



One of our members, Tom Pipia, will be taking pictures today to use on our Website and for other publicity. If you do not want your picture to be used, please sign the opt-out list on the Hub.

BETHEL BUZZ

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Deadline for
putting an
article in the
Buzz is
9:00 a.m. on
Thursday

Funeral Planning Workshop at Bethel

On Wednesday, **April 13** from 6:30 p.m.—7:25 p.m. Pastor Squires will lead a conversation about pre-planning your funeral service and how the congregation cares for families who are having funerals through Bethel.



Preschool Open House On Thursday, **April 21** from 10:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m. will be the Preschool Open House.



So please pass this information on to any families whom you think would benefit from our Christ-centered early learning programs. If your friends are unable to attend the Open House, please invite them to contact Judy Richardts at preschool@bethelgurnee.org for more information and a tour of our classrooms.

Pictorial Directory—50th Annv. Edition

Help is needed for the new Pictorial Directory. People are needed to make phone call reminders for photography, be a host for photography sessions and help with designing the directory. Contact Carol Cook (Carol@BethelGurnee.org) to volunteer. Sign-up now on the table in the back of church for the **April 27 - 30** photography dates. If you can not make these dates contact Carol, we would like this 50th anniversary edition to be as complete as possible. Only those who have their picture taken will receive a directory.



Fuller Road Clean Up



Fuller Road is in dire need of a good spring cleaning. Wear your walking shoes and come out to help spruce up our adopted road on Sunday, **April 17**, from 1:00 p.m.—3:00 p.m. Anyone age 10 years and older is welcome to help. If you have any questions contact John Kozlik (karenkozlik@gmail.com) the coordinator.

Board'oeuvres

YFM is proud to host an evening of fun on Friday, **April 15** from 7:00 p.m.—9:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Bring a snack/appetizer to share along with your favorite board or card game.



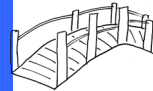
Mere Christianity The last class for our Lenten study series is **April 13** at 7:25 p.m.

Feed My Starving Children



Feed My Starving Children is a non-profit Christian organization committed to feeding God's children hungry in body and spirit. Bethel packaging events are scheduled for Thursday, **April 21** from 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. (15 spots available) and Saturday **June 18** from 9:00 a.m.—11:00 a.m. (50 spots available). A sign-up sheet is available on the YFM board. Sign-up early, because spots go quickly.

New Sessions for Bridges Out of



Poverty Two new sessions for *Bridges Out of Poverty* are coming up on Wednesday nights

from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Choose one session: **May 4, 11 & 25** or **July 6, 13 & 20**. Register online at www.tinyurl.com/bethelbridges2016 or find a form on the Hub. Questions? email Susan Squires at susan@musicspectrum.org.

Sunday Morning Bible Study The Bible study is from 9:30 a.m.—10:30 a.m. for adults & high school youth - led by Pastor Squires. Next week, Love INC's (in the Name of Christ) Executive Director, Spark Ball, will be with us to update us on the work of Love INC and Bethel's partnership with them to serve the underserved, combined with Scriptural insights into why we serve in God's Name.

Walk MS 2016

Please sponsor the Paulson Family and help support the MS movement. A donation box will be in the back of church starting **April 10**. If you would like more information or wish to make a credit card donation please contact Bob or Teresa by email paulson9292@yahoo.com or call 847-629-5288. Thank you for your support!

COOL Fun-Raiser at Sweet Tomatoes

On **April 30** from 5:00 p.m.—8:00 p.m. at the Fountain Square Sweet Tomatoes in Waukegan, COOL will be having a Fun-Raiser. Bring a flyer from the Hub which must be presented at checkout in order for COOL to receive credit.



The children's activity bags are
on the backside of the Hub.

WILDFOLK EVENT! Ever wanted to know how to navigate and use your compass, GPS, landmarks, longitude and latitude, read all the cool stuff on a map and more? Wildfolk has a class for you! This will be Saturday **April 23**, 9:00 a.m. until about 1:00 p.m., at Gracepointe church. Bring a compass if you have one but don't buy one for the class. Fun for all ages! Contact Andy Barkley for details at claychaser@gmail.com or 847-840-1296.

