**Welcome to New Bethel Baptist Church**

 *Sunday,* August 29, 2021

**Prelude** Dr. Christina Romero

**Gathering Song** *Here I Am Lord #589*

**\*Call to Worship**

*One:  Why, O Lord, do you stand far off? Why do you hide yourself in times of trouble?*

**Many:  God’s face is covered, and the Lord refuses to see our plight.**

*One:  Arise, O God. Lift up your hand. Do not forget the helpless.*

**Many:  You, Our God, see our trouble and grief, you take it into consideration.**

*One:  You hear the cry of the afflicted, O God. You listen to their cry and encourage them in their sorrow.*

**All:  You defend the oppressed and rescue those in peril. Remember your people this day, O God.**

**\*Invocation and Lord’s Prayer (***using “sins”*) Karen Pappas

**\*Hymn** *Praise to the Lord, the Almighty #210*

**Scripture Reading** 1 Samuel 9:15-27 Karen Pappas

**Worship Prayer** Tom Bartley

 *Cares Chorus #627*

**\*Hymn** *We Have Come into His House #224*

**Children’s Message**  Julianne Thomas

**Special Music** Dr. Christina Romero & Tom Bartley

**New Testament Reading** Galatians 1:1-10 Tom Bartley

**Personal Testimony**  Thomas Lunay

**\*Hymn** *Only Trust Him* #*480*

**Ministry Opportunities** Karen Pappas \*Offertory Dr. Christina Romero

\*Doxology #815

\*Prayer Karen Pappas

**Benediction**  Tom Bartley

**Postlude**  Dr. Christina Romero and Phil Morgan

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**Happening This Week**

 Today 10:30 a.m. Live-stream and In-Person Sunday worship

Wednesday 11:00 a.m., Zoom Book discussion, *Accidental Saints,* contact Janie Bryant

 6:00 -7:00 p.m. God’s Bounty accepts donations

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 Thursday 1:00 -7:00 p.m. God’s Bounty serves community

2:00 -5:00 p.m. Clothing Pantry (closed on 5th Thursday)

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**Week Ahead**

Sunday September 5th 10:30 a.m. Worship & Communion

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**Daily Prayer Calendar**

**Sunday, August 29, 2021:** Song of Solomon (Song of Songs) 2:8-13; Psalm 45:1-2, 6-9; James 1:17-27; Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

**Monday, August 30, 2021**: Psalm 144:9-15; Song of Solomon (Song of Songs) 3:6-11; 1 Timothy 4:6-16

**Tuesday, August 31, 2021**: Psalm 144:9-15; Song of Solomon 5:2-6:3; 1 Peter 2:19-25

**Wednesday, September 1, 2021**: Psalm 144:9-15; Song of Solomon 8:5-7; Mark 7:9-23

**Thursday, September 2, 2021**: Psalm 125; Proverbs 1:1-9; Romans 2:1-11

**Friday, September 3, 2021**: Psalm 125; Proverbs 4:10-27; Romans 2:12-16

**Saturday, September 4, 2021**: Psalm 125; Proverbs 8:1-31; Matthew 15:21-31

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**WELCOME TO NEW BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH**

**We are blessed by your presence!**

**GUEST AND MEMBERS:** If you have questions or would like more information about New Bethel, please feel free to contact the church office. Thank you!

*An American Baptist*

*Congregation*

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Rev. Tom Bartley, Interim Pastor

Julianne Thomas, Administrative Minister

Dr. Christina Romero, Pianist

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**Sacred Conversations**

Sacred Conversations About Race

This event is an opportunity to discuss the topic of race from our shared faith perspective with persons from multiple ethnicities. In order to ensure a racial balance of participants, please confirm your intentions to participate as soon as possible.

**Saturday, September 25, 2021,**

**9:00am to 3:00pm**

**Hosted by Indianapolis First Baptist, Comunidad Hispana Bautista,**

**Karenni Hto Seh Htyar Baptist Church**

**At**

**8600 North College**

**Suggested $10 donation for lunch**

To RSVP please contact the ABCGI office at office@abcgi.org or call

(317)484-9327



Join American Baptist Women’s Ministries on **Sunday, September 19, 2021, at 6:00 PM EDT,** as we celebrate 70 years of ministry with an online celebration! Our keynote speaker will be the Rev. Dr. Pamela Durso, president of Central Baptist Theological Seminary. We hope you’ll join us for this free celebration!

To register for the event visit <https://abwomensministiries.org>. The event can be found by going to the “Events” page.

God’s Bounty Food Pantry

God’s Bounty Food Pantry’s service to the community continues to be impressive and God continues to bless our efforts. God’s Bounty is experiencing fluctuations in weekly client numbers that pose a challenge in matching volunteers and product. Last month we saw 72 clients one week to a low of 40 clients on another week. That being said, we have been blessed with supplies and volunteers to serve our clients.

NBBC helps make all of this possible by letting God’s Bounty use the church’s property for this community mission. The community service is good for the church and even better for fulfilling the word of God in helping the needed.

Any donations and volunteer support are greatly appreciated and needed. The pantry needs NBBC volunteers this coming week on Thursday 2 September 2021 to serve clients (1:00 to 6:30) and on Wednesday 1 September to accept donations (6:00 to 7:00 pm).. Please contact me to volunteer this week. (Paul Young; KPY6767@att.net; 317 862-6767)

If you would like to receive the ABCGI Newsletter *Intersections,* you can sign up at abcgi.org or send an e-mail to news@abcgi.org to start receiving the newsletter.

*Intersections* contains many of the events hosted by our region as well as news from our sister churches, missionaries, and Executive Minister Rev. Joan Friesen.

**Did You Know?**

You can support the ministry of New Bethel Baptist Church through your regular shopping activities.

\*Kroger Community Rewards Program

\*Amazon Smile Program

If you would like to support our ministry through these programs, there are sign-up directions outside the church office.

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