



Bermudian Church The Living Letter

"Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, since as members of one body you were called to peace and be thankful. Let the message of Christ dwell among you richly as you teach and admonish one another with all wisdom through psalms, hymns, and songs from the Spirit, singing to God with gratitude in your hearts." Colossians 3:15-17

"enabling every person to experience the living Christ in transforming ways"

Experience | Connection | Growth | Impact

October 6th, 2025

SUNDAY MORNING SCHEDULE

- 9:00 am** Worship – In the Sanctuary
4 yr. old to 4th grade "Sunday Friends"
Children will be dismissed before the start of Pastor Gary's sermon.
- 10:00 am** **Intersections Café** - Coffee and social time in Shepherds' Hall
- 10:20 am** ***Sunday School for children**
***Youth will meet in their Youth room, located downstairs**
***Adult Sunday school class**
- One class in TGP
 - One class in the Sanctuary
- ***About Life Class group will meet in the room off of Shepherd's Hall**



- † The nursery is staffed during our worship service
- † Live streaming of our Worship Service is available on YouTube. It also stays posted there and on our website. Please remember to "like" and "subscribe," and you will be notified each time we post a new video.



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**THE NEXT NEWSLETTER WILL BE PUBLISHED
November 3rd, 2025**

Deadline for publishing in Newsletter October 29th, 2025, 10:30 am

If you have a mailing address change
please let us know ASAP by e-mail or calling the office.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR
FAITHFUL GIVING &
SUPPORT!
from your
Witness Commission



JOHNSON COUNTY, TN REBUILD PROJECT
with Brethren Disaster Ministries

Sunday, October 26th – Saturday, November 1st

**PLEASE BE IN PRAYER FOR OUR GROUP OF
SEVEN!**



SAMARITAN'S PURSE OPERATION
CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOEBOX

Boxes Available: Sunday, Oct. 19th thru
Sunday Nov. 23rd

RETURN NO LATER THAN
NOVEMBER 23rd!

***AGAIN THIS YEAR:**
PACK A SHOEBOX ONLINE*

To have the Witness Commission cover the
online processing fee, ask a member of the
Commission to complete the order for you.
Your cost will only be \$21.00. You may also
include a note and/or a photo with your online
orders. Forms are in this newsletter



ANGEL TREE MINISTRY with
BERMUDIAN SPRINGS SCHOOL

Twenty-Eight (28) Angels should be available at
the beginning of November.

ALL ANGEL GIFTS MUST BE RETURNED
BY: DECEMBER 7TH. Refer all questions to
the Replogles.



CARLISLE TRUCK STOP COOKIE
MINISTRY:

Do you enjoy baking? Do it as a
ministry – more info in November

DUE BY: Sunday, December 14, 2025
HAPPY BAKING!

IMPORTANT: Truck Stop Ministry asks that
you use gloves when packaging your cookies.





Build a Shoebox!

ONLINE = \$25.00*

BOY AGES:

No. of Boxes**

☐ 2 to 4

☐ 5 to 9

☐ 10 to 14

GIRL AGES:

No. of Boxes*

☐ 2 to 4

☐ 5 to 9

☐ 10 to 14

Choose Items from the Following:

Circle your items in each category.

LAST DAY TO
ORDER ONLINE:
NOVEMBER 19TH

Age 2 to 4 Boys :

Wow Items (Choose 1): Soccer Ball / Stuffed Animal / Toy Car

Small Toys (Choose 3): Ball / Diecast Mini Cars / Harmonica

Frisbee / Slinky

Accessories (Choose 2): Flashlight / Sandals / Socks

Sunglasses / T-Shirt / Calculator

Age 2 to 4 Girls :

Wow Items (Choose 1): Doll / Soccer Ball / Stuffed Animal

Small Toys (Choose 3): Ball / Harmonica / Necklace

Slinky / Jump Rope

Accessories (Choose 2): Flashlight / Sandals / Socks / Calculator

Hair Accessories / T-Shirt

Age 5 to 9 Boys :