GO GURNEE Have you heard about Gurnee Park District's *GO GURNEE* Movement? Meet at Viking Park on Sunday, **May 1** at 6:00 p.m. for an inspiring rally and 30 minute walk to kick off this movement. *GO GURNEE* is a local wellness movement designed to increase people's health and well-being through activities, education, and community collaboration. Continue walking 30 minutes each evening at 6:30 p.m. through **May 31**, in your neighborhood or at any park of your choice. This is a great opportunity to build relationships with your friends and neighbors. We are excited to hear about this movement, and plan to be apart of *GO GURNEE*. This is a month long event, and friends and neighbors are likely to pass by Bethel. We'd love to have a presence from Bethel--maybe with a water station, table with Bethel info, etc. in front of Bethel as a "park bench" to start conversations. Sound like something you want to be involved in? Contact Pastor Squires, or Chelsi Todd to let us know. Visit facebook.com/GOGURNEE, or the website GOGURNEE.com for more details!

Vacation Bible School On **June 13 - 17** from 9 AM - 12 PM. Online registration if open for participants AND volunteers! Please visit www.bethelgurnee.org/vbs to register. Contact Sara or Shannon at vbs@bethelgurnee.org with ?????s.

Love INC Volunteer Orientation Join Love INC for Volunteer Orientation on **May 7** from 9:00 a.m.—10:30a.m. at the Love INC Office. RSVP to info@loveinclakecounty.org. Learn more about ways you can share your God-given talents through Love INC of Lake County (we're more than just lifting furniture!).



EmpowerRun 5K Run/Walk A Safe Place is presenting its 4th Annual EmpowerRun 5K Run/Walk, on Saturday, **May 7** at Independence Grove in Libertyville. Walkers, runners, and strollers are welcome at this event. For more information or to register for this event, please visit <https://asafeplaceforhelp.ejoinme.org/empowerun>. If you have any questions about participating or donating to A Safe Place's EmpowerRun 5K Run/Walk, please call Denise Gentes at (847)731-7165 x104, or e-mail dgentes@asafeplaceforhelp.org.



This Week's Calendar

Monday, April 11

12:30 p.m.—Staff Meeting
5:30 p.m.—Basketball
6:30 p.m.—Building in use by Boy Scouts
7:30 p.m.—Grace, Fully Women's Bible Study

Tuesday, April 12

6:15 p.m.—Confirmation
6:15 p.m.—F.E.E.T.
6:15 p.m.—First Communion
6:15 p.m.—Bridges Out of Poverty
7:30 p.m.—Elders Meeting

Wednesday, April 13

6:30 p.m.—Funeral Planning Workshop
7:25 p.m.—Mere Christianity

Thursday, April 14

6:15 p.m.—Gospel of John 2.0 Study
7:30 p.m.—Adult Vocal Choir

Friday, April 15 Pastor's Days Off

7:00 p.m.—Board'oeuvres

Saturday, April 16 Pastor's Days Off

10:00 a.m.—LWML Spring Rally @ Faith Lake Forest

Sunday, April 17

8:00 a.m.—Communion in Gym
9:00 a.m.—Fellowship
9:30 a.m.—Sunday School & Bible Study
10:45 a.m.—Communion in Sanctuary
12:00 p.m.—Fellowship Hall in Use
1:00 p.m.—Fuller Road Clean-up

Worship Schedule

Sunday 8:00 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.

Communion

1st, 3rd, 5th Sunday

Office Hours

Mon., Tues., Thur.

9:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m.

Wed. & Fri. 9:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.

Last Week's Attendance

Sunday Service, 8:00 a.m.—86

Sunday Service, 10:45 a.m.—86

Serving Sunday, April 17

Sunday 8:00 a.m.

Elder: Mike Bandman
Comm/Asst. Elder: Tim Faitsch
Acolytes: Logan Rosenthal, Lily Erwin
Ushers: Al Diercks, Dave Hoffmeister, Morrie Cook

Lay Readers: Bill Oesterreich, Tony Young
Greeters: June Dougherty, Cheryl & Faye McDonald

Fellowship: OPEN
April Altar Guild: Shari Hoppe, Becky Anderson
April Counters: Chris Mason, Diane Sanders

Scripture Readings - Acts 20:17–35 Revelation 7:9–17 John 10:22–30
Tuesday Greeters: (4-12) Cindy Maag

Sunday 10:45 a.m.

Bob Souza
Paul DeLassus
Allyson Adams, Tanner Swanson
Cook Westendorf, John Schultz

Becky Lanzito, Deb Pellettieri
Sheila & Stephanie Bunnell,
Javier & Michelle Ramon