

Welcome!



This morning we celebrate God's covenant promises in Christ through the sacrament of baptism given to Brielle Faith Anjema, infant daughter of Nate & Angela Anjema. We welcome little Brielle into Bethany and commit ourselves along with his parents to discipling Brielle also in the love and fellowship of the Lord and His people. We also continue our series on the Psalms in the context of praying. May the Lord bless you as you worship Him.
Pastor Colin

CONTACT CARD

We want to get to know you! Feel free to fill out the Contact/Prayer Card in the bench and drop it in the offering bag or slide it under the pastor's office door.

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 Children's Church downstairs.

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?

VISION STATEMENT

We are a God Honouring Community Witnessing for Christ!



We're on the web!
www.bethanycrc.ca

Connecting

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We Partner With

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 Van Hoffen serving in Africa. Email Devon at devon@handsatwork.org

Follow Devon on his blog at www.devonvanhoffen.wordpress.com

Happening Today

Worship Leaders 8:00am – time of praise, prayer, & preparation

Pre-service Prayer 9:15am – Council & worship leaders (in Council room)

Upcoming

Next Sunday offering: Back to God Ministries

Sept 26: Elders meeting 7:30 pm

Oct 3: Council meeting 7:30 pm

Coming this Fall: Authentic Manhood course (more info to follow)

Nov 18-19 in Toronto: Quest Conference for men (from Promise Keepers Canada)

Register soon at <http://www.promisekeepers.ca/events/event/245> and/or talk to Ed Roorda 905-328-4255-see Bugle for more details

SAVE THE DATE!!! Friday evening & Saturday, November 25-26 ...

Congregational Discovery Weekend (our vision planning days).

More info coming.

Get Equipped for Faith Life



GEMS: 2016-2017 Theme: 1 Thess.3:12 "Love Overflows"

Meets every Thursday evening from 7-9pm for girls in grades 4-8 from September to April. For more information, contact Diana cell: 289-696-5567 or email: dj.diana.slappendel@gmail.com



Cadets: 2016-2017 Theme: Hebrews 12:1-2 "Get In The Game"

Meets every Thursday evening from 7-9 for boys in grades 4-8 from September to April. For more information, contact Mike Dreyer, email: mikedreyer@hotmail.com or cell: 289-687-3105



Men's Bible Study

6:00am Tuesday mornings (will resume in Sept.2016)

Women's Coffee Break - 9:30am Tues at Grace CRC

Heart to Heart (Women) - 9:30am every Friday

Konnect 20 (Young Adults) - call Andria (289-687-3024)

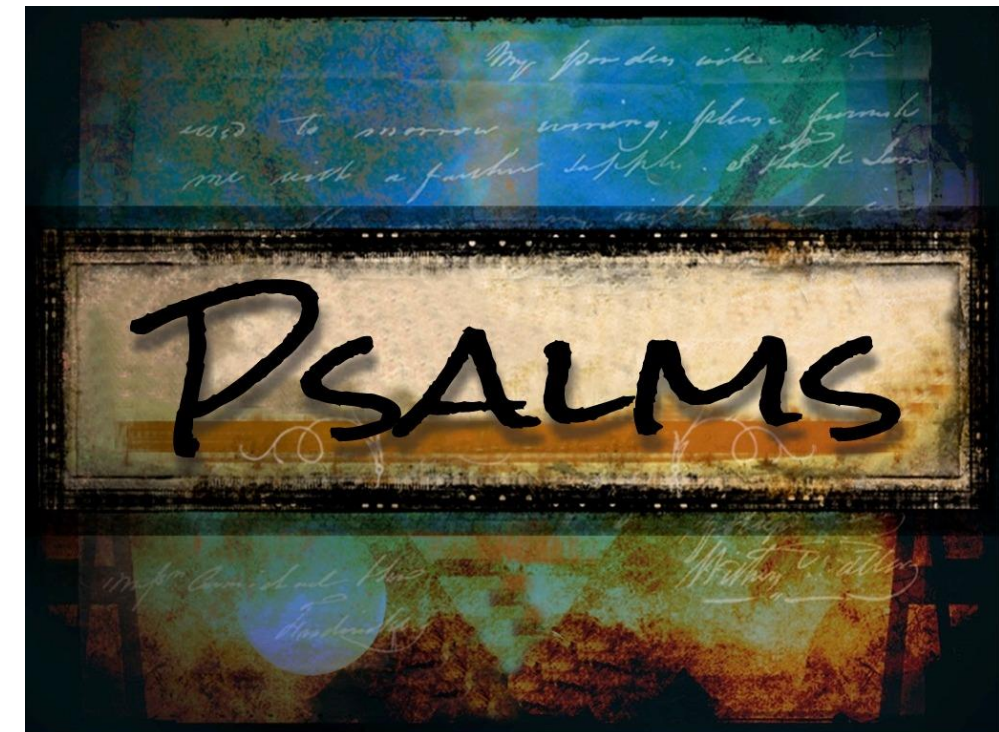
Faith Instruction (Catechism) - Please note Grade 9/10 starts September 27th and Grade 11 starts October 11th

MERGE (youth group) – for grades 9-12. Meets every other Sunday 7-9pm at church-kickoff is tonight-Selfie Scavenger Hunt from 4-6:00pm at Centennial Park (999 Church Street, Fenwick)-see mail slot for information

Bethany Ladies Bible Study – starts Wed. Oct.19th at Cynthia Vermeer's house-see Bugle for more details on the study.

