Bethlehem Lutheran Church

Pastor Eric Hullstrom
201 4th Street NE, Buffalo Center, IA
641-562-2552
November 9, 2025 @ 9:30 AM
Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost



Mission Statement:

"Faith, Hope and Love make us available to our neighbors near and far."

Pre-Service Music "Unashamed"

Welcome and Announcements Greeting Our Neighbors

Opening Prayer

Opening Song "Come Jesus Come"

Brief Order for Confession & Forgiveness - Psalm 32

Prayer of the day:

Everlasting God, our Alpha and Omega, stir in your church a renewed sense of joy in the promise of the resurrection that we might live lives of humble service and overflowing grace as we wait for the coming of your Son. We ask this through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God now and forever. Amen.

Scripture Reading - Exodus 3:1-15 Page 54 in pew Bible

Psalm 148

Noisy Offering/Children's Message

Song of the Day "O Praise the Name (Anastasis)"

Gospel - Luke 20: 27-40 Page 1046 in pew Bible

Message "Not the Same, but Better" Pastor Eric Hullstrom

Apostles' Creed

Offering "Blessed Be Your Name"

Offertory "Offering"

Offertory Prayer

Prayers of the Church

The Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer

The Distribution "I Know A Name" "Nothing But the Blood"

Post-Communion Prayer

The Benediction

Closing Song "Goodbye Yesterday"

Kids, join us for Sunday School at 10:45 am.

Adults, join us for coffee, treats, and fellowship time in the Fellowship Hall.

November Greeters & Ushers

- *9 Beckett Jensen Family and Khloe & Colson Wubben Family
- 16 Leighton Lawson Family & Mayah Hullstrom Family
- 23 Aurora & Lily Pentico Family
- 30 Brant Boekelman Family & Kyle Frerichs Family

Calendar of Events

November:

Today - Sunday School at 10:45 am

Nov 10 - Church Council Meeting at 6:00 pm

Nov 12 - Worship Committee Meeting at 8:30 am

Nov 12 - Confirmation: snacks at 6:45, class at 7:15 pm

Nov 16 - Worship w/SS singing at 9:30 am, SS 10:45 am

Nov 16 - Turkey Dinner, 11:00 am - 1:00 pm

**Every Monday - Coffee Hour 9:30-10:30 am @ TMNH

Pray for our Members and Friends:

Emily Schulz Emmagene Silber Deloris Steffensen Jaya Fever Brian Bashans Claire Rustemier-Hinz Christina Coughlin Carolyn Bartz Roger Burnside Joy Albert Karen Buss Virginia Cooper Dawn Jensvold Harlan Melz Penny Mitchell Leroy Weaver Curtis Vaudt Shirley Hagenson Jason Christensen Pastor Mark Neumann Joan Sunde Charlie Schaefer

Hanging of the Greens service is right around the corner! We will be ordering poinsettias to decorate our church for Christmas. Please let Susan know if you would like to contribute to the poinsettia fund in memory of loved ones. The deadline is November 23.

2025 Church Council

Derek Thilges ~ President
Kelsey Bosma ~ Vice President/Stewardship
Thomas Blodgett ~Treasurer/Technology
Kim Ostermann ~ Secretary/Education
Darryl Friest ~ Evangelism
Katie Mathahs ~ Fellowship
Darla Thompson ~ Worship
Larry Lawson ~ Property

Fellowship Serving Rotation:

Nov 9 - Work Group #1

Nov 16 - Work Group #2

Nov 23—Work Group #3

Nov 30 - Sunday School

Dec 7 - Church Council

10.26.25 General Offering: \$2,045

TYD Actual: \$106,684

TYD Budget: \$134,772

YTD Deficit: -\$28,088

Attendance: 81 Online views: 33

Bethlehem Lutheran
Turkey Dinner
Sunday,
November 16
11:00 am—1:00 pm

Smoked Turkey, Vegetable, Salad Bar, Dessert, Beverages

Freewill Donation

All are Welcome!



VANCO Giving

Weekly, monthly, and on-demand giving is available through Vanco's appor you can scan here. Many of us have found this to be an easy and useful way to give. For more info or questions, contact Thomas B or Susan. Thanks.





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Bethlehem Lutheran Sunday School