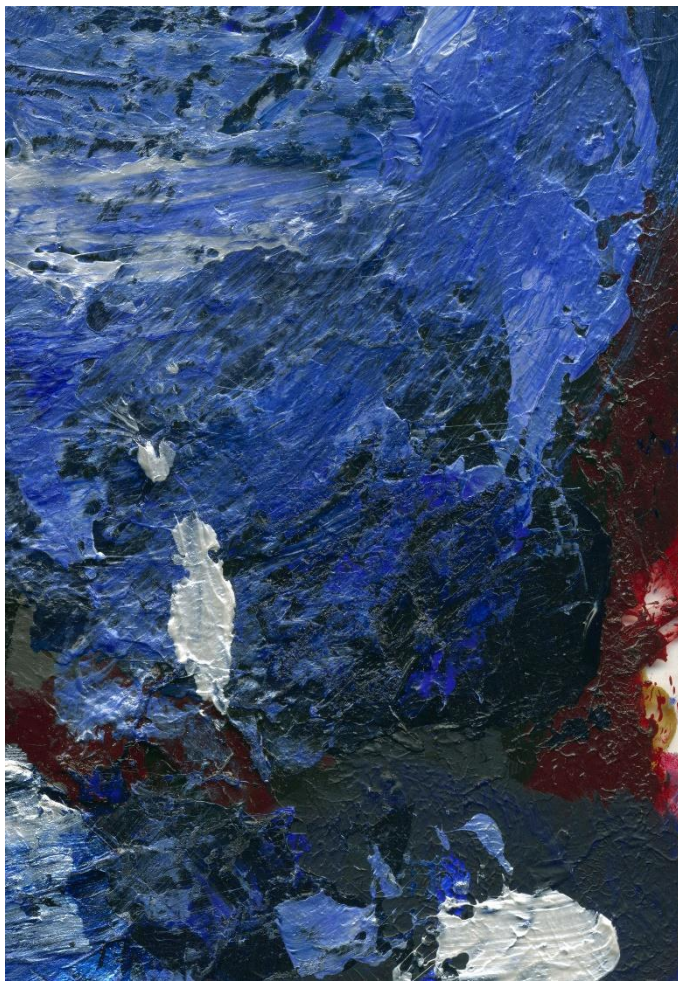


Lent 2 – Covenant Journeys



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Prelude

Hymn *What Is This Place (VT 22)*

Welcome

Call to Worship

Hymn *Beyond a Dying Sun (VT 416)*

Prayer of the Church

Dedication of the Offering

Scripture Genesis 17:1-7, 15-17

Hymn *The God of Sarah Praise (VT 190)*

Children’s Feature

Prayer of Confession

Song of Assurance *You Are All We Have (VT 701)*

Scripture Mark 8:31-36

Sermon “Hope Remembered”

Hymn *I Want Jesus to Walk with Me (VT 306)*

Announcements

Benediction

Sending Hymn *There’s a Wild Hope in the Wind (VT 828)*

Postlude

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

Our Lenten worship for this season invites us into the story of God's covenant relationship with God's beloved creatures. From Genesis onwards, God makes covenants that get renewed and reshaped in different times and places, addressing changing contexts and the repeated failures of God's people to live up to the relationship. However, we see in these covenants a single trajectory of God's love for creation that takes its fullest shape in the person of Jesus Christ and the new covenant that gets established through his death and resurrection. This week we focus on God's covenant with Abram and Sarai, alongside Jesus' invitation to take up the cross as we follow him.



Today...

February 25, 2024

- **Sun (Feb 25) | Lent 2 Worship service, 10:00 am, Kevin Derksen preaching**
- **Adult Ed, 11:15 am-12:15 pm**
- **No Kids Connecting today.**

... and beyond

- **Mon (Feb 26) |**
- **Tues (Feb 27) | Kids@Play, 9:30 am (D. H.)**
- **Wed (Feb 28) | BKC, 6:00 pm | BYC, 7:10 pm | Bethel Singers, 7:15 pm**
- **Thurs (Feb 29) |**
- **Fri (Mar 1) | MOMS group, 9:30 am**

- **Sun (Mar 3) | Lent 3 Worship, 10:00 am, Cheryl Pauls (CMU) 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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