

Exodus 20.12-16

- 12 “Honor your father and mother. Then you will live a long, full life in the land the Lord your God is giving you.
- 13 “You must not murder.
- 14 “You must not commit adultery.
- 15 “You must not steal.
- 16 “You must not testify falsely against your neighbor.

Matthew 22.34-40

34 But when the Pharisees heard that he had silenced the Sadducees with his reply, they met together to question him again. 35 One of them, an expert in religious law, tried to trap him with this question: 36 “Teacher, which is the most important commandment in the law of Moses?” 37 Jesus replied, “‘You must love the Lord your God with all your heart, all your soul, and all your mind.’ 38 This is the first and greatest commandment. 39 A second is equally important: ‘Love your neighbor as yourself.’ 40 The entire law and all the demands of the prophets are based on these two commandments.”



Deep Sheet

What is the difference between a narcissist and a philanthropist?

Which one of the ten commandments is most difficult to follow?

What can you do to make God’s day better?

Notes:

August/September Weekly Bible Readings

Date	Day	New Testament	☐	Special Prayer	Old Testament	☐
30	Su	Acts 1			Malachi 2	
31	Mo	Acts 2			Malachi 3	
1	Tu	Acts 3			Malachi 4	
2	We	Acts 4			Genesis 1	
3	Th	Acts 5			Genesis 2	
4	Fr	Acts 6			Genesis 3	
5	Sa	Acts 7			Genesis 4	
6	Su	Acts 8			Genesis 5	



August 30, 2026

Laketon Bethel’s Core Values:

- A. ACCEPTANCE:**
Everyone, regardless of who they are, what they have done, or what they are doing, will be accepted here. Laketon Bethel will be a safe place to explore your relationship with Jesus.
- B. BIBLE:**
The teachings of Jesus, contained in the Bible, are the final authority for faith and practice. We will study these teachings with open minds and the best scholarship available.
- C. CONNECTION:**
We invite people to connect with Jesus and with each other in all that we do.

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Upcoming Events Mark Your Calendars!

September 9: Supper House

September 14: Food Truck

September 15 & 29: Hand2Hand Packing

September 18-20: Deco-TEC Weekend #127

October 12: Women's Bible Study Resumes
9:30am & 10:45am

October 25: Trunk-or-Treat

*Watch for more information in the bulletin
as we get closer to these dates.*

Special Senior: Donna Doctor

Please sign the card located on the table in the entryway

Today's Volunteers

1st Service Coffee Server: Kathy Young

2nd Service Coffee Servers: Theresa & Jim Hanley

1st Service Nursery: Connie Reahm

2nd Service Nursery: Melissa Wynsma

Announcements

Women's Bible Study We will have two Women's Bible Studies beginning October 12th. ***Please note the change of the beginning date!*** The first one will be at 9:30am, and the book we will be studying is ***Women of Faith, Overcoming Worry*** by Margaret Feinberg. We will be doing a second book on Mondays at 10:45am. This book will be ***52 Weeks of Systematic Theology*** by Ella Radley. Join us for one or both! See Maureen Mussman for more information.

Service Opportunities

Hand2Hand provides weekend meals to students at Reeths-Puffer Elementary and Intermediate Schools. If you choose to donate financially, please mark your donation Hand2Hand. Any amount helps. Checks should be made out to Laketon Bethel. If donating food, the needs are always the same. There are flyers on the tables by the Sanctuary doors that list the needed items.

Message from Kids Belong Thank you so much for being a part of our Back to School season at Kids Belong! We are really excited to share that we were able to serve 240 local foster, adopt, and kinship families with 800 backpacks! Those 800 kids were able to pick out their own backpacks and fill them with school supplies at one of our 5 Back to School events this year. Back to School time is one of the biggest opportunities we have to connect new foster and adoptive families with our mailing list and services, so we are especially grateful for all of the churches and partners who contributed to help make those connections happen!

Sacred Suds (Helping Every Living Person Survive)

With our warmer weather, T-shirts, short sleeve shirts, light jackets etc. will be appreciated. ***There is a special need for new or used men's small and medium underwear along with socks of all sizes.*** Laundry detergent, towels, washcloths, toothbrushes and toothpaste, deodorant, soap or body wash are always welcome donations also.

Order of Worship - 9:00am

(Songs with #'s can be found in the Hymnal under the chairs)

Gathering Song

“My Answer Is Yes”

Call to Worship

“Yes, Lord, Yes #466”

“Trust and Obey #437”

Welcome & Announcements

Congregational Prayer

Worship in Song

“Be Thou My Vision #460”

“I Then Shall Live #732”

Crosstalk – “Not Your Best Life Now”

Offering

“Wherever You Are”

Benediction

“Glory Be to God the Father #16”

Order of Worship - 11:00am

Gathering Song

“That's My King”

Call to Worship

“The King Is in the Room”

Welcome & Announcements

Congregational Prayer

Worship in Song

“He Knows My Name”

“The Lord's Prayer”

Crosstalk - “Not Your Best Life Now”

Offering

“Let It Be A Hallelujah”

Benediction

“God Be With You”