Wow Items (Choose 1): Soccer Ball / Stuffed Animal / Toy Car / Building Block Cars

Small Toys (Choose 3): Ball / Diecast Mini Cars / Harmonica

Frisbee / Yo-Yo

Accessories (Choose 2): Calculator / Flashlight / Sandals / Socks

Sunglasses / T-Shirt

Age 5 to 9 Girls :

Wow Items (Choose 1): Doll / Soccer Ball / Stuffed Animal

Small Toys (Choose 3): Bead Kit / Harmonica / Necklace

Yo-Yo / Jump Rope

Accessories (Choose 2): Calculator / Flashlight / Sandals / Socks

Hair Accessories / T-Shirt

(Turn Over)

Age 10 to 14 Boys :

Wow Items (Choose1): Soccer Ball / Toy Vehicle / Building Block Cars

Small Toys (Choose 3): Ball / Diecast Mini Car / Harmonica
Frisbee / Yo-Yo

Accessories (Choose 2): Calculator / Flashlight / Sandals / Socks
Sunglasses / T-Shirt

Age 10 to 14 Girls :

Wow Items (Choose 1): Doll / Soccer Ball / Stuffed Animals

Small Toys (Choose 3): Bead Kit / Harmonica / Necklace
Yo-Yo / Jump Rope

Accessories (Choose 2): Calculator / Flashlight / Sandals / Socks
Hair Accessories / T-Shirt

ADD A NOTE: (Total of 7 lines)

(Please Print Legibly)

(Each Line contains 50 characters, including punctuation marks and spaces.)

Add a Photo: You may add a photo to your box when prompted. Or you may e-mail one to Mark Lipsitz so we can place it with your shoebox order(s). (mlipsitz1@comcast.net)

Note: Each Shoebox contains an Essential Gift: Pencils, Crayons, Note Pad, Comb
Toothbrush, Pencil Sharpener

*** \$30 Cost:** Includes Processing Fee. IF, a Witness Commission member assist with your shoebox order, the Processing Fee is covered by the commission. Your cost = \$21.00

****** Should you want your boxes to all be different, you must fill out separate forms for each.

NAME: _____.

OFFERING ENVELOPE # _____

PHONE: () _____

COST

Total No. of Shoeboxes : _____

_____ X \$30.00 =

\$

(Deduct Processing Fee Per Box):

_____ X (\$9.00) =

\$

YOUR COST:

Make checks payable to: Bermudian Church

Memo Line: Shoebox on-line

Wednesday
October 8th & 22nd
All the ladies are invited at
9 am in Shepherd's Hall

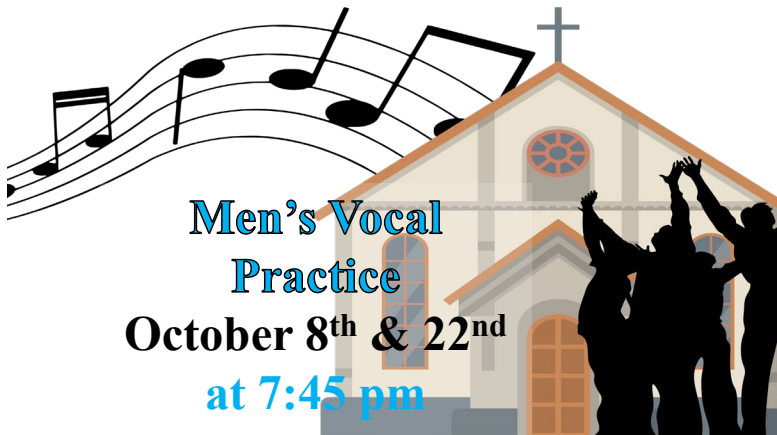
Sisters

A Bible Study for Women

Wednesdays
October 8th, 22nd
6:30 pm - 7:30 pm with Pastor Gary
Finishing:
Highlights in the Book of Proverbs

