

We want to lift the spirits of those unable to be in church with us today. Please help by picking up care cards in the sanctuary. The cards are already addressed and stamped. Just write a brief note and drop it in the mail. Thank you for extending your prayers and love to our homebound and others in need.

Easter lily orders are due by **March 16<sup>th</sup>**.

The Lenten Sermon Series will take place at Bethel this Wednesday, March 16<sup>th</sup> at noon. Rev. Andrew Wolfe will be the preacher.

## Prayer Requests

Art Hartzog  
 Eric Robertson  
 Marion Robertson  
 Mike White  
 Richard Strawhorn  
 Curtis Anderson  
 Beth Brewer  
 Cathy Hanks  
 David Holder  
 Ignacio Rivera  
 Nancy White  
 Don O'Dell  
 Carolyn O'Dell  
 Charlie Hudson  
 Martha Hill  
 Betty Cannon  
 Dot Robuck



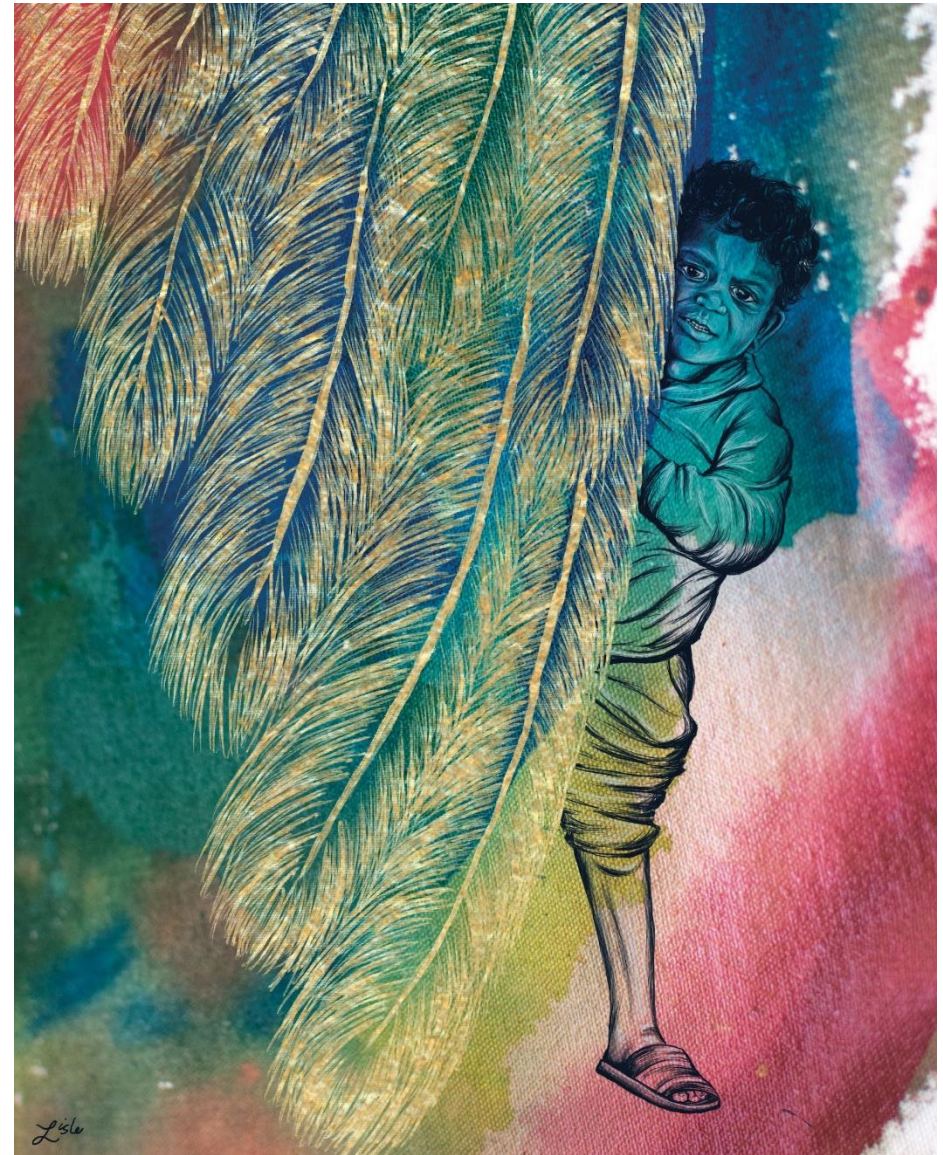
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### Church Office Hours

Monday – Thursday: 8:30 am – 4:00 pm

Friday: 8:30 am – 2:00 pm

Brad Gray <i>Executive Pastor</i>	Megan Gray <i>Pastor of Discipleship &amp; Belonging</i>	Chad Deetz <i>Youth Minister</i>	Adam Rollins <i>Youth Ministry Assistant</i>
Dale Fischer <i>Director of Music</i>	Jana Mathis <i>Director of Children's Ministries</i>	Jennifer Bartless <i>Children's Ministries Assistant</i>	Kristine Lee <i>Organist</i>



*“Under God’s Wing”* | Inspired by Psalm 27  
 By Rev. Lisle Gwinn Garrity

*To all who are weary and need rest; To all who are burdened and need relief; To all who are lonely and need friends; To all who are looking for something that only God can provide; To all who sin and need a Savior; To whosoever will come, Bethel UMC, the House of God, opens her doors, and in the name of Jesus Christ says, “Welcome!”*

**March 13, 2022**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Lent**

10:00 AM Worship Service

Prelude

*“Pater Noster”*

Arthur Foote

Trinity Chimes

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship

If God is a hen, **we are under God’s wing.**

If God is a table, **we each have a seat.**

If God is a house, **we are safe from the storm.**

If God is a party, **we’re invited to dance.**

If God is a melody, **our names are the lyrics.**

If this is God’s house, **then all are welcomed. All are loved. All belong.**

Let us worship Holy God.

\*Hymn

*“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty”*

UMH 139

Psalter Reading

*Psalm 27*

UMH 758

Offering

Offertory Anthem

*“The Love of God”*  
Sanctuary Choir

arr. Camp Kirkland

\*Doxology

*“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”*

UMH 95

The Sacrament of Holy Baptism

Alanis Jane Perez  
Daughter of Alex & Maggie Perez

Song of Response

*“God Claims You”*

Refrain: Alanis Jane, Alanis Jane God claims you. God helps you, protects you and loves you too.

Children’s Time

Hymn

*“On Eagle’s Wings” (sing twice)*

UMH 143

Pastoral Prayer

Leader: The Lord be with you.

Response: **And also with you.**

Leader: Let us pray.

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading

Reader: This is the word of the Lord.

Response: **Thanks be to God.**

Luke 13: 31-35

Sermon

*“Desiring Courage”*

Rev. Brad Gray

\*Hymn

*“O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go”*

UMH 480

*As we close out our worship service in song, know that the altar rail is always open for you to come and pray, offering a word for someone else, re-committing your heart to God, or to come for the first time to accept Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior. Come as you feel led.*

Benediction

Postlude

*“Blessed Jesus at Thy Word”*

arr. J. Wayne Kerr

*\*Please stand if able*

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**A nursery** is available on the First Floor for infants and children under 3 years.

After Children’s Time, preschool and kindergarten are invited to **Wee Church** and 1<sup>st</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup> grade are invited to **Children’s Church** both in the Children’s Wing.

**Ushers:** Blair Mathis, John Hiltgen, Mike Woodrum, Andy Cannon & Mike White

**Altar Flowers:** The flowers on the altar today are given to the glory of God.