

Welcome to Bethel Lutheran Church!

Today's Service is led by Pastor Ben Sandin.

Organist: Melody Wright

Flowers are dedicated to the glory of God by the Bartos in celebration of an extra hour of sleep; and by Vera & Roger Edstrom in celebration of Erik and Grant Edstrom's birthdays.

Deacon: Tony Stieber

Lector: Dianne Stauffer

Lockup Volunteer: Bob Burkhardt

Bethel This Week

Sunday, November 3

8:45am Traditional Worship
9:30am Confirmation
9:50am Kid Connection
9:50am Sr High Gathering
9:50am "Making Sense of Luther"
10:45am Contemporary Worship
6:30pm Handbell Choir

Monday, November 4

9:00am Men of Monday
9:15am Quilters

Tuesday, November 5

10am-1pm Office Open

Wednesday, November 6

10am-3pm Office Open
10:00am Women of Wednesdays
6:30pm Sr High Fellowship
7:00pm Wednesday Speaker Series

Thursday, November 7

10am-3pm Office Open
10:00am Out 'n About Brunchies
7:30pm Bethel Choir Rehearsal

Friday, November 8

Saturday, November 9

9am-1pm SV Korean School uses parking lot

Giving

September Outreach & Benevolence

\$4,254 Sierra Pacific Synod for churchwide mission support
\$1,000 Mercy Ships
\$ 500 Water Mission International
\$ 500 Bill Wilson Center
\$ 225 Lutheran World Relief (Sept Special Designated)

\$6,096 TOTAL

November Special Designated Offering Second Harvest Food Bank

To give to Bethel visit:
www.bethelcupertino.org/giving

Attendance

Sunday, October 27
8:45am-100; 10:45am-108;
Nursery-7



Sunday, November 3, 2024 • 8:45am

Prelude "Aria on Sine Nomine" (David Cherwien)
Welcome & Announcements
Thanksgiving for Baptism
Sharing Christ's Peace
Hymn For All the Saints (ELW #422, vs. 1,5,6,7)
Apostolic Greeting
Kyrie Day by Day (ELW #790, vs. 1) (ELW p. 148)
Glory to God in the Highest
Prayer of the Day
First Reading Revelation 21:1-6
Acclamation & Response
Gospel John 11:32-44
Response after the Gospel
Message "God's Promise"
Hymn Shall We Gather at the River (ELW #423, vs. 1-4)
Remembering the Saints
Apostles Creed
Prayers
Lord's Prayer
Offering "Song of the Saints" (Pepper Choplin)
Bethel Choir; Vadim Rivkin, accompanist
Offertory Prayer
Blessing
Hymn Sing With All the Saints in Glory (ELW #426, vs. 1-3, tune Hymn to Joy)
Sending
Postlude "Hymn to Joy" (Michael Burkhardt)

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Congregational Life
Tom Hoegel
Adult Ministry
Mary Deutscher
Childrens Ministry
Amanda Laughlin
Confirmation
Robyn Winegardner

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUNDAY FORUM: MAKING SENSE OF LUTHER

October 6 to November 17, 9:50am in the Fireside Room

This video series, featuring Rev. Dr. David Lose, explores how Luther's understanding of God's life-changing gospel informs day-to-day faith and life in the world today.

HELP ONE CHILD GIVING TREE

Beginning Sunday, November 3

Bethel is partnering with Help One Child to provide love and Christmas cheer to children and adolescents in foster care. Please visit the "Giving Tree" in the Narthex for further instructions. Please bring the unwrapped gift to the church with the gift tag securely fastened. Each gift should be \$40–50. Contact Mark Evashenk if you have any questions.

WEDNESDAY SPEAKER SERIES: REV. LIZ MILNER

November 6, 7pm in the Fireside Room

Hear Liz Milner of CIC Ministries speak, followed by a Q&A session and light refreshments.

OUT 'N ABOUT BRUNCHIES WALK

Thursday, November 7 at 10am-1:30pm

All are invited to the initial outing of "Brunchies," where we will enjoy a leisurely walk down Lincoln Avenue in Willow Glen then have brunch/lunch at the Crepevine Restaurant. Meet at Bethel to take the bus to Willow Glen.

TURKEY COLLECTION FOR THE LORD'S PANTRY

Bring to Bethel on Sunday, November 24 by 12:30pm

Bethel will be supporting The Lord's Pantry by donating turkeys to their food bank. Please bring a FROZEN turkey to Bethel. Contact is Mark Evashenk.

THANKSGIVING EVE WORSHIP & PIE

Tuesday, November 26, 7pm in the Sanctuary

Come to Bethel for a Thanksgiving worship and stay for pie. Bring a pie if you wish.

THANK YOU TOM FOR 40 YEARS - VIDEO

In case you missed it, you can still watch the thank you to Tom video (shown last Sunday after the 10:45am service) at: <https://youtu.be/KJFYj9ejN5c>

ALTAR GUILD NEEDS HELPERS

Please contact Marion Abney if you would like to help prepare communion one hour on second Saturdays of the month and/or 45 minute cleanup on second Sundays, 3 or 4 times a year.

ADVENT DECORATING

Saturday, December 7, 9:30am-noon, Sanctuary

Come and help Decorate the Sanctuary and Narthex for Advent and Christmas. There will be 3 Christmas trees, poinsettias, a nativity scene, banners, and lights to put up. Contact is Tom Hoegel.

BETHEL ACTIVITIES FOR CHILDREN to ADULTS:

Nursery (infants and toddlers) / contact is Amanda Laughlin

Kid Connection (2yrs to 5th grade) / contact is Amanda Laughlin

Confirmation (6th to 8th grades) / contact is Robyn Winegardner

High School / contact is Tom Hoegel

Young Adults / contact is Harumy Miura

Adults / contacts are Pastor Ben, Tom Hoegel, Mary Deutscher

Visit Bethel's website at www.bethelcupertino.org for details of programs and activities offered. To receive the weekly eNewsletter, email pubs@bethelcupertino.org.

CARING CONNECTION VISITS

If you, or someone you know, would like an informal visit from one of our Caring Connection Members, please call the Bethel office at 408-252-8500 and a visit will be scheduled. We would love to visit with you!

LIVE STREAMING & RECORDING

This service is being streamed live to [youtube.com/bethelcupertino](https://www.youtube.com/bethelcupertino). Those under 18 are not on camera without parental permission.