

# SERMON NOTES



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## Bethel Lutheran Church

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November 1, 2020

Worship: 8:00, 9:15 & 10:30 AM

Bethel Lutheran Church  
Fergus Falls | Battle Lake





**Welcome!** Thank you for worshipping with us today.

**Childcare & Nursery**

The nursery is open for use, but not staffed during this time. Nursing rooms are also open. Both are located to the left as you enter the foyer.

**Sermons & Website**

Video and audio of the sermons are available at [bethellutheran.church](http://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 (all ages) & Confirmation <i>(9:15 only)</i>	9:15 & 10:30 AM
Battle Lake Campus	Worship	9:00 & 10:30 AM
	Sunday School (all ages) & Confirmation	9:00 AM

**Looking Ahead | Both campuses are welcome to these events**

TODAY	Discovery Class	@ Bethel Battle Lake	12:00-2:30 PM
11/8	Missions Sunday	@ both campuses	
11/10	An Evening with Teresa (Women's Ministries)	@ Bethel Fergus Falls	7:00 PM
11/16-23	Operation Christmas Child shoe box collection	@ Bethel Fergus Falls <i>(collection site)</i>	
11/19	Primetime Ministry Thanksgiving Dinner	@ Bethel Fergus Falls	12:00 PM
11/22	A Night of Thanksgiving & Praise <i>including</i> Celebrating the Imagine Impact ideas	@ Bethel Fergus Falls	6:00 PM
11/29	The Advent Season begins		
12/11	Hillcrest Christmas Concert	@ Bethel Fergus Falls	7:00 PM
12/12	Hillcrest Christmas Concert	@ Bethel Fergus Falls	3:00 PM

**Bethel Children's Ministry**

Children's Ministry is for ages 2 through 6<sup>th</sup> grade

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

**MAGNIFY** Special events in Nov. & Dec.

**More information:** [bethellutheran.church/kids](http://bethellutheran.church/kids)

**Bethel Youth & College Ministry**

**Youth Group** Wednesdays  
Jr High: 4:00 PM / Sr High: 7:00 PM

**Confirmation** Sun, 9:15 AM or Wed, 5:45 PM

**College Age Group** Tues, 7:30 PM, Bethel Fergus Falls

**More information:** [bethellutheran.church/youth](http://bethellutheran.church/youth)

**Special Announcements**

**Serve with First Impressions Team!**

*Be the welcoming presence on Sundays*

**During this time of uncertainty and isolation**, Bethel needs, more than ever, a welcoming presence outside, at the front door and in the building on Sunday mornings. Would you consider serving in this way?

**If you are interested**, use your connection card, call or email the church office.

**Women's Ministries - An Evening with Teresa**  
*November 10 / 7:00 PM*

During our Missions Sunday week, **Women's Ministries** is hosting a missions event with **Missionary Teresa Szobody**. Teresa will share what serving as a missionary is like from a women's perspective.



**We will also be hearing an update, via video, from Nathanael and Carrie Szobody about their missionary work, as well as a video message from their children!**

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

**Prayer**

**Prayer for Bethel Church**

Pray for all the families and individuals who received the USDA Fresh Boxes yesterday. Pray that God will work through this short interaction with local churches. May those who received food and those who volunteered be amazed by God's work in our community. May the Gospel become real to those in our communities through the work of our local churches.

**Prayer for the Bagirmi People**

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

Pray for John Wile who will be bringing the message on Missions Sunday (Next week: November 8<sup>th</sup>). Pray for him and his wife Kathryn as they prepare. The theme will be "Mission Barnabas," teaching us about caring for church leaders and missionaries working to share the Gospel locally and around the world. Specifically, John and Kathryn will be teaching Bethel how to care for Nathanael & Carrie, our missionaries to the Bagirmi People.

