

Welcome to Bethany

This morning we are blessed to welcome the Ontario Women's Choir Team from Teen Challenge who are leading us in worship this morning. May the Spirit fill them with the grace and strength of our Lord Jesus as they bring to light before us the saving work of Christ in our midst. After the service we are together for a light lunch so please take time to encourage one another as we follow Jesus.

CHILD CARE

Child-care is available for both infants and toddlers located in the lower level of the church.

BETHANY KIDS

Children ages 3-8 leave during the service to attend Bethany Kids/Jr. Cadets/Jr. GEMS program downstairs. Please sign in your child each Sunday if they are going to attend.

LARGE PRINT BULLETINS & HEARING ASSIST DEVICES ARE AVAILABLE FROM THE USHERS.

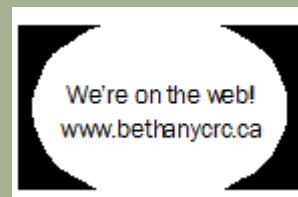
All are welcome to join afterwards for refreshments in the fellowship hall.

Why Are We Here?

Bethany ministry vision:

Everyone Growing in Jesus!

deep connecting—lifelong equipping—compassionate serving



Ministries Bethany supports

Locally: Bible League, Elisha House, Family Outreach, Friendship Club, Hannah House, Harvest Kitchen, Open Arms Mission, Pelham Cares, Pro-Life, Rose City Kids, Shalom Manor, Covenant Christian School, Smithville Christian High School.

Regionally: Brock University Chaplaincy (St. Catharines), Shalom Manor Chaplaincy (Grimsby), The Bridge church plant (Niagara Falls)

Globally Check out CRC ministry around the world at www.crcna.org

Devon & Lerato Van Hoffen in Africa. Email devon@handsatwork.org

Happening Today

Worship Leaders 8:30am – time of praise, prayer, & preparation

Pre-service Prayer 9:45am – Council & worship leaders (in Multi-use room)

Upcoming

Next Sunday's offering: Rose City Kids

Next Sunday's Children's Song: "God is So Good"

Feb 12th: Council meeting 7:30pm at the church

Feb 18th: Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Feb 19th: Family Day Hockey/Skating at Wainfleet Arena 1:30-3:30PM

Feb 21st: Classis Niagara (regional church body) meeting at Bethany 9AM+

Feb 28th: deadline to register for **March 3 Equipping/Encouragement Day**

Get Equipped for Faith Life



GEMS: Meets Thursday evenings from 7-8:30pm for girls in grades 4-8. For more information, contact Cynthia: 905-892-2217 or email: bnauta@cogeco.ca

Theme Verse for 2017/2018 - "Whoever claims to live in him must live as Jesus did (1 John 2:6)"



Cadets: Meets Thursday evenings from 7-8:30pm for boys in grades 4-8. For more information, contact Mike, email: mikedreyer@hotmail.com or cell: 289-687-3105

Theme Verse for 2017 / 2018 - "For this is what the Sovereign

Lord says: I myself will search for my sheep and look after them." Ezekiel 34:11

MERGE (youth group) – for grades 9-12. Questions? Call Andrea 905-975-8484



Men's Bible Study – Tuesdays 6:00am (coffee provided!)

Men's Bible Study -We will be studying the Book of Jonah using Paul Tripp's 8 Session Video Series, "Jonah

- You Can't Outrun Grace", starting on Wednesday February 28. Coffee will be on at 7:30 and the Bible Study will begin at 8:00. All men are welcome and feel free to invite your sons, fathers, friends, and neighbours. For more information contact Ed Roorda or Jerry Kiers.

Women's Coffee Break – Tuesdays at Grace CRC 9:30am

Heart to Heart (women) – Fridays at 9:30am

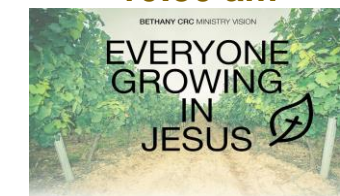
Women's Bible Study –The Bethany Ladies Bible Study meets at Bethany in the Fireside Room on Tuesday evenings at 7:00pm. Questions? Contact Mary Bokma 905-892-0529.

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Bethany Christian Reformed Church

February 11, 2018
10:30 am



**Deep connecting
Lifelong equipping
Compassionate serving**

How to contact Bethany Church

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Welcome and announcements

Teen Challenge GTA Introduction
Overview Video

Cardboard Testimonies All Students: "Beautiful Things"

Choir:

Song – "What a Beautiful Name"

(Bethany Kids ages 3-6 & Jr. GEMS/Cadets ages 7-8 are dismissed)

Student Testimony

Choir:

Song – "Through It All"

Song – "Lord I Need You"

Intern Testimony

Ministry Opportunities...

