

# Bethel Happenings

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**NOVEMBER 2025**

## SUNDAY SERVICES

8:30 am & 10:00 am  
Livestreamed @  
blcwindsor.org

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Mondays @ 9am

Men's Monday Morning  
Meet-up 9 am

### 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays

Young Women's Group  
6pm @ Starbucks

### Tuesdays

Soul Stitchers @ 9 a.m.  
(Quilting Group)

### Thursdays @ 9am

Women's Coffee Group

### Sundays

9:40 am Sunday School  
5:00-6:30 pm Confirmation  
7-8 pm High School Youth  
Group

**“Serve one another  
humbly in love.”**

(Galatians 5:13)

When we lend a hand or share kindness, we reflect God's love in simple but powerful ways. How might you serve someone this week?



## *“Gratitude” by Intern Linda Akers*

One morning in October, I woke up to thick dense fog. As I made my drive to Bethel, I could not see the Windsor exit. I prayed for assistance. I followed the two cars in front of me and the lines on the road as I made the way up to the Windsor exit onto Highway 257. As I exited on 257 and made my way down this winding road, I found myself in a completely different place. I could see! The fall colors were bright and there was sunshine. I thought this is what heaven may be like. I became overwhelmed with gratitude, for this is what Bethel is like for me every day.

November is a time when I am drawn to dwelling in the concept of gratitude. I am grateful, not so much for the church building, but for the people of Bethel church. The people of Bethel will always be a significant part of both my diaconal and faith formation. Each and every one of you have provided me on this short timeless journey, grace, responsiveness, affirmations, thankfulness, indebtedness, trust, unconditional love, discovery and education. Each of these words begins with a letter that spells “gratitude.” It defines the gratitude that I have received at Bethel from each one of you. It is and has been a privilege to be allowed to be a part of Bethel's journey.

Bethel is place of God's true unadulterated grace and love for each other. So, this Thanksgiving season, I want to thank all of you for who you all are in Christ. Thank you for teaching me. Thank you for letting me be a small part of your community. I am blessed.

# Young Women's GROUP & BIBLE STUDY

♥ First & Third Wednesday Each Month  
6pm @ Starbucks next to Hair & Company

♥ For ladies 14 to young adults (20's)

♥ Join us as we learn and grow in our relationship with Christ and our sisters in Christ.

# FREE math tutoring

for any middle & high school student



Wednesdays @ Bethel Lutheran  
328 Walnut Street  
4:15-5:30pm

provided by retired WHS math teacher,  
Laurie Hillman

# WINTER COAT & BOOT DRIVE AND SWAP



NOVEMBER 1<sup>ST</sup> - 15<sup>TH</sup>

Collecting Coats/boots for kids up through high school!

DROP OFF LOCATION:  
Bethel Lutheran Church  
328 Walnut Street  
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MONDAY, NOV. 17<sup>TH</sup>

Looking for a warm coat or boots for your kids?

From 5:30-7 choose from our selection of donated winter wear!

Stay and join us for dinner!  
5:30-7pm



# Monday Night DINNERS

Mondays, beginning  
Nov. 17th  
5:30-7pm

From Nov. 17<sup>th</sup> - Dec. 29<sup>th</sup> Bethel will host free Monday evening dinners.

Please scan the QR code to RSVP so we can ensure enough food will be provided. We hope to see you there!



# "Joyful Noise"

Youth Choir!

Guys & Gals 4<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> Grade!

Rehearsals @ 11:15-11:45

Beginning Nov. 16th in the Sanctuary

Sign up in the entryway

Contact Gary Schmidt for more details or questions!

Students will be part of the Christmas Cantata on December 14th!

## Prayer Requests

Bethel family, in your prayers, we ask that you please keep the following people: Please keep the family of David Wood and the family of Diana Templefield in your prayers as they grieve the loss of their loved ones. May God's peace and comfort surround them and give them strength in the days ahead.

Healing prayers for Jerry Gold, Austin Levy, Jackie Wiggins, Kathy Lewis, and Randy Shedd. If you have a prayer request or would like to be added to the prayer chain, please contact Cathy Olson or Renae Kamerzell.



## THANKFUL TO HELP

This month, the Windsor Severance Food Pantry needs hygiene items. Loving our neighbors means helping with personal needs, too. If you are able to, please bring the listed items to Bethel on November 23. Thank you for your continued generosity!

-Toothbrushes -Toothpaste -Deodorant

-Toilet Paper (This is an ongoing need. The more we can provide, the better!)

-Shampoo -Bar Soap. -Disposable Razors

