

# TODAY'S GOOD NEWS

**Revelation Series, Week 8**

**Revelations 11:19 to 15:4 - The 7 Signs**

**Pastor Stephan Preaching**

John wrote Revelations to the seven churches and conveyed the Lord's words of commendation, correction, and warning to the saints. John also included promises of exaltation to those who overcome.

**THE RIVER 9:15 AM - SUNDAY SERVICE 10:30 AM**

**WATCH VIA FACEBOOK or ON ZOOM**

<https://www.facebook.com/bethelbarrie/>

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## HELLO FROM BETHEL

### AT BETHEL,

you'll find a community of people journeying together with a desire to live as Jesus told us to: loving God with everything we've got and loving our neighbours as ourselves. If you're looking for perfection or for people that have arrived, you won't find it here. If you're looking for people who are heading in that direction and desire to get there, you're welcome to come and join us on Sundays and throughout the week. *(Presently we are streaming through Facebook and Zoom, and meeting in person as restrictions allow. See the front page of this bulletin for Facebook details; the sign-in is optional.)*

## TO OUR BETHEL FAMILY

### ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING THURS. MARCH 25, 7PM

Mark the date and time and plan to attend; in person, if allowed, or by Zoom. See pg. 5 of the bulletin for new voting information.

PLEASE NOTE: office hours & programs are suspended until further notice

### BETHEL COUNCIL MEMBERS

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## Growing Deeper Growing Freer

## WAYS TO CONNECT AND GROW

Mon - Thurs 7:00 - 7:30 am - devotions with Pastor Stephan, via Zoom (video or phone in)

Mondays 7:00-8:00 pm - men's prayer, socially distanced at the church

Tuesdays 6:30-8:00 pm - congregational prayer, via Zoom (video or phone in)

Sundays 9:15 - 10:00 am - The River bible study with Ralph, via Zoom (video or phone in)

10:30 am - Worship Service, via Facebook live or Zoom (video or phone)

In Canada last year **373,188 shoeboxes** were collected to be delivered to children around the world. A total of **3,294 shoeboxes** were sent from our area.

Last year **1.2 million children** who received a shoebox made a commitment to Jesus and accepted Him as their Lord and Savior!

**Thank you, Bethel Community Church** and I appreciate your participation.

Jeff Penrice, Operation Christmas Child (Samaritan's Purse)

### BIRTHDAYS

Leona Minnikin  
March 2

Dave Thompson  
March 16

Linda Wolleswinkel  
March 20

### Tithes and offerings can be sent via:

- 1) a cheque in the mail
- 2) e-transfer to [bethel@bethelbarrie.ca](mailto:bethel@bethelbarrie.ca)  
email the answer to your security question to  
Ralph [ralphjnr123@gmail.com](mailto:ralphjnr123@gmail.com)
- 3) credit card on website [bethelbarrie.ca](http://bethelbarrie.ca). via  
Canada Helps - click "GIVE"
- 4) gold mailbox slot at the unused entrance  
(faces the one lane driveway)
- 5) Brought into the church on Sundays, when open, and  
placed at the greeters table

Bethel Community Church is a member and supporter of  
the Evangelical Fellowship of Canada & the Barrie Christian Council

# Threads of Love Needs Your Help!

Threads of Love is a ministry of Faith Missionary Church in Wasaga Beach. This dedicated group of sewers take in used bedding, towels and fabric to be made into children's clothing, sanitary pads and other practical items. These gifts are then delivered all over the world by various mission teams.

Due to COVID-19 they have an **URGENT NEED** for donations to prepare items for delivery to Kenya in the early summer. (Even stained bed sheets and towels can be cut up and put to good use.) Cotton and poly-cotton blends are preferred.

If you can help, **DO NOT BRING YOUR DONATIONS TO BETHEL.** Instead, contact **Lynn Thompson**, whose sister is a member of the group, for delivery or pick-up. Thanks!

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# JOIN US FOR A MULTI-CHURCH GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE

Hosted by a collaboration of local churches

 [bit.ly/goodfridayservicebarrie](https://bit.ly/goodfridayservicebarrie)

**FRIDAY, APRIL 2, 2021 | 10:30 AM**

Located at Bethel Community Church  
128 St. Vincent Street, Barrie, ON

**\*COVID-19  
measures in place -  
limited seating,  
based on Covid-19  
guidelines. First  
come, first serve  
seating. Doors open  
at 10am.**

Act 6:2-4 (NIV) - So the Twelve gathered all the disciples together and said, "It would not be right for us to neglect the ministry of the word of God in order to wait on tables. Brothers and sisters, choose seven men from among you who are known to be full of the Spirit and wisdom. We will turn this responsibility over to them and will give our attention to prayer and the ministry of the word."

## **Special Note Regarding the 2021 AGM Nomination Voting Process**

Greetings,

For our upcoming Annual General Meeting (AGM), members of Bethel Community Church will be asked to vote for our Church Council candidates, Lynn Thompson (Elder), Dan Lazazzera (Deacon) and Jim Hatley (Deacon). Those attending in-person at Bethel for the meeting (as permitted by the existing COVID rules at the time) will be given a paper ballot to complete.

Those attending the meeting online via Zoom will also be permitted one vote per candidate to be completed via email. Your attendance will be noted and an email will be sent to you with the names of the three candidates. We will ask you to reply to the email with your typed vote beside each name, either YES, NO, or ABSTAIN. Any couples watching online with shared email addresses will be asked to add your name to the bottom of the email so we can tally the responses correctly. We ask that your reply come within 12 hours of the close of the AGM, which means that we will not have the results to you until the following Sunday. For those unable to vote via email or who require assistance, please contact the office or myself before the AGM and we will receive your vote via telephone. This will be considered a proxy vote in accordance to our Bylaws.

I want to remind you that only active members of Bethel are allowed to vote in accordance with our Bylaws. If you have any questions regarding this process, please contact either myself or the office.

Regards and thanks,

Brian Greig, Council Chair