

Bethany Christian Reformed Church

WORSHIP CELEBRATION

Lord's Day 45

November 10, 2013 25th Sunday after Pentecost **9:30 am**

✠ WE ENTER TO WORSHIP GOD

Preparation for praise and worship of our God

Prelude.....Music

Welcome and Invitation to Worship

*Opening Song of Worship

.....The Lord Is

*Call to Worship

*God's Greeting and Prayers of Adoration

*Greeting one another with the peace of Jesus the Christ

*Songs of Praise

.....All I Have is Christ

Ed to welcome Teen Challenge lead us in worship & testimony

(Bethany Kids: ages 3-8 invited downstairs for Children's Church after the 1st set of songs)

✠ WE LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD

Meditation.....Ed Roorda

"Amazing Grace"

✠ WE RESPOND TO GOD WITH JOY

The Lord's Tithe and our Offerings

(elders will collect the prayer cards at time of offering)

1. Bethany Ministries and the CRC

2. Teen Challenge

*Closing Prayer, blessing and sending out

(time of silence for Remembrance Day)

*Closing songs of thankfulness

.....Amazing Grace

✠ WE LEAVE TO SERVE WITH CONFIDENCE

*Postlude..... Music

[* Please stand if you are able]

*****Thank you to the Fellowship Committee members for providing lunch for the Teen Challenge Choir*****

Welcome to those who are visiting today ☺

Bethany is part of a denomination called the Christian Reformed Church in North America ☺

Prayer Request? Please fill in the card found in front of you in the pew, and place in the offering bag.

Please join us after the *Service of Word* for fellowship & coffee in the fellowship hall.

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

Invite you to join the prayer team before the service at 8:30am. They gather in Sunday School Rm#3 interceding for God's people, as God's people gather to worship in Spirit & in Truth.

Missed a sermon? Like to catch up? ... sermons are available on the website for you to listen to.

LARGE print bulletins available - ask Denise if you would like one and she will print weekly!

📞 need some help hearing? Ask one of the ushers for a hearing aid ☺.

This LORD's Day

9:00am Prayer time in the Fireside Room

9:30am Worship Celebration

District#4 Coffee Social at Pete and Lorraine

Wierenga's following the Teen Challenge Service this morning.

7:30pm Reflection bible study at Don & Theresa Terpstra.

We will continue study of Philippians - chapter 5.

Anyone is welcome to join us.

The LORD's Week

Mon. 7:00pm GEMS

Tues. 9:30am Welland Coffee Break

7:00pm Catechism grades 9-12

Wed. 7:00pm Women's Bible Study

Thurs. 6:00am Men's Bible Study

7:00pm Cadets

7:00pm Instruments in the Redeemers Hands

Fri. 9:30am Heart to Heart

Nursery: Hermien Korten, Ann Hook, Karen

Langendoen, Betty Gritter, Sylvia Damm, Grace

VanderVeen

Toddlers: Betty Vahrmeyer, Rita Forestell

Next LORD's Day

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

9:30am Worship Celebration – Pastor VanderPloeg

7:00pm Adult Bible Study at Bert and Cynthia Nautas.

Please study lesson 6. Questions? Call Wendy at 892 2526.

LiFE Here at Bethany – future dates (DV)

November 20th – Council meeting 7:30pm

November 26th – Congregational meeting 7:30pm

Seniors Christmas Dinner

Please join us on Wednesday December 4, 2013 for our

Annual Seniors Christmas Dinner hosted by the Bethany

CRC Deacons. Invitations will be in your mail slots on

Sunday November 10. Please RSVP by November 24, 2013.

Bethany CRC Deacons

Bethany's Family Update

Birthdays: Theresa Terpstra, Marian Damm, Nico Peetsma, Bertha Burke,

Anniversaries: Bill & Alice Thies

Praise & Prayer:

-Congratulations to **Ryan & Andrea Veldhuizen & Family** with the birth of their son, **Caleb Henry** born last Monday.

-Pray for **Adrian Vanderhout** as he is dealing with the effects of post war trauma. This young man has witnessed many horrific events and is now being haunted by those experiences and memories. Please also pray for his wife, Lauren and Adrian's family as they walk beside him during this difficult time.

