

WORSHIP *together*



BETHEL CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

October 17, 2021

Welcome and Announcements

Opening Praise: "Revelation Song"

Call to Worship

Blessed and Righteous God your truths and grace are revealed to us as we search your Holy Word.

We come today to listen to the Word of the Lord.

Gracious God, you help us to know you through your Holy Word, which guides and blesses us.

We come today to worship the Lord our God.

Holy God, we gather to worship and praise you, to learn from your Word in fellowship with others.

We come today to praise the Lord our God. Amen.

God's Greeting

Song of Response: "Waymaker"

Call to Confession

What a gift we have in the Word of God! Some of the faithful who went before us, as well as brothers and sisters in some areas of the world today, have given their very lives because of the high value they placed on the Word of God. What about us? Do we treasure the Scriptures?

Prayers of Confession -

Gracious God, your Word tells us that we do not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes from the mouth of God. Forgive us for the days we have failed to even open the Scriptures, trusting in our own wisdom instead. Forgive us for the times we have read the Scriptures hastily, as if to check a completion box, and then immediately forgotten what we read. Forgive us when we know exactly what the Word says, yet we choose to ignore it because it does not fit with our own thoughts or desires.

Forgive us when we have chosen to use the Word as a club to accuse others rather than as a light for our own pathway. Write your Word on our hearts, Lord, that we may be transformed from the inside out. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Therefore, there is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus, ²because through Christ Jesus the law of the Spirit who gives life has set you free from the law of sin and death. ³For what the law was powerless to do because it was weakened by the flesh, God did by sending his own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh to be a sin offering. And so he condemned sin in the flesh, ⁴in order that the righteous requirement of the law might be fully met in us, who do not live according to the flesh but according to the Spirit.

Song: "Lord, I Give You My Heart"

Children's Message: [Children's Video](#)

Prayer for Illumination

Hearing God's Word

Scripture: 1 Corinthians 11:17-34

Message:

"Recognizing the Body"

Song of Response:

"Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with your Love"

Communion

Song: "Goodness of God"

Prayers of the People

Offering: *Bethel Budget & Outreach*

Sending Song: "Faithful One"

Blessing

Doxology: "Holy, Holy, Holy"

Online Update

We will be livestreaming to our Facebook page via this link: [Facebook link](#) and on YouTube via this link:

[You tube channel](#)

You can also watch it later thru Vimeo, on Wightman TV, or through our [website](#).