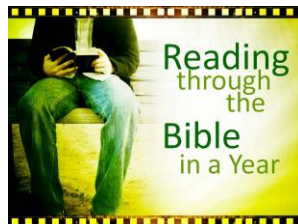
Prayer for offering

Offerings: 1. Ministries here at Bethany & the CRCNA

2. Teen Challenge

Choir: Song – "Amazing Grace – My Chains Are Gone"

Closing



- ☑ February 11 Isaiah 50-52; Mark 12:28-44
- ☑ February 12 Isaiah 53-55; Mark 13:1-20
- ☑ February 13 Isaiah 56-58; Mark 13:21-37
- ☑ February 14 Isaiah 59-61; Mark 14:1-26
- ☑ February 15 Isaiah 62-64; Mark 14:27-53
- ☑ February 16 Isaiah 65-66; Mark 14:54-72
- ☑ February 17 Exodus 1-3; Mark 15:1-25

Serving Assignments

Today [Please arrive by 9:45am for Nursery & Toddlers]

- Adventurers** Jenni/Anita W, Jessica O
- Travelers** Kelly D, Austin O
- Discoverers** Colleen K, Evan V
- Explorers** Mark & Wendy V, Cadence K
- Seekers** Jerry & Jen K
- Jr. Cadets** Chris J, Lloyd W
- Dylan** Jacqueline S
- Jr. GEMS** Rosie E, Jenny D
- Autism Support Person** Aimie V (Vicky D)
- Nursery** Diane D, Betty G, Scott V, Naomi S
- Toddlers** Kurtis/Glenda B, Mike D, Noah P
- Ushers** Byron G, Louie D
- Coffee Servers** Karl & Annie V, JJ & Colleen K
- Greeters** Anita W, Kurtis B, Andria B, Andy V
- Sunday School Sign In:** Frank D

Next Sunday [Please arrive by 9:45am for Nursery & Toddlers]

- Adventurers** Jenni/Anita W, Lauren V
- Travelers** Kelly D, Austin O
- Discoverers** Colleen K, Evan V
- Explorers** Lisa O, Joanne B, Cadence K
- Seekers** Karen V, Sierra K/Kylar G
- Jr. Cadets** Mike D, Chris J
- Dylan** Kelly R
- Jr. GEMS** Rosie E, Rachel S
- Autism Support Person** Vicky D (Wendy K)
- Nursery** Margaret D, Rita F, Holly R, Jody V
- Toddlers** Brian K, Sharon H, Nathan D
- Ushers** Dustin V, Kevin D
- Coffee Servers** Nate & Angela A, Ken & Nell O
- Greeters** Ken & Nell O, Harry & Sharon H, Andrea V, Annie V
- Sunday School Sign In:** Pete & Denise G
- Heat to Heart: Nursery:** Hennie V, Maria D
- Toddler 1:** Wendy L, Tina V
- Toddler 2:** Colleen S, Alex W
- Rover:** Chris S, Nellie S

Birthdays this week

Tena E (12th), Fraser A (15th), Karina W (15th), Jason B (17th), Casey D (17th), Peter D (17th), Becky V (17th)

Anniversaries this week

None this week

Prayers requested

- ❖ Pray for our **Youth & their leaders who are at Pioneer Camp** this weekend for the "Radiate Youth Retreat". There are over 170 youth registered this weekend where they will have the opportunity to encounter Jesus, to grow in their understanding of what their purpose is in Jesus Christ & to grow in the understanding of what their identity is in Jesus Christ. Pray also for safe travels as they come home later today.
- ❖ Pray for the Spirit's guidance for Council as they work through the submitted nominations for new elders and deacons.
- ❖ Continue to pray for **Devon & Lerato VH** as Lerato's travel visa process suffered a setback and further delay. Pray for patience for them and their families. Pray that the Lord will open a way for her to come here very soon.

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MANOR FLU OUTBREAK ANNOUNCEMENT:

Visitor restrictions are in effect in the Lakeview (Manor-fourth floor) home area due to Influenza. Visitor to an isolated resident must wear the gown, mask and gloves provided. If you yourself are unwell, do not visit. If you visit in Lakeview wing, visit only one resident and then leave the building. Remember to hand sanitize/wash when entering & exiting the building – handwashing is one of our best defenses against spreading illness. Thank you for working with us to keep our residents safe and healthy!



NIAGARA YOUNG ADULT FELLOWSHIP

On February 18th the Niagara Young Adults Fellowship will be holding their monthly get together at the Dunnville C.R.C. starting at 7:30 p.m. (Dorothy DeBoer rep.) If you are of college age or older please consider joining NYAF for an evening of spiritual discussion, fellowship and fun. The five CRC churches represented are from Fenwick, Wellandport, Welland, Smithville, Dunnville. Check out the NYAF facebook page. Reach out to other young adults in your church and plan on attending. Group discussion topic for the evening is from Frances Chan "Crazy Love" Discover how God can transform every aspect of your life, let's do it together.

- **Need of support or want to talk to someone?**
- **Contact Pastor Colin 905-931-5841 or Joyce De Roo at 905-386-6719.**
- **Confidential counselling services Bethany supports:**
- **SHALEM network 866-347-0041 & Elisha House Ministries 905-735-9934. (mention if you are member/regular attender of Bethany)**