

Greetings,

If you are a guest with us today, thank you for joining us! We are honored that you chose Bethel for your worship experience. Feel free to join in and know you are part of the family today.

If you attend regularly, thank you for your continued involvement and support of the ministry here at Bethel. We pray that our impact will continue in your life and that you will take an even greater step of involvement as we grow deeper in Jesus together.

If you are a member of Bethel, you know how much you are loved. I praise God for each one who takes their spiritual life seriously and continues to serve Him and dedicates their life to growing more like Christ daily.

To all, thank you for joining us in worship today. We pray that your experience will draw you closer to Jesus this morning. His plan for you is greater than anything you could ever create for yourself.

Expect and anticipate His desire to speak to you in a real and personal way as you worship Him this morning.

> God is Good... **Pastor Todd**

How to become a follower of Christ:

Admit: Admit that you aren't perfect. The Bible says that "all have sinned and fallen short of the glory of God". Confess those failings to God.

Believe: Believe that God sent His Son, Jesus Christ, to die on the cross to pay the full penalty for your sin and on the third day Jesus rose from the grave victorious over sin and death.

Commit: Commit to Him by confessing your sin and yielding your life to Him.

REFLECT AND RESPOND PRAYER INVITATION

At the end of the service, prayer team members will be available to pray with you. It may be in response to God's movement in your life during the worship service, an area of need or concern, a desire for direction, or a desire to move into a new arena of ministry. The pastor will direct you to the space, and people, who will join with you in your journey. Prayer team members will also be available in the Prayer Room following the service.

Bethel Happenings

Cheer on the Bethel Co-Pilots!.....6:25pm, Monday Andrea Martin (760) 739-1360 Bethel's coed softball team plays at Kit Carson Park.

IGNITE Jr. & Sr. High.......6-8pm, Wednesdays Tommy Peterson tommy@bethelconnect.org Meet in the youth room for Bible study and games.

Kid's Choice CAMP......6-8pm, Wednesdays Patty Uhland (760) 745-4995
All 1st through 5th graders meet in the courtyard as we learn

about the 10 Commandments! The cost is \$5 per child.

Men's Bible Study......6-8pm, Thursdays Bruce Hitchcock (714) 420-1092

Men of all ages are welcome to this study group in the Fellowship Čenter.

Friday Night Life Group Bowl......6-8pm, Fridays Danny Baldwin (928) 208-7128

Join them for fellowship at the AMF Eagle Bowl in San Marcos every Friday from 6-8pm, May 26th - Sept 1st. Get a summer pass for \$35.95 adults and \$29.95 kids 15 and under. After bowling they will meet for a meal together, locations to be determined weekly.

Bethel Con VBS......9am-12:30pm, July 24-28 Kim Kissling (410) 980-6036
All children 3 years through 5th Grade are welcome for a week of

Bible learning fun. \$20 per child, \$40 max per family.

All Church BBQSunday, July 30th ~ Oceanside Harbor See the information below.

Baby Shower for Tina Sheldon.....2pm, Saturday, August 19 Patty Uhland (760) 744-8687 or patty@bethelconnect.org Come for a time of fellowship at 1209 Anna Lane, San Marcos to celebrate the new life being given to Tina. It's a girl! She is registered at Babies R Us and Target.

All Church BBQ at the Beach

Join us at Oceanside Harbor! Sunday, July 30

Bring the following:

- lawn chairs
- **Blankets**
- beach towels
- food to BBQ
- Dish to share

We will be eating at 5pm. Be prepared to pay for parking (\$8 per car)

Ministry Opportunities

Children's Ministry.....Sundavs/Wednesdavs Corinne King (760) 533-3562 or Patty Uhland (760) 745-4995 Help with our nursery, preschool or elementary aged children on Wednesdays from 6 to 8pm or on Sunday mornings, for either the 9am or 10:30 am time on a rotating schedule.

Join our music ministry team in worship choir, orchestra, or worship band. Rehearse every Wednesday in preparation for our Sunday morning service.

Bethel Intercessory Prayer Ministry (all in the Prayer Room)

Sunday – 8:20 -8:50am – Prayer for God's power and presence in Worship service:

Wednesday – 5:30 – 6:20pm – Praise and Prayer for missions and Bethel family requests;

1st Sunday of every month – 9-10am – Moms in Prayer (Prayer for schools, students, teachers and administrators);

Submit prayer requests by sending an email to prayer@bethelconnect.org.

Coffee Cart Team...... Melissa Fryburger (760) 270-0421 Set up, prepare coffee, snacks and clean up.

.....July 24th ~ 28th Kim Kissling (410) 980-6036

Please bring your donations to the church office asap. Not sure what is needed? The box with suggested items to donate is located in the

Pause to Pray for the Peterson Family

Bethel's Ministry of Prayer joins the chorus of "welcomes" to Tommy and Helen Peterson and their family. Tommy has accepted the call to become Bethel's Pastor of Youth Ministries. Their arrival is an answer to your prayers. As they begin their ministry, here are ways you can pray for them and the Youth Ministry:

Pray that their marriage and family will be richly blessed. Pray for their ministry to thrive spiritually and numerically. Pray they will say "no" at times in order to say "yes" to what matters most.

Pray that the enemy won't mess with their lives or their ministry.

Pray for both their amazing biological and ministry kids.

Pray that their ministry will be life-giving and that they will know they are valued and loved – by God and by us for whom they are, not for what they do.

Youth Ministry Requests
Pray for students to grow in the character of Christ and place Christ at the head of their lives

Pray for students to thrive and have servants' hearts within the

Pray every student will desire to be involved in summer groups and activities.

Pray for parental interest, encouragement and support.

Pray for unity within the church staff, church body and within the youth group.

Pray for the other volunteer youth workers.

<u>Pray for the Nations</u>: Pray for a second reformation in Germany to make the Church culturally relevant and Biblically sound.