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learn the **word**  
live the **grace**  
share the **love**

## *Bethany Newscast—March 2026*

**Bethany Christian Church is an Open & Affirming Congregation of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)**  
We at Bethany Christian Church are Disciples of Christ, a movement for wholeness in a fragmented world. As part of the one body of Christ seeking to learn the word, live the grace, and share the love, we welcome ALL to the Lord's Table as God has welcomed us with grace and unconditional love and acceptance. So, with open hearts, open minds, and open doors Bethany Christian Church acknowledges, accepts, and affirms ALL people as equal children of God and affirms OUR commitment to welcome and accept ALL people. Therefore, **regardless of race, nationality, culture, ethnic origin, sexual orientation, gender identity, economic status, physical and mental ability, marital standing, or any other designation of individuals who have known the pain of exclusion and discrimination by the church and society, ALL are welcome to participate fully in the life, leadership, ministry, and mission of our church.**

Check out Disciples LGBTQ+ Alliance ([www.disciplesallianceq.org](http://www.disciplesallianceq.org)) to learn more!

**AllianceQ**  
Disciples LGBTQ+ Alliance



**Sundays  
@ 10:30am**

March 1

Liturgist: Barb Hester  
Elder: Vanessa Wagler

March 8

Liturgist: Deena Gibson  
Elder: Tandy Jones

March 15

Liturgist: Vanessa Wagler  
Elder: John Rich

March 22

Liturgist: Barb Hester  
Elder: Jean Page

March 29

Liturgist: Chris Gibson  
Elder: Nancy Boner

March Deacons

Meichelle Paulson & Joann Mitchell



If you have changes for to the prayer list, please call the church office Mon-Fri from 8:30a to 12:30p (812-422-5439) or email the church office at: [ahbethanycc@sigecom.net](mailto:ahbethanycc@sigecom.net)

Linda Appel, Steve Appel, Caroline Ashby, Stacy Baier, Steve Buckert, John Bunner, Stevie Chivlare, Dave Cox, Nita Cox, Steve Cox, Ron Dennis, Cale Harper, Mary Jane Hunt, Katie Kelly, Lisa King, Debby Miller, JoAnn Mitchell, Mary & Mike Pruiett, June Shofstall, Shelia Smith, the family of Julia Wood, the family of Myra Woolsey



Sundays 9a.....	Sunday Social
Tuesdays, 4p (except 3/24).....	Tai Chi
Wednesdays, 6:30p.....	Choir Practice
Thursdays, 6p .....	Art Journeys
March 1, after worship.....	Elder's Meeting
March 9, 5:00-8:00p.....	GEY RPG Club
March 9, 6:00p.....	GEY Dinner
March 10, 6:00p.....	Board Meeting
March 12, 5:30p.....	Open Table Worship
March 13, 6-10p.....	Board Game Night
March 16, 6:30p.....	GEY Crochet Club
March 17, 6:00p.....	Book Study "The Upswing"



**March**



**Birthdays**

6th	Jenna Bunner
8th	Carson Gibson
12th	Stephen Appel
14th	Cody Hunter
17th	Zeke Taylor
18th	Tony Duncan
19th	Vanessa Wagler
26th	Carol Jane Bunner
26th	Michael Thomason Sr.

**Anniversaries**

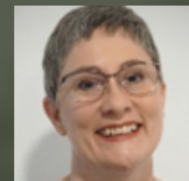
1st	John & Linda Dyer
31st	Michael & Fran Thomason



*Connect*  
**WITH PASTOR  
MICHELLE**

Arrange a visit with Pastor Michelle by phone, email, or scanning this QR code.

(please refer to the calendar for her "drop-in" office hours for this month)



## Be Well with Bethany!

Bethany offers several opportunities to reduce stress, practice wellness, have fun, and create community. You do not have to be a member of the church to participate. Hope to see you soon!

### TAI CHI—TUESDAYS @ 4:00p



Matt Rundle teaches 30 minutes of gentle movement and balance in the church basement wellness space. Beginner friendly. Free will offering appreciated.

