

### My Worship Notes (to use for spiritual growth this week)

*But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. - 2 Peter 3:18a*

All of us have \_\_\_\_\_

The key to getting more out of \_\_\_\_\_ is not  
adding things to do, it's \_\_\_\_\_ what you \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ determines capacity

What and who is \_\_\_\_\_ you?

Put the ' \_\_\_\_\_ ' first

The Biblical expression for 'prioritize' is to ' \_\_\_\_\_ '

Jesus-followers have been called to seek God's \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_

Dedicate the first \_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_ to God

You \_\_\_\_\_ seeking something first

Choose to put first things first, and the \_\_\_\_\_  
will come to you

#### Key Verse:

"But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well." - **Matthew 6:33**

#### My Next Steps This Week:

*Circle the steps you will take and mark them on your connection card*

- a) I will begin every day this week with time spent with God
- b) I will pray for God to show me what I need to prioritize
- c) I will memorize Matthew 6:33
- d) I will trust God to provide for my needs

## LIFE TIME

### Part 2: First Things First

**September 26, 2021**

#### Welcome to Worship!

Log in on your personal electronic device to interact with fellow worshipers on either the Facebook or Website livestream

#### Order of Service:

Songs: 8:00 Take Time to be Holy #395  
10:30 Hello, My Name Is

Welcome by Pastor Robb McClintock

**[Text 'church' to 920-315-8288]**

Children's Message / Sharing Time

The Prayers of the People

Songs: 8:00 Seek Ye First #405  
10:30 All in All

### **Life Time pt 2: First Things First**

(follow along with your notes pg. on the back of the bulletin)

#### **Matthew 6:31-33**

Celebrating the Offering

8:00 Take My Life, and Let It Be #399  
Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow #95  
10:30 He Reigns

Closing Blessing

**Love God  
Love Others  
Serve the World**

## This Week's Prayer Requests

\*\* From Heidi Gertz: Aunt Luella came through her cath. without having to have a stent. She has many other health issues they are testing. Continued prayers please.

\*\*Prayers for Avalyn Hein and her family. She tested positive for RSV.

\*\*Prayers for Christian Anderson's friend's daughter. After a fall from a tree, she has been hospitalized with bruising on the brain and has now been removed from a ventilator. Prayers for continued healing.

\*\*Gail Zey requests prayers for her friend, Joan Clark. Joan is in her 80's and is at home, very ill with Covid.

\*\* An update from Nan Sager: Keith was released from the hospital on Tuesday (9/21) evening. He is doing well. It is quite the adjustment this time. He is so very weak, he can't walk any distance even in the house. I move him while he is sitting using the walker. It is working. Once he gets some strength back, he can start walking with his walker. God is so good. We know Keith will recover from this with His help. Thank you everyone for all the prayers! God bless.

\*\*Prayers for Tom Martell Jr. who has been laid off and is seeking employment.

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**Sunday School Blast Off Day in the Glow Room**

## Bethany Information About Our Local Scouts

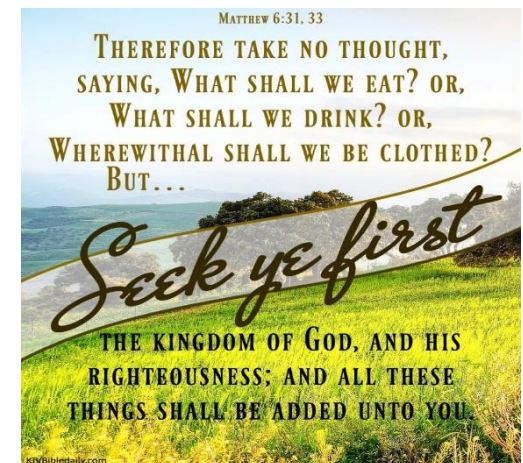
In recent weeks the Wisconsin Conference has reached out to all local churches with a directive regarding Scouting BSA and the Sponsor Charters that many of them have, Bethany included. As you may be aware, BSA filed for bankruptcy relief in early 2020. It is important to understand that stakeholders in the bankruptcy process include Chartered Organizations, which are the local churches, schools, and civic groups that sponsor or host a Scout Troop, Pack, Crew, or other unit. The Conference, out of concern for protecting assets, has asked all UMC churches to not renew Charters with their local Troops/Units. This directive is being given to all Methodist churches across the country.

As an Administrative Council we want to stress that we value our relationship with our local Troops and have high regard for those members that have been part of the Bethany troop for the past 40+ years. Bethany has also been the recipient of many beautiful Eagle Scout projects, the most recent being that fantastic fire pit!

We want to stress that not all the details are known at this time. We are still working with the conference to see what options we may have to retain this relationship. We want to make sure that our Troops are supported through this time, and we also need to protect our church assets from any litigation related to the bankruptcy proceedings.

