

Sermon on the Mount



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“Sermon on the Mount – The Beatitudes”

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Loving God, each other and our neighbours

Prelude

Hymn *Come Away from Rush and Hurry (VT 9)*

Welcome

Call to Worship

Worship Music *Peace To You (Adam Tice/Sally Ann Morris)*

Prayer of the Church

Children’s Feature

Hymn *Mountain of God (VT 11)*

Dedication of the Offering

Worship Music *Make Me an Instrument of Your Peace
(St. Francis/Tony Alonso)*

Scripture Matthew 5:1-12

Sermon “There Are Angels Hovering ‘Round”

Hymn *Blessed Are You (VT 290)*

Announcements

Benediction *VT 1066*

Hymn *Use Us, God (VT 811)*

Postlude

Reg Klassen Worship Leader | **Kathy McCamis** Preacher | **Waldy Ens** Song
Leader | **Beryl Bartel-Racaru** Piano | **John Racaru** Violin | **Bethel Singers**
Worship Music | **Kevin Derksen** Prayer of the Church | **Doug Klassen** Children’s
Feature | **Michael Dyck** Sound Tech | **Martin Kaethler** Projection | **Devin
Friesen** Live-stream

We affirm that the earth is the Lord's and all that is in it. Recognizing that we are all treaty people, with gratitude we acknowledge our gathering on Treaty #1 land and the traditional homeland of the Métis Nation.

Imitating the inclusive welcome of Jesus, we seek to be a community marked by the love of God. Regardless of age, race, gender identity, or sexual orientation, we invite you to make Bethel your spiritual home. Sharing the peace of Christ, together we strive to reveal the realm of God in the world.

Worship Focus

The Sermon on the Mount starts with the good news of blessings. The Beatitudes follow a pattern of pronouncing blessing that is a repeated refrain throughout the Hebrew Scriptures as well. Reading the Beatitudes closely can illuminate what it means to live well as participants in the unfolding kingdom of heaven, and open our eyes to see the blessings to be found in the path of discipleship.



Today...

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- **Worship Service**, 10:00 am: Kathy McCamis preaching
- **Adult Ed**, at 11:15 am: Byron Rempel-Burkholder sharing historical perspectives on the conflict between Israel and Palestine.
- **Kids Connecting**, at 11:15 am, in the lower level.

... and beyond

- **Mon** (Jan 15) |
- **Tues** (Jan. 16) | **Kids@Play**, 9:30 am (D. H.)
- **Wed** (Jan 17) | **BKC**, 6:00 pm | **BYC**, 7:10 pm
- **Thurs** (Jan 18) |
- **Fri** (Jan 19) | **MOMS group**, 9:30 am
- **Sat** (Jan 20) | **Lower Lounge** in use, 9:30-1:30 | **Funeral** of Rick Braun-Janzen, 11:00 am
- **Sun** (Jan 1) | **Worship**, 10:00 am, Kevin Derksen preaching | **Adult Ed**, 11:15 am | **Kids Connecting**, 11:15 am

More event details are posted on the website - [Bethel Calendar](#)

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