-Prayer for **Matthew Knight**.

-**Luke Smit** is at Shalom—room #19 on Mapleview.

- Continue to keep in prayer **Chris Smit, Jonah Damm, Dylan VanDriel, Caleb** (Karen Bylsma's nephew) and **Dan Mulder** (Sarah Stuiwe's brother), & **Jeff (& Marcia) Horinga** (John & Rosie's brother-in-law & Luke & Martha Sikkens brother).

-Others who are **ill** in our community of faith.

Search Committee

*Continue to uphold the committee in your prayers as they continue to work together in the search for a new pastor.

*Uphold the meeting with **Pastor Colin Vander Ploeg** and his wife **Anita** in prayer

Partners in Global Ministry:

*Continued prayer for **Tom & Deb deRuiter** who are serving in Mali, West Africa.

***Devon Van Hoffen** serving in Africa. Pray that Devon will be bold in sharing the gospel and loving in his service.

Check out his blog at devonvanhoffen.wordpress.com

***Elise Wierenga** serving on the island of Utila, Honduras.

Pray for Elise that as she seeks to share Christ's love to the people, pray that their hearts would be opened to the message of the gospel.

www.cten.ca/elisewierenga

***Cassandra Vanderhout** serving on the island of Utila, Honduras.

Is it your turn to serve today? ☺

Children's Church/Sunday School:

3 year olds- Karen Bylsma, Owen VanHuizen

4 year olds- Anita & Jenni Wierenga, Nathan DenBak

5 year olds- Kate Vahrmeyer, Kaitlyn Langendoen

****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: Grace Vander Veen, Jenny DeBoer, Mackenzie Langendoen

Toddlers: Wendy Kremer, Diane Dam, James Vander Veen

Projection: Darren H

Sound: Ed

Ushers: Louie Dam, Dan Scholman

Greeters(Fellowship Hall, Floaters & Doors): Anita Wierenga, Bas & Trudy Slappendel, Kurtis Bouwers, Andria Slappendel, Hans & Hilda Dam

Coffee Servers: Bas & Trudy Slappendel, John & Heidi TeBrake

Email / Letter to de Ruiter's: Ray & Anne-Marie Wubs

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 Lords Day? ☺

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3 year olds- Karen Bylsma, Owen VanHuizen

4 year olds- Anita & Jenni Wierenga, Nathan DenBak

5 year olds- Kate Vahrmeyer, Kaitlyn Langendoen

Nursery-Babies: Jacqueline Slappendel, Coby Bosgraaf, Gaby VanSoelen

Toddlers: Sandra Stam, Aimie VanLochem, Noah VanSoelen

Projection: Veronica

Sound: Tim

Ushers: Chris Jorritsma, Mike DenBak

Greeters(Fellowship Hall, Floaters & Doors): Jen & Jerry Kiers, Ken & Nell Overbeeke, Harry & Sharon Hielema, Pete & Karen Veldhuizen

Coffee Servers: Kevin & Betty Twomey, Hans & Hilda Dam

Email / Letter to de Ruiter's: John & Joanne Zwier

Kingdom 'Building' – Ministry Funding / Budget Update

The Joy of Ministry till September 30, 2013

	PLAN	ACTUAL
INFLOWS	\$286,109.37	\$303,703.42
OUTFLOWS	\$286,109.37	\$256,269.39
Classis Shares 2013 Commitment		\$13,465.32
Classis Shares paid to date		\$10,099.08
Denominational Shares 2013 Commitment.....		\$59,521.32
Denominational Shares paid to date.....		\$45,636.08
2 nd Offering past few weeks (October 27 th & November 3 rd)		
Deacons.....		\$440.00
Rose City Kids.....		\$250.00
Pelham Cares.....		\$250.00
World Hunger-Peter Fish.....		\$2251.00

Offerings

The 1st offering today will be for the ministries here at Bethany & the CRC and the 2nd: Teen Challenge

Next week's 2nd offering: Elisha House

Welcome to Bethany!

We want to thank you for joining us for the worship of our God and Creator.

Here at Bethany, we strive to give God glory by communicating His message in a way that is Gospel (Christ) Centred.

God relishes the praises of His people.



"Sing to the Lord a new song."