Life Group

On the 10th - we will start a study on the book of Daniel and we will start meeting in the Sanctuary again



Men's Vocal Practice
October 8th & 22nd
at 7:45 pm

Attention All Ladies
Wednesday, October 8th & 22nd
7:45 pm
(Front of the Sanctuary)
Practice will continue on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month.
New Members are Always Welcome!
See Betty Engle if you have questions

Women's Choir

How to Be Happy In Jesus Small Group
October 9th, 23rd, 30th
6:30 pm in the Sanctuary
See Dave Titzell if you need info

Widow and Widowers Luncheon
Sunday
October 12th, 2025
At Noon
At
Hoss's Restaurant
Please See Nancy Smith to RSVP



MEN'S BREAKFAST
FOOD x FELLOWSHIP x FAITH

NEXT MEETING
October 18th, 7 am
Dover Valley Restaurant



SCHEDULE

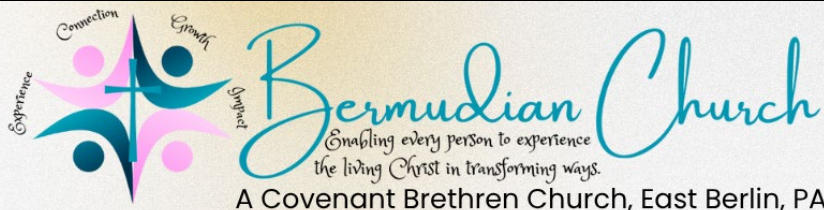
October 21st, 2025

Commission Meeting 6 pm
Board Meeting 7 pm



To everything there is a season, a time for every purpose under heaven.
Ecclesiastes 3:1





A Covenant Brethren Church, East Berlin, PA

REVIVAL OCTOBER 12-15

Service Times:

Sunday, 10.12 - 9 am - Message "The Marks of a Loving Church" Music

- Bermudian Men's & Women's Choir

Sunday, 10.12 - 6:15 pm - 6:45 pm for mini concert with Whispering Creek Bluegrass, Service begins at

7 pm - Message "How Your Life Can Change"

Monday 10.13 - 7 pm

Message - "God is Awesome, He Deserves Your Praise"

Music - Beth Marshal & Mike King

West York Church of the Brethren

Tuesday 10.14 - 7 pm

Message - "What Should I Do When Life is a Burden"

Music - Our Popular Sing-a-long

Wednesday 10.15 - 7 pm

Message - "How to Know You Are God's Child"

Music - Pastor Gary & Linda Firster



Guest Evangelist:

Stafford Frederick

bermudianchurch.org/revival2025

You're Doing Good, Now Do Better

(Challenging ourselves & as a church to be more like Jesus)

Nursery available for all services.

- Offerings & Hoss's Sunday Meal benefits Adams & York Counties Prison Ministries

Did you know?

There was an evangelist named Mordecai Ham back in 1934 who was holding a tent revival. There are probably not many people in today's world who have ever heard of Mordecai Ham.

In 1934, there were also 2 14-year-old boys who were friends, one of whom wanted his friend to attend the tent revival and convinced him to go by offering him the chance to drive a truck. When they arrived, the tent was crowded and seats were not easy to find, so as the boys turned to leave, an usher noticed them and told them he could find them seats together.

The message delivered by evangelist Mordecai Ham about sin and God's love deeply convicted the friend, and he experienced a moment of profound realization that he did not know Jesus Christ for himself and he accepted Jesus Christ at that revival. That friend who was reluctant and had to be bribed to attend was Billy Graham, and the other 14-year-old boy who bribed him was Grady Wilson, who became a key organizer for Billy Graham's evangelistic campaigns.

Who was the usher? No one probably knows, but your small acts of service can profoundly affect the world around you!

HARVEST FESTIVAL

Sunday, November 9th

11:45 am - 5 pm

Fun ~ Food ~ Games

More info to come!

