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BETHEL church

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FROM THE HEART OF THE PASTOR

The mornings are crisp, and the evenings are perfect for a walk with the family. Fall is officially here and midweek activities at Bethel have started back up. The teens will be going to the corn maze on the 8th. We will be putting on an amazing Harvest Party on the 17th. These are two events that we do here at Bethel that are great for Fellowship and Outreach. These are two very important parts of a being a part of a body of believers in our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. It is good to hang out and converse with each other. It is also important to share the love of Jesus with others that may not know Him.

With all of that in mind I have some questions for you. What are you doing to take care of yourself? Have you joined a grow group yet? Are you a part of a Sunday School class? Are you attending one of our many weekly bible studies? Have you attended our Wednesday night meal? Each one of us needs to make sure that we are being filled back up by the Holy Spirit. These are great ways to do that. Another awesome way to refill is to attend a Revival. It just so happens we have a Revival coming to Bethel on the 25th-27th. You will want to set aside some time to make it to these services. Revivals are not just for being refilled spiritually but also for those who may not know who Jesus is. So, it is for everyone, all can gain from attending this Revival. I hope to see you at something here at Bethel this month.

~Pastor Josh

Church Events

- Oct. 1 - Lunch Bunch
- Oct. 5 - Faith Promise Sunday & lunch; House of Prayer
- Oct. 8 - Teens @ Farmstead
- Oct. 10 - Bethel Kids Nerf Nite
- Oct. 12 - Kids Trauma Training
- Oct. 14 - Reed Baby Shower
- Oct. 15 - Board Meeting
- Oct. 17 - Harvest Party
- Oct. 19 - Alabaster Sunday
- Oct. 21 - 50-UP Fellowship; Upward Evaluation
- Oct. 24-25 - Boldly United Teen Event
- Oct. 25-27 - Fall Revival
- Oct. 28-30 - Holiness Partnership

Look what's happening...

Faith Promise Celebration - Sunday, Oct. 5, 9am & 10:45am
Missionary Guests are Bob & Colleen Skinner
Come hear how God is working in the world and pray about your Faith Promise Pledge for the next year. Faith Promise is our way of raising funds to support and fund the spread of the Gospel around the world. We consider Faith Promise a form of worship by stepping out in faith and relying on God to provide the funds that we might not see. We will also be taking a love offering for the Skinners and the Coffee Cart ministry proceeds will go to them that morning.

An **All-Church Luncheon** will take place in the Teen Center following the 2nd Service. Sunday school classes will decorate booths to represent the different Nazarene Regions around the globe. Plan now to attend.

Alabaster Sunday - The Alabaster Offering provides funds for property and buildings around the world. While we understand the church consists of the people of God and not a building, buildings erected for the purpose of ministry help provide a sense of permanence, functionally enhance ministry efforts, and convey an attitude that the Church of the Nazarene intends to "put down roots." We will be collecting Alabaster Coin boxes during offering on **October 19**.

Lunch Bunch - All ladies are invited to bring a sack lunch and join us in the Fellowship Hall on **Oct. 1 @ 11:45am**. Call Bertie @ 208-800-7541 if you have any questions.

50-UP Fellowship Night ~ Oct. 21 @ 5:45pm - This event is for anyone age 50 and older. Our meal this month will be provided: baked potato bar. Entertainment this month will be the Jr. Jammers! Please sign up if you can attend and if you need a ride at the Event Table.

Baby Shower for Jenni Reed - Tuesday, Oct. 14 @ 7pm at Bethel. Jenni & Isaac are expecting twins, a boy and a girl! All ladies are invited to come celebrate with Jenni.

Upward Basketball Evaluations - Tuesday, October 21
Drop-in between 3-6pm for a few drills. No uniform sizing anymore...make your best guess on the registration form. Cheerleaders don't need to attend.
All of our boys leagues are full, but there are still spots for girls! Registration closes Oct. 17.

Novel Ideas & Slice of Life Book Club - October 16 @ 6:30pm - We will be discussing the book "Rebecca" by Daphne du Maurier. Text Mimi Eshelman @ 208-250-7496 if you would like to attend. They meet in Room 106.

Kids Dept. Training - Oct. 12 @ 12:15pm in Bethel Kids
We will be doing the next part in Reach Hurting Kids Workshop. This is for volunteers to have the tools to help kids affected by trauma. Lunch & childcare are provided. Sign-up with Kaisha today!



FRIDAY! October 17th * 6-8pm **Activities Inside & Outdoors!**

FREE chili/hotdog dinner in the Fellowship Hall, hayride, barrel train, photo ops, Trunk-or-Treat, obstacle course, fresh donuts and games throughout!

We need to collect LOTS of **CANDY** for all the events!!

We also need lots of **VOLUNTEERS** to help with games, dinner crew, clean up etc. Please sign up at the Harvest Party table in the foyer for the different things. Talk with Pastor Kym or Kaisha if you have questions.

Bring your friends, family and neighbors for fun, games, prizes and a chili dinner!

Come help setup starting at 1pm on that Friday!

Fall Revival **October 25-27, 2025**

We will have returning special speaker
Rev. Jared Henry from Mackey Church of the Nazarene in Indiana.

Join us for worship, prayer and preaching from the Word at each of these services:

Saturday - 6:00pm

Sunday - 9:00am, 10:45am, 6:00pm

Monday ~ 6:30pm

We will have a special prayer time 1/2 hour before each of the evening sessions.

Child care will be available for kids birth to Kindergarten.

The Holiness Partnership

The Gathering NW ~ Legacy of Holiness
October 28-30, 2025
at Bethel Nazarene

"Reclaiming the message of holiness and resourcing the church to be faithful and fruitful."

Schedule:

Tuesday: 5:00pm - Registration

6:00pm - Worship Service

Wednesday: 8:30am - 8:00pm - Worship, Breakout Sessions, Breaks for meals, more Worship!

Thursday: 8:00am - Noon - Breakout Session & Worship



Register here with the QR code to reserve your spot. Use code "BethelNaz2025" at checkout for a \$10 discount.