Bethlehem Lutheran Church Pastor Eric Hullstrom, 201 4th Street NE, Buffalo Center, IA 641-562-2552 September 10, 2023 @ 9:30AM 15th Sunday after Pentecost



Mission Statement:

"Faith, Hope and Love Make us available To our neighbors Near and far."

Pre-Service Song

Welcome and Announcements-RALLY SUNDAY

Opening song "You Are God Alone"

Order of Confession and Forgiveness-Psalm 130

Prayer of the day- God of grace, through your Son you have reconciled your creation to yourself. Still, we continue to find ways to divide and destroy the unity you intend for us. Preserve your church that, assured of Christ's presence among us, we may exemplify the peace and reconciliation that can only come from you; through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Scripture- Ezekiel 33:1-9 Psalm 32		Page 856 in pew Bible	
Noisey offering/Childrens Message			
Song of the Day	"I Have Decided"		
Gospel- Matthew 18:15-2	0	Page 979 in pew Bible	
Sermon	"Let's Get It Right"	Pastor Eric	
Apostles Creed			
Offering- Meditation	"We Give You Thanks"		
Prayers of the Church To those who	need healing and to those in our care centers		
The Meal The Lord's Prayer Distribution-Song Communion Prayer	"Come To The Altar"		
The Blessing			
Closing Song	"Your Name"		

Have a Wonderful Week!



Elementary: September 11th Middle School/High School: September 13th High School: September 12th Please share this Registration forms are in the Narthex.

We are always in need of volunteers. Please consider making yourself available to our younger neighbors. Talk with Pastor Eric about it. This is a Great thing!!!!

Making ourselves available... Food Bank for September: Can Fruit, Cookie and Cake mixes, Frosting, Can Corn and Soups. Thanks for produce donations. Thanks to Jake's Sweetcorn. **"Our numbers are increasing, so anything you donate will be helpful. Thank You.** All donations can be dropped off in the Narthex of the church. Thank You.

Our goal is to keep the Project Fund ongoing so that we will be able to address and take care of the unexpected and ongoing care of our church building and parsonage. This way we are not dipping into our property fund budget. As this does not cover bigger expenses that may come about. *We are Blessed and Thankful.*

Giving
09.03.23
\$1,730.00
Attendance 28
Online Views 20
Budgeted weekly giving:
\$2,830.00

When we put our problems in God's hands, He puts His peace in our hearts.

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VANCO Giving

Forgot your offering? Want to have it done with for the week or month? Check this out. Download the app or just scan here for giving. Many of us have found this to be a very easy and useful way to give. For more info or questions contact Thomas B or Jen. Thanks.

Opcoming Events and Announcements.	
September:	
11-1G elementary begins	
12-Council meets @6pm	
12-1G high school begins	
13-1G middle school begins	
-7 th grade only Confirmation begins @7pm	
17-Worship @9:30am	
19-Worship Committee meets @8:30am	
20-All Confirmation students begin @7:15pm	
24-Worship @9:30am	
25-Bethlehem serves 1G supper	

********BETHLEHEM QUILTERS*******

Come and join in the ministry and fellowship of tying off quilts. We have a great group that would love to have more hands. They meet mostly every other Tues. @1pm. **See you there!**

Prayers for our members and friends:
Marcia Aukes
Brian Bashans
Harlan Melz
Randy Melz
Carolyn Bartz
Clarice Stonebreaker
Deloris Steffensen
Claire Hinz
Logan Sabin
William Jensvold, Sr.
"In Gods perfect timing,

everything will turn out alright."

Greeters and Ushers September

- *10 Tate Engelbarts(c) Family and Jamie Price Family
- 17 Dewayne & Bernice Mass and Chris Berggren Family
- 24 Brant Boekleman Family and Rita Ellsworth

<u>October</u>

- *1 Leighton Lawson(c) Family and Linda Berhow
- *8 Aurora Pentico(c) Family and Dana Greensky Family
- 15 Thomas & Amanda Blodgett
- and Todd & Lori Corporon
- 22 Mark & Deb Landheer and Logan Willmert Family