Ladies Fellowship

Ladies Fellowship met on Tuesday, September 2, 2025, in Shepherds Hall. Nine (9) ladies attended the meeting.

We will visit the **Fruitbelt farmworkers on October 7, 2025.**

On December 2, 2025 we will be having our **annual Christmas party** at Perkins Restaurant in Hanover. All of the ladies of the church are welcome to attend. More information will be posted at a later date.

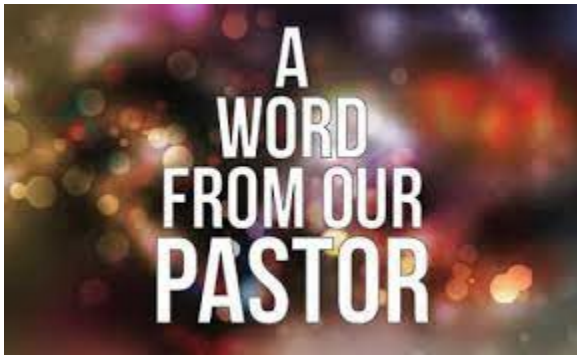
November 4, 2025 - next scheduled meeting for Ladies Fellowship. All ladies of the church are welcome to attend.



Annual Ladies Christmas Party at Perkins Restaurant in Hanover, PA

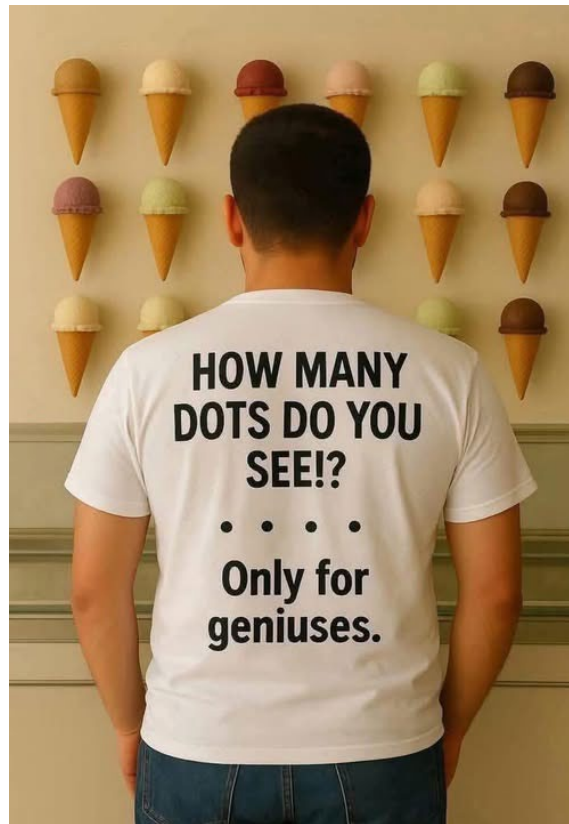
December 2nd, 2025

Save the Date - more info to follow.



Looking at the Big Picture!

How many dots do you see on his shirt?



If you said, “8” you are a genius. I actually almost missed one. I forgot about the one over the “l” in the word genius. What does this teach us about life? It reminds us that in every situation, we must look at the whole picture. So often we don’t see the whole picture. This may be because we look too quickly. We don’t take the time to evaluate everything in the situation. In relationships, this can cause a great deal of conflict. Even in problems, so often we focus too much on the proverbial “tree” instead of seeing the “forest.”

So how can we see the big picture in all situations: relationships, trials and problems, decision making, ministry, and so on? We need to seek the Lord and ask Him to help us see things from His perspective, which is above and different from ours. ***“For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways,” declares the Lord. “As the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts.” – Isaiah 55:8-9.*** When we seek his wisdom through prayer and Bible study, we will be able to step back and look at what is happening in a new light. We will see what God has in mind and what God is doing.

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CHURCH

Congregational Meeting

Sunday, November 2nd, 2025
After worship.