

MARCH 18, 2018

If you are visiting today, thank you for being our guest. We would love to meet you in the Andrew Welcome Center for coffee after the service. We trust you will be encouraged in our worship service and that your heart will be drawn closer to Christ as a result of the time you have shared with us here at Bethel.

MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

Welcome, Announcements & Prayer

BBC Choir

Hymn

Scripture Reading

Hymns

Offertory – Rachel Melton

Hymns

Scripture

Message

Closing Song

Even From The Cross

Hallelujah For The Cross

Colossians 1:13-14, 19-22

Power Of The Cross

Chosen As His Children

Were You There?

Mercy Tree

Grace Amazing

Matthew 20:25-28

Pastor Brandon Lowery

He Is Good!

This Week at Bethel

Tonight Missionary Kim Heimerl, Brazil, 6 PM

Monday LIFT: Ladies Dinner at Chandlers, 6 PM

Wednesday *Spring Break – NO Family Dinner*
Kids 4 Truth, Youth Group, 6 PM
Community Bible Fellowships (Small Groups), 6 PM
Prayer Meeting (Chapel), 7 PM

Saturday Bridal Shower for Brianna Gilbert (Michael Room), 10 AM

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MISSIONARY KIM HEIMERL

Welcome! We are excited to have our missionary to Brazil, Miss Kim Heimerl, with us today. Be sure to join us at six o'clock to hear the report of what God has been doing in Kim's life and ministry.



CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

The 2nd – 5th graders will be going to Northland Camp this summer, June 18-23. Visit NorthlandCamp.org for more info and/or to register your child for summer camp. If you would like to sponsor a child for summer camp, please speak with Pastor Josh.

LADIES IN FELLOWSHIP TOGETHER

Join us for a dinner at Chandlers tomorrow, March 19 at 6 PM. Please sign up at the Information Desk by Sunday, March 18. Speak with Jeanine Gower for more information.

Ladies, stop by the Information Desk and pick up an invitation to Brianna Gilbert's Bridal Shower this Saturday, March 24 at 10 AM in the Michael Room. On the back of the invitation, you will find a recipe card. Please write out your favorite recipe for the bride-to-be and bring it to the shower.



Mark Your Calendar: Our Ladies Spring Luncheon is April 28, at Villa Olivia on Lake Street in Bartlett. All ladies who are college age and older are invited to attend. Tickets will cost \$23 and will be available for purchase beginning March 25.



MEAL TRAIN

Meal Train is a website designed to "organize meal giving around significant life events." As a need for a meal arises, an email that includes a link to the Meal Train website is sent to those on the list. The site includes a calendar with all of the details needed to sign up, prepare, and deliver a meal the family will enjoy. Once you review the information, if you can make a meal, sign up! If you would like to become a part of our BBC Meal Train ministry, please stop at the table in the lobby and sign up or speak with Jessica Wenger. If you prefer to receive notification of the need through a phone call or text, please leave your phone number on the signup sheet.

SYMPATHY

Sympathy is extended to the church family in the death of Jeanette Munson. The Memorial Service is tomorrow, March 19 at 11 AM at the Lakewood Memorial Park in Elgin. Please pray that God's mercy and grace will be an abundant comfort to her family and friends.

WEEKLY AND YEAR-TO-DATE GIVING

Weekly Budgeted Giving	\$ 26,067	Year-to-Date Budget	\$ 964,490
Actual Giving	\$ 11,189	Year-to-Date Actual	\$ 910,049
Surplus (Deficit)	(\$ 14,878)	Surplus (Deficit)	(\$ 54,441)

SERMON NOTES

Pastor Brandon Lowery

TITLE: Here in the Real World: Messy Relationships & Reconciliation

TEXT: Book of Philemon

1. Here in the real world everybody is effected by the decision of reconciliation. v1 - 7
 - A. Individuals are called to decide. v1
 - B. The family and church are directly affected. v2
 - C. Everybody can be encouraged. v7
2. Here in the real world only love will bring true reconciliation. v8 - 20
 - A. Forcing people to change does not work. v8, 14
 - B. Love allows us to do hard things. v12 - 13
 - C. God is lovingly active and interested. v15 - 20
3. Here in the real world reconciliation requires a right response from both people. v21-24
 - A. Mutual obedience can and does happen. v21
 - B. Demas is an example of one who valued temporal satisfaction and left. v24
 - C. Mark is an example of one who valued eternal service and reconciled. v24