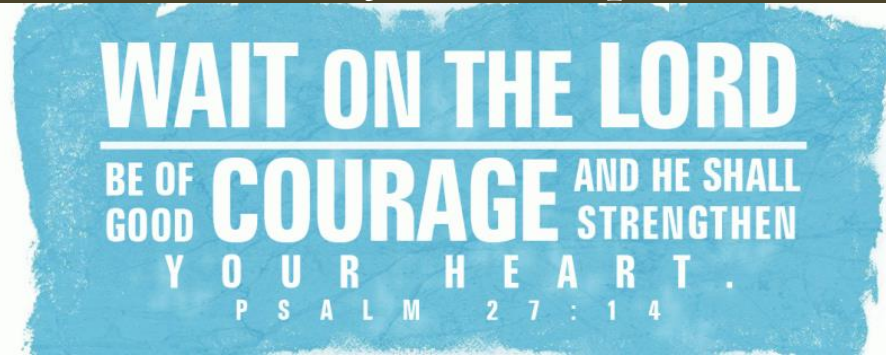
Welcome to Bethany!

Let us rejoice in the Lord together!



Bethany Christian Reformed Church

**September 25, 2016
9:30am**



The Lord Gathers Us

- Welcome
Opening prayer
*Opening Song
'How Firm a Foundation' - LUYH427
*God's Word of greeting
*Songs of Praise
'Come Praise & Glorify'
'God is Our Refuge'

The Lord Shows Us His Grace

- Baptism of Brielle Faith
*Songs of Thankfulness
'My Life is an Offering'
Gathered Prayer
Children's Message
*Children's Song of Thankfulness
'This Little Light of Mine'

(Bethany Kids ages 3-8 invited downstairs for Sunday school in fireside room)

- Prayer & Offerings
1. Ministries here at Bethany & the CRCNA
2. Deacons

Prayers of God's People & for the proclamation of the Word

The Lord Speaks to Us through His Word

- Bible reading - Psalm 27 (p. 482)
Message - 'Waiting on God'
Prayer of blessing on the message

The Lord Sends Us Out to Celebrate & Serve

- *Song of Response
'O Lord, You are My Light' - PH164
*God's Word of blessing
*Closing Song
'Lift High the Name of Jesus'



Table with 2 columns: Date and Bible verses. Includes dates from September 25 to October 1 and corresponding verses from Ezekiel and John.

Serving Assignments

Today [Please arrive by 9:15am for Nursery & Toddlers]

- 3 Year olds: Steph B, Cadence K
4 Year Olds: Kelly D, Nathan D, Kaitlyn L
5 Year Olds: Becky V, Emma W
6 Year Olds: Jen K, Morgan G
7&8 Year Olds: Ray V, Nicole V
Autism Support Person: Wendy K (Vicky D)
Dylan: Kelly S
Nursery: Deb G, Riley K, Jessica O, Jacqueline S
Toddlers: Mike D, Sandra S, Noah V
Ushers: Chris S, Mary B
Coffee Servers: Humphrey & Deb G, Steve & Elaine V
Greeters: Cor & Ina V, Hans & Hilda D, Mark V, Colin d, Joanne D

Next Sunday

- 3 Year olds: Jenni/Anita W, Jessica O
4 Year Olds: Brenda B, Natalie L, Haley G
5 Year Olds: Colleen K, Jody V
6 Year Olds: Trevor V, Cassidy K
7&8 Year Olds: Tim V, Kathy V
Autism Support Person: Vicky D (Deb P)
Dylan: Betty T
Nursery: Denise G, Mackenzie K, Andria S, Lauren V
Toddlers: Elaine V, Jessica D, Colin d
Ushers: Brian P, Scott V
Coffee Servers: Jerry & Jen K, Brian & Wendy K
Greeters: Epp D, Vicky D, Nellie S

Heart to Heart - Friday

- Nursery: Colleen S, Rita F, Betty G
Toddler#1: Nellie P, Coby B
Toddler#2: Nellie S, Caroline J

Birthdays this week

Carter B, Jerry K, Laura J, Jordan V, Frank D, Joyce P, Noah V

Anniversaries this week

Codie & Kristina H, John & Rosie E, Don & Theresa T

Prayers requested

- * Hans & Hilda D give thanks to the Lord that their niece Emma C has continued to recover from her illness. It has been a long journey but she is getting better. Praise the Lord.
* Continue to pray for Ans R as she continues with her chemo treatments until December. May the Lord grant her strength and healing. Please call their home before visiting. Prov 3:5-6 'Trust in the Lord with all you heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all you ways acknowledge Him, and He will make your paths straight.'
* Troy A (Grace & Anno V's son-in-law) and Catherine S (Grace V's sister-in-law) continue their journey with cancer. Pray for healing and strength for each day.