### ART JOURNEYS—THURSDAYS

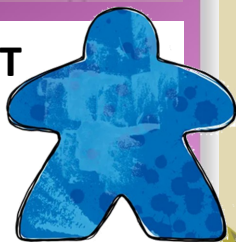
6p most weeks, 6:30p on 2nd Thurs. of month

Join Jean Page in the basement wellness space each week as we continue to explore how acts of creation can calm the body and mind and fill the spirit. All ages and abilities welcome. All art supplies provided!

### BOARD GAME NIGHT

03/13/2026, 6-10p

Join gamers from the Evansville area on the second Friday of each month in Bethany's Fellowship Hall. All are welcome!



## The Open Table

### Alternative Worship Service

Not everyone who wants to be part of a community of faith can come to worship on Sunday, so Bethany now holds worship on the second Thursday evening of each month including a light (free!) dinner, a short interactive message by Pastor Michelle, and communion.

Join the feast March 12 @ 5:30pm!



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## Book Study

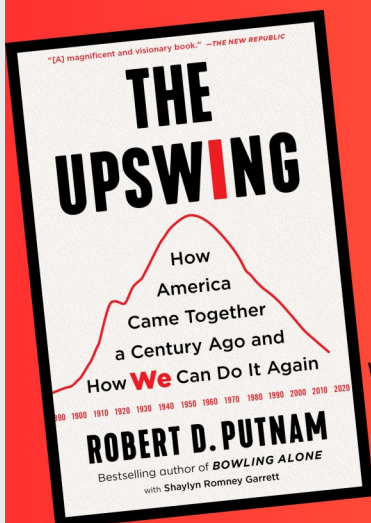
Next Meeting March 17, 6:00pm

Do you find yourself asking, "How did we get here?"

In his book *The Upswing: How America Came Together a Century Ago and How We Can Do It Again*, Robert Putnam looks at the forces that have shaped America for over a century.

Without sentimentalizing the progressive reforms of mid-twentieth century America, Putnam's long perspective provides a hope for our future and a roadmap we can follow to get there.

It's not too late to join our friendly discussion. Grab a book, Read chapters 5 & 6 and we'll see you on the 17th!



# March



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>1 Food Pantry</b> Sunday Social 9a Worship 10:30a Elder's Meeting 12p	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> Pastor Office Hours 1-4p  Tai Chi 4p	<b>4</b> Pastor Office Hours 9a-12p  Choir 6:30	<b>5</b> Pastor Office Hours 2-5p Art Journeys 6p Strategic Plan. Zoom 7p	<b>6</b> Pastor Office Hours 9a-12p	<b>7</b> United Caring Services Lunch 10:30a - 1p
<b>8</b> Sunday Social 9a  Worship 10:30 a	<b>9</b> GEY - RPG Club 5-8p  GEY - Dinner 6p	<b>10</b> Pastor Office Hours 1-4p  Tai Chi 4p Board Meeting 6p	<b>11</b> Pastor Office Hours 9a-12p  Choir 6:30	<b>12</b> Open Table Worship 5:30p  Art Journeys 6:30p	<b>13</b> Pastor Office Hours 9a-12p Board Game Night 6-10p	<b>14</b>
<b>15 B'days &amp; Annivs</b>  Sunday Social 9a  Worship 10:30 a	<b>16</b>  GEY - Crochet Club 6:30p	<b>17</b>  Pastor Office Hrs 1-4p  Tai Chi 4p Upswing Study 6p	<b>18</b> Pastor Office Hours 9a-12p  Choir 6:30	<b>19</b> Pastor Office Hours 2-5p  Art Journeys 6p	<b>20</b> Pastor Office Hours 9a-12p	<b>21</b>
<b>22</b> Sunday Social 9a  Worship 10:30 a	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b> Pastor Office Hours 1-4p  NO TAI CHI	<b>25</b> Pastor Office Hours 9a-12p  NO CHOIR	<b>26</b> Pastor Office Hours 2-5p  Art Journeys 6p	<b>27</b> Pastor Office Hours 9a-12p	<b>28</b>
<b>29 Palm Sunday</b>  Sunday Social 9a  Worship 10:30 a	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b> Pastor Office Hours 1-4p  Tai Chi 4p				