



## Communion

Once a month we have a special time in the service where we take a few moments to remember specifically the sacrifice of Jesus when he died on the cross for the sins of the whole world. Jesus himself told his disciples to take time to remember this by taking bread as a symbolic memorial of his body which was broken for us and a cup (of the fruit of the vine) as a memorial of his blood which was shed for us. As we eat and drink of these we

remember with thanksgiving what he did so that we could receive God's forgiveness for all of our sins. We invite all those who have knowingly and intentionally received Jesus as their Saviour to join with us in this time of Communion. (1 Corinthians 11:23-26; Matthew 26:26-28)

## Please take note of these dates

Communion - Sept 5

Worship Team Meeting - Sept 9

Mission Offering - Sept 12

Board Meeting (7:45 pm) - Sept 14

Good Samaritan Offering - Sept 19

Children's Ministry Meeting - TBA

Intercessory Prayer Meeting - Sept 7

Leadership Community Meeting - Sept 21

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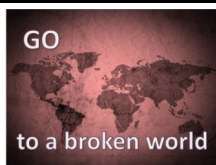
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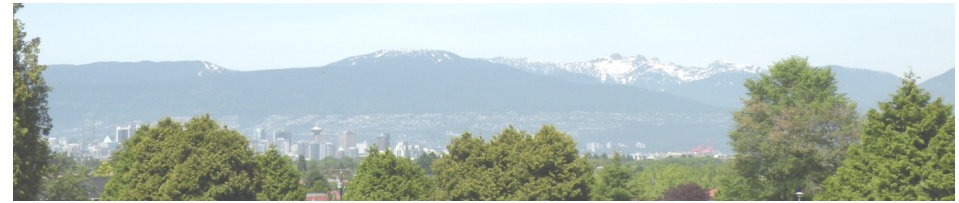
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# Welcome to BETHEL

INTERNATIONAL

*church*

Sept 5 - 11, 2010

## "God's Call Upon 'Your' Life"

With Pastor Phil Mittelstaedt

### Communion

### "Fall Kickoff" Potluck

**Welcome** to Bethel International Church! We're glad you are here. Each week we gather together to sing songs of worship, hear a message based on passages from the Bible, and respond to God in prayer. During our songs, some like to stand, clap, sit or raise their hands during worship. Do whatever is comfortable for you!

If this is your **first visit**, please fill out a **communication card** located in the pews and drop it in the **communication box** at the Welcome Desk — we would love to hear from you and get to know you better.

If you have **children**, they are welcome to join our various classes (more info inside this bulletin). We also have a **nursery for mothers and infants** as well as a **toddler room**. Please see one of the hosts in the foyer if you have any questions. They will be happy to help you.

**Giving** is a part of our worship for regular attendees and members. Guests are welcome to participate, but are not obligated to. Cheques can be made payable to "**Bethel International Church**". Please use an offering envelope located in the pews so that a receipt can be sent to you later.

**Washrooms** are located at the bottom of the foyer stairs on the right hand side.

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# Today // Sept 5

Worship Team Practice  
Worship Leader: Bernie Kunkel

9:30 am, Sanctuary

Pre-Service Prayer

9:30 am, Prayer Room

30 Minutes in the Word

**Coming Soon!**

**Worship Celebration**  
Pastor Phil

10:30 am, Sanctuary

## For Children:

3D Kidz (ages 3 - 8)

10:30 am, Fireside Room

Pathfinders (ages 9-12)

