



BETHANY LUTHERAN CHURCH
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May 19, 2024

Please silence your cell phone during worship

A warm welcome to all who worship here today. May God bless each of us and give us comfort and peace as we worship together.

We practice open communion here at Bethany and all are welcome. We are all one family gathered around our Lord's table. If you prefer to not receive communion today, you are invited to come forward to receive a blessing. Cross your arms to let the pastor know that you would like to receive a blessing and not the wine and bread. White grape juice and wine are both available in the communion tray.

Please come forward at the direction of the ushers, forming a line in the center aisle. After receiving communion, you may return to your seat by the side aisles dropping your empty communion cup in the basket at the end of the front pew.

Visitors, please fill in a blue worship card, and place it in the offering plate; keep the pen as a small welcoming gift.

Altar Flowers are presented by Yvonne & Bud Morrison for all those with May birthdays.

In Our Prayers: Martha Harvey, Brian Miller, Jerry Nelson, Julie Johnson, David Bartelson, Tom Casey, James Bainter, Don Bradford, Guy Groff, Jack Stieg.

Victims of wildfires & other natural disasters

Victims of all countries at war or in turmoil

Healthcare Workers & First Responders

All of our AA & NA Groups

Military Service Members

Prayers will be listed in the bulletin for one month.

Please fill in a blue card or call the office to add or remove someone from the list.

Today's Assistants

Reader: Mary Anne Clark
Communion: Mary Kerwin/Cheryl Krummel
Ushers: Barbara Brown/Laurie Greer
Counters: Carla Roberts/Karla Dasen
Fellowship: Cheryl Krummel
Production: Pastor Sandy, Jeff Dasen

Today's Readings

Acts 2:1-21
Psalm 104:24-34,35b
Romans 8:22-27
John 15:26-27, 16:4b-15

Next Week's Assistants 5-26-24

Reader: Diane Brunsfeld
Communion: Yvonne & Bud Morrison
Ushers: Barbara Brown/Laurie Greer
Counters: Nancy Leholm (?) & Karen Nelson
Fellowship: Fellowship & Council – Nancy's Farewell
Production: Pastor Sandy, Karen Maglich

Last week's total offerings – \$3412.01
Rents - \$40.00
Attendance – 36

God Speed Nancy!!

It is with great sadness that we, at Bethany, bid Nancy Leholm a fond farewell. She has been a member of Bethany since Feb. 2010. She has served on the Church Council, been a Reader, a Communion assistant, a Worship assistant and a counter. As you can see, she has been an active member of our congregation.

She recently retired from the Maricopa County Adult Probation Department on May 3rd after 37 years of service and will be moving to Bismark, North Dakota to be near her 2 nephews and their families. Her last Sunday with us will be May 26th. She is looking forward to this new stage of her life, but says she loves the people of Bethany and will miss them very much.

All of us at Bethany wish her the best in her "new life" and pray for many Blessings for her. You will be missed a great deal, Nancy!!!

There will be a Memorial Service for Albert Redlinger on Saturday, June 1st, at 2:00 pm here at Bethany.

We have scheduled a fun event to help others. Saturday, June 22nd at 12pm at **Feed my Starving Children in Mesa**. Call Moe Aaby to secure your spot 480-223-8223. We can all car pool and all ages are welcome!

Sunday, June 23, will be Favorite Hymn Sunday – pick one or two of your favorite hymns and give them to Pastor Sandy by June 1. Index cards are on the table behind the pews at the back of the sanctuary.

It's time to apply for the Bethany Scholarship! Applications are available in the church office. To be eligible: The applicant or immediate family must be a member in good standing of Bethany Lutheran Church and achieve and maintain a grade point average of 2.5. Also, recipients of the scholarship are required to make a report to the congregation each year explaining how the award impacted their goals. Applications are now available and need to be turned back into the office by June 6th.
Thank you, Karla Dasen

Fellowship – Following worship every Sunday in Zoellner Hall. Sign up to bring the goodies and host a week.

"Fellowship reminder: When serving fellowship after Sunday service, please arrive at about 8:30 am with your treats and assist Diane in setting up. Thank you."

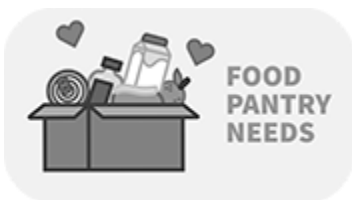
******Please help with tables and chairs before and after fellowship as you are able to do so. ******

Yule Mart – Tuesdays, 9am until Noon

Hand & Foot – Tuesdays - All are welcome starting at 12 noon in Zoellner Hall.

Please consider donating the altar flowers on Sunday. The chart is on the mail cart. Your donation is only \$35.

Lutheran World Relief (Jar) ... on the back table is for donations for the "Barnyard" fund which helps buy a safe, clean water system and animals for the poor, and also, "Lutheran World Relief" special collections for disaster victims.



Food Cart – Drop off non-perishable food items in the basket in the Sanctuary on Sunday or at the office, Monday thru Thursday, 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Please, unopened food items only.

Please bring cases of water directly to Vista Del Camino. Water brought to Bethany will be used here. **Thank you for caring and your kindness.**

Bethany's Mission Statement
Accepting Serving
Loving . . .
We Share God's Embrace

Scheduled at Bethany this week:

Today May 19	9:00 am 10:00 am 10:30 am 1:30 pm 5:00 pm	Sunday Worship Fellowship Sunday School – Rm 10 Tango - Zoellner Torre Fuerte – Sanctuary	Thursday May 23	10:30 am 7:00 pm	Bible Study, Rm 10 AA – Room 10
Monday May 20	4:00 pm	Al-Anon – Room 10	Friday May 24	7:00 pm	Office Closed Torre Fuerte - Sanctuary
Tuesday May 21	9:00 am 12:00 pm 7:00 pm	Yule Mart Hand & Foot- Zoellner AA 12-Step - Zoellner	Saturday May 25	9:00 am	Church of God -Campus
Wed May 22	7:00 pm	Tango - Zoellner	Sunday May 26	9:00 am 10:00 am 10:30 am 1:30 pm 5:00 pm	Sunday Worship Fellowship – Nancy’s; Farewell Sunday School – Rm 10 Tango - Zoellner Torre Fuerte - Sanctuary