson
Hymn of Response
He Giveth More Grace (Red #112)
Benediction
Doxology

9:15 & 10:30 AM Worship Services

Welcome
Worship in Song
Christ Is Risen
Baptism Jolie Rae Ice
Offertory
Song of Preparation
Here's My Heart, Lord
Message Pastor Rich Iverson
Song of Response
Build My Life
Benediction
Doxology

Welcome! Thank you for worshipping with us today.

Childcare & Nursery

For children 6-36 months during all services. Nursing rooms are also available. Both are located to your left as you enter the foyer.

Sermons & Website

Audio podcasts of the sermons are available at bethellutheran.church. The service is broadcasted on Sundays at 11:00 AM on 97.7 FM.

Hearing Aid Devices

Hearing aid devices are available at the Connection Center in the foyer.

Calendar Snapshot

Sunday Mornings

Fergus Falls Campus	Worship	8:00, 9:15 & 10:30 AM
	Sunday School & Confirmation	9:15 & 10:30 AM
Battle Lake Campus	Worship	10:30 AM
	Sunday School & Confirmation	9:15 AM

Looking Ahead | Both campuses are welcome to these events

TODAY	Discovery Class	@ Battle Lake campus	12:00 PM
5/11	Women's Spring Outing (<i>please register</i>)	@ Glendalough State Park	10:00 AM-2:00 PM
5/12	High School Seniors Recognition	@ both campuses	10:30 AM
5/17	Marriage Night (<i>Live-stream event</i>)	@ Fergus Falls campus	6:30-10:00 PM
5/19	Last week of Sunday School	@ both campuses	
5/26	Summer worship times begin - Fergus Falls: 9:00 & 10:30 AM / Battle Lake: 10:30 AM (no change)		
5/28	Primetime Ministry	@ Fergus Falls campus	2:00 PM
6/18-20	Preschool Vacation Bible School	@ Fergus Falls campus	9:00-11:00 AM
6/18-20	Sports Camp (Fergus Falls)	@ Fergus Falls campus	6:00-8:00 PM
6/24-26	Sports Camp (Battle Lake)	@ Battle Lake Public School	6:00-8:00 PM

Bethel Children's Ministry

Children's Ministry is for ages 2 through 6th grade.

Sunday School Sundays, 9:15 & 10:30 AM

MAGNIFY Resumes in September

More information: bethellutheran.church/kids

Bethel Youth & College Ministry

Youth Group / Wednesdays

Jr High: 3:45 PM / Sr High: 7:00 PM

Confirmation is done for the year. Resumes in September.

High School students can join adults for Sunday School

College Age Group Thurs, 7:30 PM / Bethel Fergus Falls

Also, 2nd & 4th Sun, 7:00 PM / Pastor Al's home

More information: bethellutheran.church/youth

Special Announcements

Lutheran Brethren Seminary Graduation

May 11 (Sat) / 1:00 PM

Bethel Fergus Falls

Everyone is invited to the Commencement Service for seven graduates from Lutheran Brethren Seminary on Saturday, May 11th at 1:00 PM. Rev. Paul Larson will give the commencement address. A reception will be held at Bethel after the service.

Bridal Shower for Elle Molbert

May 13 (Mon) / 7:00 PM

A bridal shower for Elle Molbert (Fiance of Nick Risbrudt) is planned for Monday, May 13th at 7:00 PM at Bethel Fergus Falls. The couple is registered at Amazon.com and Crate & Barrel. *The shower is hosted by friends and family.*

Booklets are available at the Connection Center

30 Days of Prayer

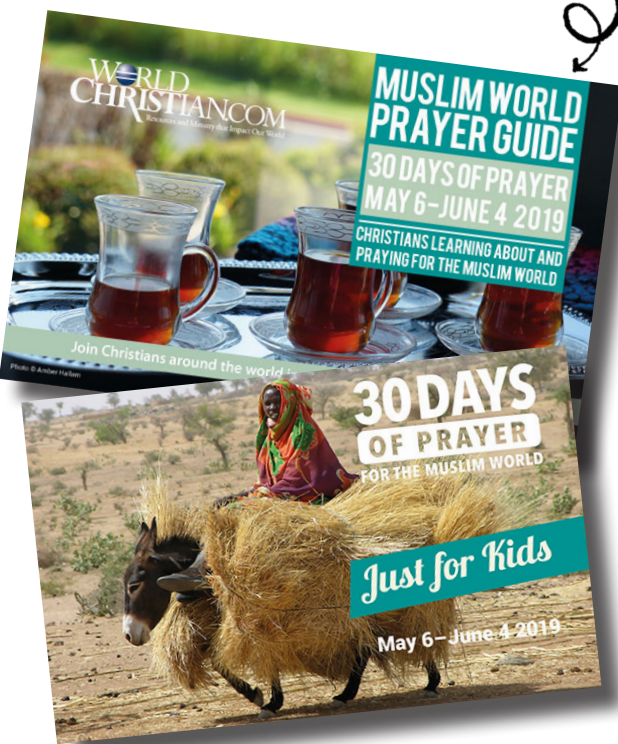
Description from 30 Days of Prayer website

The 30 Days of Prayer for the Muslim World, is an international movement that began in 1993. It calls the church to make a deliberate but respectful effort to learn about, pray for and reach out to our world's Muslim neighbors. It coincides annually with the important Islamic month of religious observation — Ramadan, a time of the year when Muslims are much more deeply aware of spiritual matters.

While Media sound bites about Islamic extremism can too easily incite anger, fear and even hatred towards Muslims, we seek to resist this temptation to generalize, and instead, resolve to respond and pray with the mind and heart of Christ.

Learn more at: 30daysprayer.com

Dates: May 6th - June 4th



Bethel Church's vision is to lead people to believe. belong. build faith@home.

Prayer

Join one of the prayer teams during Sunday morning worship services. Join Mission Vision prayer team on Mon at 12:15 at Bethel Fergus Falls.

Prayer for Bethel Church

As the season of Ramadan begins, let's remember to pray for Muslim people around the world to see Jesus as the gracious, loving savior that he is. And remember to pray especially for those missionaries who minister in a Muslim context. "For God so loved the world..."

Prayer for the Bagirmi People

Bethel has committed to spreading the Gospel to the Bagirmi, an unreached people group in Chad.

Pray for the Bagirmi this month, who are a Muslim people group. From May 6th to June 4th, the Muslim people celebrate a month called Ramadan. This time is spent in prayer and fasting. Pray for our missionaries who will be able to take the opportunity to share about the One True God and what it means that Jesus died and rose again.

For more information, to register for events and to stay updated, visit Bethel's website Find everything at bethellutheran.church