

## Gifts for Living Our Mission

How is God calling you to serve both inside the congregation and outside of the congregation? How is God calling you to use your gifts to serve others? We spend a few hours a week, on average, inside the church building. Yet, all of our life is serving God! We want to know what your God-given talents and interests are as well as where you might serve as a part of our shared ministry at Bethel.

### **TELL US ABOUT YOU**

In what ways might you like to grow in your faith?

If you could pick one thing to devote your time and energy to (within or outside Bethel's walls), what would it be?

What areas do you consider yourself to have knowledge and passion in?

What are your top hobbies?

What commitments and connections do you have outside of Bethel? (for example, volleyball coach, lions club, historical society, etc.)

### **SERVING/PARTICIPATING AT BETHEL (mark all areas of interest)**

- Coordinate coffee hours
- Host a coffee hour
- Baking- willing to bake for special events
- Read worship lessons
- Usher
- Assist with communion distribution
- Altar guild- preparing the worship space, including communion, for worship
- Choir
- Bell Choir
- Play an instrument. What? \_\_\_\_\_
- Skits/Drama- acting and helping plan (sometimes we do in Lent/Advent)
- Transport members in need to worship
- Funeral kitchen worker (serving and clean-up, no cooking or baking)
- Funeral caller to find funeral workers
- Launder table cloths
- Sunday School Teacher
- Vacation Bible School
- Prayer chain
- Women's circle- monthly Bible study and fellowship
- WELCA (Women of the ELCA)

- Quilters- quilts sent to those in need in the world
- Prayer shawls group
- Office volunteer (help when administrative assistant gone- instructions given)
- Technology- can you help us with tech? Any areas of interest/skill? \_\_\_\_\_
- Finance team- reviews yearly budget; meets to discuss financial decisions as needed
- Count offerings
- Annual Audit committee
- Memorial team- reviews requests for use of memorial funds
- Social Ministry team- helping those in need
- Highway cleanup (twice a year)
- Property team. List any areas of particular interest/skill? \_\_\_\_\_
- Yard Work
- Companion Synod Team- nurtures our relationship with Kinondoni Lutheran Church in Tanzania.
- Stewardship team- helps plan ways to support members in caring for, nurturing, and using their God given gifts
- Worship and Music team- quarterly meetings to plan and empower Bethel's worship
- Bethel Visitors team- each member visits 1-2 homebound members on a monthly basis
- Lay Preaching- working with Pastor Tim, occasionally preaching when Pastor is away
- Lay worship leadership- working with Pastor Tim, leading the liturgy when Pastor is away
- Youth team- Work with or support 6-12 grade youth
- Serve on Congregation Council

Also, if you have any gift you would like to share which is not listed here, please tell us below. We would love to help you use your gift:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (please circle: cell/home/work) \_\_\_\_\_