09.25.2022 ANNOUNCEMENTS, REMINDERS AND EVENTS

Today -- Adult Ed and Sunday School Classes resume today. Children will meet in the education wing upstairs. The adults will meet with Pastor Jim in the fellowship hall.

Fall Small Group Bible Studies -- Small groups are organizing now for the fall. Take note of group times and places and consider plugging into one. You'll be glad you did!

Tijuana Missions Trip -- November 19-26. Contact Bill King if you are interested in joining the group going to Mexico in November. Mark your calendar now for a fundraiser for this group on October 23 -- a Fiesta lunch and a Silent Auction.

Ladies -- 5th Annual "*Ladies Alive*" *Retreat*, Saturday, November 12, 8:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. in Coldwater. There's more information in the lobby or go to <u>www.ladies-alive.org</u>.

Church Library -- Check out the new selections of books from the library on the display rack in the lobby. The library is located up the stairs at the end of the hall.

For the parents of our little ones: There is a room behind the sanctuary (where you can hear and see the service) for parents of restless toddlers. The nursery (up the stairs, first door on the left) is also open and the service can be viewed there.

"Strings for Life" Awareness Concert -- Friday, September 30 at 6:30 p.m. at the Sturges -Young Center for the Arts. Free to the public. Pick up a flier in the lobby for more information.

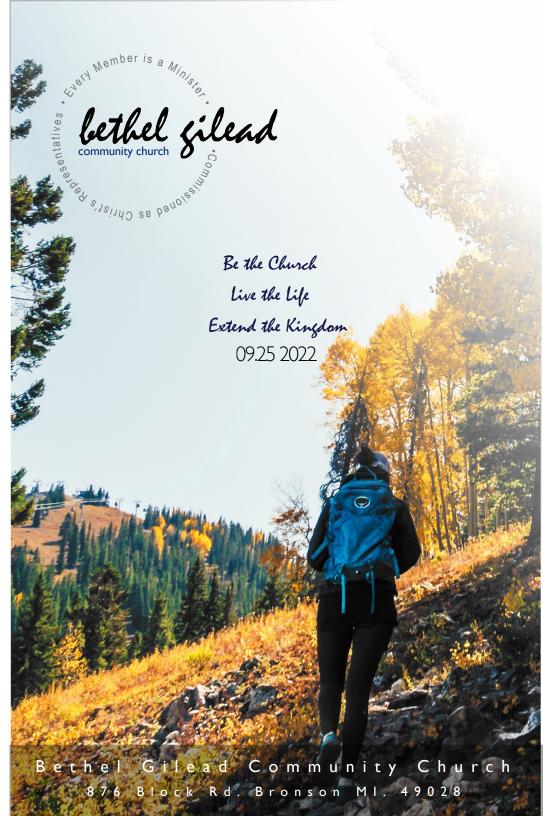


Ways to Give: Offering plates are in the lobby. Donations can be made online by going to <u>bethelgilead.org</u> (Donate tab), or by scanning the QR code to the left and using PayPal. You can authorize a monthly debit from your bank account by completing a form (in the lobby)

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Opening Worship:	bening Worship: Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing Hymn 2 This is My Father's World Hymn 58 Revelation Song		Live the Life with Prayer
Build My Life HANDLE WITH CARE (1_Chronicles_12:32) Introduction: RADICAL ENVIRONMENTALISM AND POPULATION CONTROL I. The Ecology MovementThe Problem of Pollution The Problem of People (Too many!) 1798 Thomas Malthus 1974 World Population Conference 1952 The Population Council 1988 International Panel on Climate Change 1958 The Draper Committee Report 1966 U.S. Agency for International Development 1968 The Population Bomb (Paul Erhlich) 2005 1970 Earth Day Established			Recent additions
			Mary Ellyn Turner cataract surgery on 9/26 Al Miller - recurrence of cancer Heather member of God's Choice, being treated for bone cancer Lynn Mayer dealing with double vision
			<u>Praises</u> Bruce Kaufman recovering from surgery Jonas Rigg recovering from hernia surgery Norm Carpenter recovering from surgery and cancer free Numerous members recently recovered from Covid
1970 Earth Day E 1971 World Econc			Continue to Remember Those in Need
Statistics II. <u>Population Control</u> • 1859 Origin of the Species (Charles Darwin) • 1883 Eugenics (Frances Galton) • 1920 Planned Parenthood (Margaret Sanger) 1972 Roe v.Wade • Carrying Capacity (Edward Wilson) 2016 Half Earth			Dawn Lane breast cancer Don Rubley bladder cancer Joyce Byler cancer Tom Schoenherrbladder concerns The Carpenter Family Dale Davis dialysis and chemo treatments Russ Heckathorn struggling with lung cancer Lisa Franks pain management
• <u>Ir</u> Birth Control	<u>iinning the Herd</u> Euthanasia	Starvation	Remember Our Homebound/Shut In Members
Abortion Sterilization	Natural Disasters Disease Rates and "Population Collapse"	War Bio Weapons	Norita Skinner Maple Lawn Neil Hannah at home on hospice Betty Carpenter Laurels
Replacement Rate = 2.1			Pray for our nation and the world during these uncertain days
183 nations IV. <u>Worldview Wars: N</u>	Jaturalism vs Theism		
In the beginning Go The earth is the Lord	od(<u>Genesis 1:1</u>) I's and the fullness thereof(<u>Psalm 24</u> .	,	
 Be fruitful, multiply, fill the earth and subdue it (Genesis 1:28) The Noaic Covenant (Genesis 8:22) V. <u>A Balanced Approach: Biblical Stewardship</u> It is required of a steward that he be found faithful (<u>I Corinthians 4:2</u>) Test everything. Hold on to what is good (<u>I Thessalonians 5:21</u>) Do not fear what they fear(<u>I Peter 3:14-15</u>) 			<u>Our Mission</u> "We honor God through regularly assembling together to worship Him as Lord, study and obey His word, and attend to the needs of His people. When we leave, we go out commissioned as Christ's representatives to a needy world."