Bethany Mennonite Church

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

Making Disciples: Worship/Celebration; Caring/Sharing; Learning/Serving

Worship—9:00AM Sunday School at 10:15AM

Food Pantry—OPEN 1st – 3rd 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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Prayer Chain Requests – 760-3410 (Sheila)

<u>BETHANY MENNONITE CHURCH</u> September 24, 2023

Prelude Sheila Wipf He Is Able Ronda Bodewitz Call To Worship One: God, who has called you into fellowship with His Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord, is faithful. All: He is a faithful Lord, keeping His covenant of love to a thousand generations of those who love Him and keep His commands. One: His faithfulness reaches to the skies and continues throughout all generations on into eternity. All: We therefore praise the faithfulness of our Lord Jesus Christ in this assembly, saying: Unison: "Great is Your faithfulness! We will exult and praise Your name, for in perfect faithfulness You have done marvelous things. Great is Your faithfulness to us, O Lord, our God." Hymn "Mighty Is Our God" (twice) #45 Invocation Morning Greeting Look What You've Done Ronda Bodewitz Announcements and Prayer Requests Time of Prayer Scripture Passage: Philippians 1: 21-30 p. 1161 Pastor Shane Worthy Of the Gospel •Hymn "I Stand In Awe" #53 Morning Offering for the General Fund Doxology •Hymn "Have Thine Own Way, Lord" #486 Benediction Closing "Blest Be the Tie That Binds" #393 Postlude Sheila Wipf

LEARNING/SERVING—THIS WEEK

Today 9:00am Worship

10:00am Fellowship Time

10:15am Sunday School

Next Sunday 9:00am Worship

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Prayer List

Charles Mutchelknaus; Inez Wipf; Marilyn Duerksen; Mary Stahl; Ralph Gross; Sonya Becker's mom Mayann; Cory Diede; Amy Walter; Kobee Sherman

Family Matters

Michael & Betty Walter; Mark, Michal, Ava, Noah, and Claire Putzke

Next Week's offering will be for the General Fund with a retiring offering for the Elder Sharing Fund

Food Pantry Volunteers

Friday, Sept. 29: Closed

Friday, Oct. 6: Unknown at print

YouTube Links:

September 24:

https://youtube.com/live/sOwQ3bRQks4?feature=share September 17:

https://youtube.com/live/DxI9IkE45AI?feature=share

Note from the Beckers

A new note and list of prayer requests has been received from the Beckers. You can find a copy in the rack next to the church office.

Pastor Appreciation Brunch Potluck Oct. 8

In order to celebrate Pastor Shane for Pastor Appreciation we are going to do what he loves best – POTLUCK! This time will be a brunch potluck 15-20 minutes following worship. There will be no Sunday school that day so everyone can attend. Plan to bring your favorite egg dish, cinnamon rolls, fruit cups, and anything else your family loves to eat for brunch. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend!

CE Team Seeks Sunday School Teacher

The CE team is in need of a teacher for the junior high/high school level. This is a team position and would not be every Sunday. If you would be interesting in helping out please contact Beth Kirschenman, Becky McCune, or Julie Mendel.

Invitation to Bible Class with Pastor Erdman

Pastor David Erdman will be teacher a Bible class at the small meeting room connected to the Freeman Community Center. These classes will be a verse by verse exposition of 1 Peter. They will be held every Sunday night in October, beginning at 7:00pm. Bring a Bible and a pen or pencil. Everyone is invited. The class is free. Sandwiches will be served at 6:30pm. For more information call 605-350-7231.

Volunteers Needed at the Et Cetera Shoppe

Et Cetera Shoppe is in need of some volunteer work that can be done in your own home, on your own time schedule! We're looking for volunteers to sew rug strips together for our rug weavers. This is very simple sewing that doesn't require a lot of care or accuracy. It's similar to making a quilt binding, but a bit cruder. If you'd consider helping us out with this ongoing need, please let Kris or Anita know. Another (more short-term) job that we're looking for help with, is stripping dried summer savory leaves off stems so that we can package and sell it. This fragrant job can be done in front of the TV! Call the shop at 925-7098, or stop in, if you'd be willing to help with either of these needs.