

Bethany Christian Reformed Church

June 29, 2014

[* = Please stand if able; PH=blue song book]

Welcome & announcements ...

✠ THE LORD GATHERS HIS PEOPLE

Call to worship

*Opening song.....Revelation Song

*God's Word of greeting

*Greeting one another with the peace of Jesus Christ

*Songs of praise.....Come People of the Risen King

.....Shout to the Lord

✠ THE LORD SHOWS US HIS GRACE

Song.....PH432:1,3,4 for the Beauty of the Earth

Baptism of Brady Jonathan deBoer

Prayers of God's People

*Song of Thanksgiving.....Seek Ye First

*Prayer of blessing

(Children ages 3-8 invited downstairs for Children's Church)

Prayer of God's People

Giving in thanks in proportion to God's provision:

1. Ministries here at Bethany & the CRCNA
2. Deacons Benevolent Fund

Prayer for the offering

✠ THE LORD SPEAKS THROUGH HIS WORD

Prayer that our hearts may be opened to the Word of God

Bible reading: Obadiah (pg.801)

Message title "Part 2: God's Justice; fairly important"

Prayer of thanksgiving and blessing

✠ WE RESPOND WITH JOY & COMMITMENT

*Song of response

.....PH529 Speak Forth Your Word, O Father

*God's Word of blessing

*Closing praise...PH412:1,3,4,5 Jesus Shall Reign/O Canada

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

☑ **Welcome** to those who are visiting today. Please fill out the Visitor/Prayer Card in the bench and drop it in any offering bag. ☺

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

☑ **LARGE PRINT BULLETINS** & hearing assist devices available from ushers.

☑ Missed a sermon? ... they are on the web

www.bethanycrc.ca

☞ **Bethany** is part of a denomination called the Christian Reformed Church in North America www.crcna.org

☞ **We partner with the following ministries locally ...**

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

☞ **... and globally**

*Tom & Deb deRuiter who are serving in Mali, West Africa
adiallo_78@hotmail.com

*Devon Van Hoffen serving in Africa. Check out his blog at
www.devonvanhoffen.wordpress.com

email: devon@handsatwork.org

*Elise Wierenga & Cassaundra Vanderhout serving in Utila, Honduras. Visit www.cten.ca/elisewierenga.

Today

8:30am Prayer time before the service. The Prayer Team gathers in Sunday School Rm#3 to intercede for God's people, as they worship in Spirit & in Truth.

9:30am Worship: Baptism of Brady deBoer

This Week

Mon. 6:00am Men's Bible Study

July 2-4 – Mad Science Summer Day Camp

Next Sunday

8:30am Prayer Time downstairs in Sunday School Rm#3

9:30am Worship: Commissioning of Camp Leaders

Future dates

July 7-11 – Kids World Summer Day Camp

July 14-18 – Cook it Up Summer Day Camp

July 21-25 – Cook it Up Summer Day Camp

July 25-Aug 1 – Sports Camp

Aug 5-8 – Kinder Camp

Aug 11-15 – Girls Camp

Aug 18-22 – Animal Safari Summer Day Camp

Aug 24 – Summer Camp Celebration Sunday

Welcome to Bethany!

Thank you for joining us for the worship of our Triune God, Father, Son & Holy Spirit.

Here at Bethany, we strive to grow as a God honouring community witnessing for Christ. You are invited to join with us in this journey.

Feel free to contact the church office at 905-892-8980

info@bethanycrc.ca

or Pastor Colin at 905-892-7745

colin@bethanycrc.ca

Bethany Family Updates & Prayers

NEW BABY!!: Dustin & Karissa V were blessed with the birth of their first child, daughter Kylie Adrianna, born June 21 and she weighed 8lbs, 14 oz at birth (4.026kg).

Birthdays: Kean V, James V, Rebecca N, Dustin V, John W

Anniversaries: John & Sonya W

Prayers requested:

-Pray for a rich blessing on **Matt & Liz J** (nee Sikkens) who were united in marriage this past Friday.

