

**BETHANY MENNONITE CHURCH**

**May 1, 2022**

Prelude

Sheila Wipf

**Praise Hymns**

Praise Team

•Call To Worship

One: Loving God, we have gathered to meet You.

**All: We have come to listen to You, to seek You, to worship You.**

One: You are the beginning of all things, the life of all things; You knew us before we were born.

**All: In You we become; in You we live.**

One: Loving God, You are here and everywhere, around us and within us; You know our inner most thoughts.

**All: In You we hope; in You we live.**

One: You are the source of serenity, giving peace that is beyond our understanding.

**All: In You we are still; in You we live.**

One: Loving God, we live in You; we worship You.

**All: Loving God, You live in us; we worship You. Amen**

•Hymn of Praise

"I Stand Amazed"

Screen

•Invocation

•Morning Greeting

Announcements and Prayer Requests

Time of Prayer

Morning Offering for the General Fund

•Hymn of Thanksgiving

"I Love You, Lord" (twice)

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Scripture Reading – Daniel 9: 1-27

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Revelation of Restoration

Pastor Shane

HOLY COMMUNION

•Hymn of Response

"In Christ Alone"

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Benediction

•Closing "Find Us Faithful"

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Postlude

Sheila Wipf

~Retiring Offering for the Elder Sharing Fund

Bethany Mennonite Church

509 S. Juniper Street, PO Box 396, Freeman, SD 57029

Making Disciples: Worship/Celebration; Caring/Sharing; Learning/Serving  
Worship—9:00AM

Food Pantry—OPEN 1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> FRIDAYS from 1:00PM to 5:00PM

Broadcast on cable television channel 90 at 9:00AM

& UTV (Freeman Cable channel 10) at 4:00PM

Special Event programming published in church bulletin, Freeman Courier

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Secretary's Office: 925-7311, Fax 925-7202

Prayer Chain Requests – 760-3410 (Sheila)

## LEARNING/SERVING—THIS WEEK

<b>Today</b>	9:00am	Worship
	10:00am	Fellowship Time
	10:15am	Sunday School
<b>Wednesday</b>	5:30pm	Elder Meeting
<b>Next Sunday</b>	9:00am	Worship
	10:00am	Fellowship Time
	10:15am	Sunday School

### Prayer List

Family and friends of Patricia Delio; Marlowe Deckert;  
Anna Mae Zimmerman; Hannah Smith & Khaos

### Family Matters

Gordon Gross; Maria Ries; Jerry Hofer;  
Darlene Ireland

Next Week's offering will be for Service Sunday: divided  
three ways between Mennonite Disaster Service,  
Wellspring, and Hope Prison Ministry

### Food Pantry Volunteers

Friday, May 6: Dennis E, Marlene H, & Liza L  
Friday, May 13: Closed

### Graduate Recognition May 22

Bethany will recognize its seniors, 8<sup>th</sup> graders, and post-  
high graduates on Sunday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> at the morning  
worship. Following worship, there will be a potluck  
brunch in the basement to celebrate. More  
information will be coming soon.

If you have a post-high graduate, please let the CE  
team know so he or she can be recognized.

### Notice of Special Meeting of Bethany Congregation

A special meeting of the Bethany congregation will be  
held on Sunday, May 15 to vote on the following  
motion being brought by Kenny Smith, Head Deacon:

Bethany will sell all Roesler property south of west  
parking lot with the exception of a small property strip  
north of existing Marlowe Deckert property. With this  
motion, the church will not be keeping any property  
for future use.

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With passage of this motion, the Deacons will accept  
a credible offer that has already been given to  
purchase the Roesler property in its entirety. Should  
any member of Bethany be interested in this property,  
please contact one of the Deacon team members  
(Kenny Smith, Sam Sorensen, Ron Kirschenman, or Larry  
Wipf) as soon as possible but before the May 15 vote.

### May Birthdays

May 4	Kathy Graber
May 9	Joe Andersen
May 11	Leon Kirschenman & Carol Smith
May 12	Don Beier
May 15	Pauline Hofer & Everly VanMeveren
May 16	Scott Beier
May 18	Natalie Goosen
May 19	Justin Ratzlaff
May 23	Jacob Smith
May 26	Dale Stark
May 28	Jodie Hendrix
May 29	Lacey Wipf & Layla Bednar