More information will be gathered by the Ad. Council in the coming weeks and we will share an update with you in mid-October. We ask you to keep both our Scouts and our denomination leadership in your prayers during this uncertain time. God will see us through this.

Thank you,  
Bethany Ad Council



## Upcoming Ministry Events

**Trunk or Treat**  
October 30<sup>th</sup> from 3:00 pm – 4:30 pm



Bethany's first ever Trunk or Treat for the community.  
This is a whole church fun event!

Everyone is invited to decorate their cars or trucks!  
(If you just want to come, we will decorate your vehicle!)

Come to Bethany to hand out treats and wear your costume!  
If you need decorating ideas, let us know.  
Contact Julie Flanagan at [julie.witthuhn@gmail.com](mailto:julie.witthuhn@gmail.com)  
for more information.

**Sunday School Halloween Party**  
October 31<sup>st</sup>



All Sunday School students,  
teachers/leaders, and parents  
are invited to wear costumes.

We will have a costume parade  
and scavenger hunt!  
More specific guidelines  
to come soon!



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For prayer requests,  
please contact the church office,  
or e-mail Pastor Robb at [pastor@bethanygreenbay.org](mailto:pastor@bethanygreenbay.org)



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## Bethany Mission & Ministry

- **Here to Help!** – Ask an usher if you need assistance.
- **First-time Guests** - If you are a first-time guest with us today, we are so glad you're here! Please take one of our FREE books, "Unshakable: Standing Strong When Things Go Wrong." The book is on the bookcase in the entryway. We look forward to seeing you again next week!
- **For You** - You are welcome to take a Bible or other resources from the display area when you leave. We will continue to add more books, so please keep looking to see what is new. We have added the book, "I Am A Church Member" by Thom S. Rainer.
- **Fellowship Time** – Join us for conversation and connection in Fellowship Hall. Help yourself to complimentary coffee and snacks. Feel free to find a new friend and enjoy being together.
- **Giving** – You are welcome to give your offering in the Kiosk by the doors, through mail, text, or online. Thank you!
- **Nursery** - The Nursery is open for children and parents during both worship services. There is a bathroom and changing table in the Nursery. Ms. Sara (paid staff) will return soon!
- **Prayer Shawls Available** - If you, or someone you know, would like a Prayer Shawl, you are welcome to take one that is displayed by the Nursery entrance or in the basket.
- **Worship Activities** – There are activity bags hanging the back of the worship area for children during worship. Please help yourself to them. Also, families are welcome to sit at the black round table.



## **Bethany Ministries September 26 – October 3**

### **Sunday**

8:00A	Traditional Worship Service in building & online	
9:00A	Coffee and Connections	Fellowship Hall & LL
9:15A	Sunday School Glow Room	Lower Level
9:15A	New Hope Worship	
10:30A	Contemporary Worship Service in building & online	

### **Monday**

6:00P	Scouts	Fire Pit
6:30P	Women's Emmaus – Zoom	

### **Tuesday**

12:30P	Prayer Shawl/Knitting Group	Lower Level Lounge
8:00P	Men's Emmaus – Zoom	

### **Wednesday**

6:00P	Wednesday Worship Rewind -Online	
6:00P	Communion Service	Sanctuary
6:30P	Emmaus	
6:30P	Chancel Choir	Sanctuary
7:30P	Bell Choir	Fellowship Hall
7:30P	Praise Band Rehearsal	Sanctuary

### **Thursday**

9:00A	Men's Coffee	Fellowship Hall
10:00A	Women of the Bible	Lower Lounge/Community Room
7:00P	Pastor Cast - Online	

### **Saturday**

9:00A	Sewing Bee	Fellowship Hall
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### **Sunday**

#### **World Communion Sunday**

8:00A	Traditional Worship Service in building & online
9:00A	Coffee and Connections in Fellowship Hall & LL
9:15A	Sunday School & Confirmation - Lower Level
9:15A	New Hope Worship
10:30A	Contemporary Worship Service in building & online
12:00P	Packer Parking

## **Upcoming Ministry Events**

### **Diaper Sewing Day**

Saturday October 2, 2021  
9AM until 3PM in Fellowship Hall  
\*Come and go as you wish\*

All are welcome join us. Bring a friend.  
Bring a Sewing machine if you have one, and Scissors.  
There is something for everyone one to do,  
Sew, trace, and cut out diapers, turn, or iron.

Join us for conversation and enjoy the day.  
We will order subs for lunch.  
Diapers will go to MMDC in March.

If you have any questions,  
contact Mary Vinger at 920-857-8943

### **Celebration for Kathryn Green** **October 17<sup>th</sup>**

Cake and desserts will be served at Fellowship Time  
Celebrating many years as Bethany's Bell Choir Director



**GREEN BAY PASTOR CAST**

Thursday Evenings at 7 PM  **LIVE**  
Devotions, Prayers, Encouragement