After the offering, Fellowship Hall

"Fall Kickoff" Potluck

After the service, Fellowship Hall

# This Week

Intercessory Prayer Team Meeting

Tuesday - 7 pm, Prayer Room

Worship Team Meeting

Thursday - 7 pm, Sanctuary

Care Cells

Various days, See Below

Prayer and Healing Centre

Friday - 11 am - 1 pm, Sanctuary  
**(By Appointment Only)**

Re:vive Youth, Grades 6-10

See more information on opposite page

Friday - 7:00 pm (check opposite for any changes), Fellowship Hall

Neighbourhood Block Party

Saturday - 3 - 8 pm, behind church

# Care Cells // in homes around the city

**If you would like to come to a carecell, please contact the cell leader (see numbers below) for more details.**

Vancouver East Cell  
Leader: Liz Mittelstaedt  
604-431-8686

Wednesdays - 7:00 pm @ Mary Jaklin's home  
3718 Nanaimo Street, Vancouver

Vancouver Slokan Cell  
Leader: JP & Louisa Lee  
604-374-3882

Wednesdays - 7:30 pm @ J.P & Louisa Lee's home  
4184 Slokan Street, Vancouver (Back porch entrance)

Vancouver South Cell  
Leader: Ruth Rey  
604 -327-6803

Fridays - 7:30 pm @ Dan & Merriam Rendon's home  
6615 Inverness Street, Vancouver

Vancouver West Cell  
Leader: Michael Monagan  
604-264-1063

Fridays - 7:30 pm @ Michael & Gladys Monagan's home  
737 West 50th Avenue, Vancouver

At Bethel, care cells are a vital part of building relationships, growing spiritually, and reaching out. At any care cell you can expect: a relaxing environment with people who care, times of sharing and praying for one another, receiving and giving support encouragement, and learning practical truths from God's Word for your life. You are welcome to join in!

# Church News // Announcements

◆ **"Fall Kickoff" Potluck** - We will be having a potluck today after the service. Please come enjoy the great food and fellowship.

◆ **Extreme Makeover Church Edition - Volunteer Painters Needed** - This September, the exterior of the building is getting a makeover. We are looking for some hard working volunteer painters who can help give the church building a fresh new look! If you can help, please see Bernie Kunkel or Pastor Phil

◆ **Worship Team Practice - Thursday, Sept. 9 @ 7 pm** - We look forward to seeing the team at this meeting as we prepare for the month ahead.

◆ **Change in Meeting Dates** - The dates for the Board Meeting and the Leadership Community Meeting have been switched. The Board Meeting will now be Sept. 14, and the Leadership Meeting will now be Sept. 21.

◆ **Intercessory Prayer Team Meeting - Tuesday, Sept. 7 @ 7 pm** - God answers prayer! The intercessory prayer team meets once a month to pray for God's will to be done in people's lives, the church, the city, and beyond. Do you have a prayer request? Fill out a Prayer Request, on the back of the Communication Cards, and return it to the Welcome Desk and the team will gladly pray for/with you. We also have a special confidential prayer email: [prayer@bethelinvancouver.com](mailto:prayer@bethelinvancouver.com). The Intercessory Prayer Team is also looking for more members.

## ◆ **Revive - For Youth, Grades 6-10**

YOUTH FALL KICKOFF! Friday: 7pm-10pm

Come join us for an extra long night of awesomeness! Games, food, and a "drive in" movie! Come join us!! Fellowship Hall....Friday, 7pm....BE THERE! Talk to Laura for more info!

◆ **Block Party - Next Saturday, Sept. 11, 3 - 8 pm** - There is going to be a Block Party next Saturday, and you can be a blessing to the community by participating and helping out. Please check the insert for the areas you can help out, and sign up at the Welcome Desk.

◆ **Get Connected** - If you do not already belong to a carecell, we invite you to come join one and see what they are all about. We are sure that you will want to come back! Please contact one of the leaders from the list on the opposite page for details.

◆ **Time Alone With God** - We have decided to include the "Time Alone With God" verses as a monthly insert. This is so you can put the list in your bible to keep it handy. Additional copies of the verses will be available at the Welcome Desk.

◆ **Have you checked out our website: [www.bethelinvancouver.com](http://www.bethelinvancouver.com).**  
On the website you will find:

- a copy of this bulletin

- the worship team/welcome host schedules

- announcements and special events

- learning modules

- past sermons (Thursday/Friday following)

- and so much more