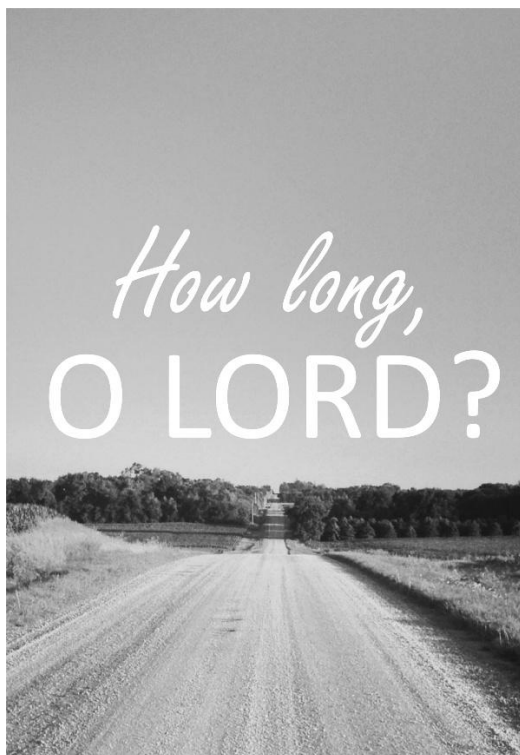


# BETHEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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***LIVING OUR FAITH & SHARING GOD'S LOVE***



**May 11, 2025**

***In-person Worship Service at 10:00 a.m.***

***Sunday School at 9:00 a.m.***

***Holy Communion offered 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays***

***Live stream Worship Service on our website***

***View previous Worship Services on our website***

## ***ENTRANCE AND PREPARATION***

RINGING OF THE BELL

LIGHTING OF THE ALTAR CANDLES

GREETINGS

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP:**

Liturgist: Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth.

**People: Worship the Lord with gladness; come before him  
with joyful songs.**

Liturgist: Know that the Lord is God.

**People: It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his  
people, the sheep of his pasture.**

Liturgist: Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with  
praise;

**People: Give thanks to him and praise his name.**

**All: For the Lord is good and his love endures forever;  
his faithfulness continues through all generations.**

**\*OPENING PRAYER<sup>1</sup>**

**\*OPENING HYMN** *“Be Thou My Vision”*

UMH 451

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD’S PRAYER

GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS TO GOD

**\*DOXOLOGY**

UMH 95

*“Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow”*

## ***PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD***

MESSAGE FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Psalms 13

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

SPECIAL MUSIC

*“How Great Thou Art”*

Addison Sellers & Grant Taylor

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<sup>1</sup> Written by Sally Johnson, United Methodist Creation Justice Movement

**SENDING FORTH**

\*CLOSING HYMN “Only Trust Him” UMH 337, vs. 1, 3

\*BENEDICTION

\*RESPONSE “Halle, Halle, Halleluja” FWS 2026

\*TAKING THE LIGHT INTO THE WORLD

\*Please stand as you are comfortable

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Pastor: Rev. Nadeem Khokhar (540) 347-4874 or [nkhokhar@bethelumc.com](mailto:nkhokhar@bethelumc.com)

In-office: Monday through Thursday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Ministers: All Members

Music Director: Pat Martin [pat88piano@gmail.com](mailto:pat88piano@gmail.com)

Guest Pianist: Dolores Goff

Bell Choir Director: Joice Fredenburgh

Tech Team: Roger Broadbent, Brett Hahne, Bill Nelson, Duane Williamson

Video Assistant: Addison Sellers

Administrative Assistant: Christine Winters; [bumcofficeassistant@comcast.net](mailto:bumcofficeassistant@comcast.net)

In-office: Monday through Thursday: 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Liturgist: Ted Zyla



The flowers today are provided by Dean and Cindy Fortney in memory of their mothers, Leah and Jane.

The flowers last Sunday were provided by Martha Ginader in honor of McKenna's graduation.

**GREETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

***WELCOME! We are glad you have joined us for worship. If this is your first time worshipping with us, please let one of the greeters know. We have a small gift to share with you. Coffee and refreshments will be served after the service.***

**NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL STUDY:** Pastor Nadeem started a new Sunday School study titled **“The Teachings of the Apostle Paul.”** *last week*, please feel free to join us in the Pavilion Room. We will

embark on a meaningful journey beginning with a thorough, verse-by-verse exploration of the letter to the Romans, and we will continue delving into Paul's profound letters throughout the New Testament. This is a wonderful opportunity to deepen your understanding of scripture and strengthen your faith.

**Board of Trustees Meeting:** *TODAY, May 11* after Worship Service in the Pavilion Room. The Trustees are Chair Roger Broadbent, Ed Stouffer, Rick Putnam, Duane Williamson, Karla Yocum, and Bonnie Pool.

**Finance Meeting:** *Tuesday, May 13 at 7:00 p.m.*, Pavilion Room. The members this year are Chair Lewis Lee, Pastor Nadeem, Travis Taylor, Donna Broadbent, Lay Leader Brett Hahne, Council Chair Ava Lee, SPRC Interim Chair Steve Church, Trustees Chair Roger Broadbent, Jennifer Sellers and Eric Zitzmann.

**Retired Teachers Dinner:** The United Women of Faith will provide dinner for the Retired Teachers Association on *Tuesday, May 13* in the Social Hall from 4:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. If you would like to help with cleaning up, please contact Pat Martin.

**Warrenton Ruritan Club Dinner:** The United Women of Faith will provide dinner for the Ruritans on *Thursday, May 15*. They gather in the Pavilion Room for their meal and meeting at 7:00 p.m. Ruritan's purpose is to create a better understanding among people and through volunteer community service, make America's communities better places in which to live and work. The slogan of Ruritan is "Fellowship, Goodwill, and Community Service."

**BUMY (Bethel United Methodist Youth):** Please join us *Sunday, May 18 from 11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.* for some time of fellowship. Lunch provided!

The youth are also invited to join us in the Social Hall on *Tuesday, May 27 from 5:45-8:00 p.m.* We will have dinner to start the evening followed by some time for fellowship!

**Council Meeting:** The May council meeting has been postponed due to the Memorial Day holiday weekend to *Tuesday, June 3, at 7:00 p.m.* in the Pavilion Room. This will be the last council meeting before the summer. Bethel's officers will return to monthly meetings on Tuesday, Aug 26. Council Chair Ava Lee