-Pray for the leaders of our upcoming **Summer Camp** as they prepare lessons and activities. Pray that those that God wants at these camps would register. Pray that God would already be preparing hearts to hear about Him

-Pray for **Canada** this week as we celebrate Canada Day on Tuesday. Pray for justice and compassion to be hallmarks of this country in the time of freedoms we have been granted by the Lord.

-**Mike D** continues to improve and is off his medications now. He is still home recovering strength but things are moving in the right direction. Mike and Jessica are very thankful for the thoughts, prayers and practical support from Bethany congregation. It has helped them so much to know that the Lord through His people stands us in trials.

-**Eb B** was expected to come home late this past week. Pray for progress in recovery for her and as well as patience and endurance of the pain that she is working through.

- **Heather L** has been able to undergo her second round of chemo treatments. Pray that she may be well enough through this to be able to come home before her third round. She testifies to the faithfulness of the Lord who is upholding her day by day. *If you are planning to visit her, please contact her parents first, Bill & Mary Koudys (905-892-6117) to see if Heather can have visitors on that day.*

-Continue to pray for others who are dealing with cancer: **Liz H.** May the Lord grant them strength for their journey & healing.

-Pray for **Kevin V** (Denise G's brother) who has been diagnosed with Mantle Cell Lymphoma. His next chemo treatment is this coming Friday. Pray that he would be able to endure the treatments and that the cancer would be put into remission.

-Pray for healing **Dalton** (brother to Patrick K fiancé Shelby) who is undergoing chemotherapy for cancer. Pray for courage and peace through this for him and his parents and siblings.

Kingdom 'Building' – Ministry Funding / Budget Update

The Joy of Ministry till May 31, 2014

| | PLAN | ACTUAL |
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| INFLOWS | \$161,831.60 | \$151,421.05 |
| OUTFLOWS | \$161,831.60 | \$160,684.96 |
| Classis Shares to date | | \$6,142.40 |
| Classis Shares paid to date..... | | \$6,142.40 |
| Denominational Shares to date..... | | \$3,321.75 |
| Denominational Shares paid to date..... | | \$3,321.75 |
| 2 nd Offering last two weeks (June 8 th & 15 th) | | |
| World Missions-deRuiters..... | | \$1,426.00 |
| Deacons..... | | \$484.00 |

Offerings

The 1st offering today will be for the ministries here at Bethany & the CRC and the 2nd: Deacons Benevolent Fund

Next week: Shalom Manor

Next week's 2nd offering:



*God relishes the praises of His people.
"Sing to the Lord a new song."*

Is it your turn to serve today? ☺

Children's Church/Sunday School:

Little Lambs- Netty Dam, Kaitlyn Wierenga, Stephanie Beldman

3 year olds- Chris Langendoen, Sierra Kiers

4 year olds- Andria Slappendel, Colleen Slappendel, Ayden Garner

5 year olds- Jen Kiers, Natalie Langendoen

6 year olds- Lisa Ormel

****Attention All Sitters: please arrive no later than 9:15am when it is your turn to serve in the Nursery/Toddler Room-thanks****

Nursery-Babies: Laura Janssen, Lauren Dam, Cassidy Kiers

Toddlers: Joanne Benson, Riley Kremer, Kyle Langendoen

Projection: Veronica

Sound: Ed

Ushers: Richard VanLochem

Coffee Servers: Epp & Diana DeVries, Luke & Martha Sikkens

Email / Letter to de Ruiter's: Mike & Vicky DenBak

Address: Mr. Tom and Deb de Ruiter, B.P.2210, Bamako, Mali, West Africa – adiallo_78@hotmail.com

Is it your turn to serve next Sunday? ☺

Nursery-Babies: Kelly Bosgraaf-Dam, Erika Garner, Andrea DeVries

Toddlers: Ans Roorda, Michelle Langendoen, Connor DenBak

Projection: Kurt

Sound: Tim

Ushers: Brian Prins & Scott Van Driel

Greeters: Maria DeJonge, John Langendoen, Epp DeVries, Gerry & Tena Evers

Coffee Servers: John & Sonya Wierenga, Leo & Margaret DeVries

Email / Letter to de Ruiter's: George & Joyce DeRoo