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Celebrate Peace

I am sure that most of you have heard the news that a ceasefire has been reached between Hamas and Israel in Gaza. Some of the details of the agreement are:

- **Immediate halt to fighting:** The agreement aims to end the ongoing conflict and restore order in the region.
- **Release of hostages:** Israel will release all remaining Israeli hostages held in Gaza, with the first release expected to begin soon.
- **Release of Palestinian prisoners:** Nearly 2,000 Palestinian prisoners will be released in exchange for the Israeli hostages.
- **Humanitarian aid:** A surge of humanitarian aid will be provided to Gaza, which has faced severe food shortages and famine.
- **Disarmament and governance:** The agreement leaves the disarmament of Hamas and the future governance of Gaza for a later phase, which is expected to be more uncertain.

In an article entitled, **Biden commends Trump for getting ceasefire deal 'over the finish line'**, former President Biden was quoted as saying, "The road to this deal was not easy. My Administration worked relentlessly to bring hostages home, get relief to Palestinian civilians, and end the war. I commend President Trump and his team for their work to get a renewed ceasefire deal over the finish line." Biden also expressed his hope that the Middle East is on a path to enduring peace and "a future for Israelis and Palestinians alike with equal measures of peace, dignity, and safety." We do need to celebrate this ceasefire and this peace and pray that indeed this will be an enduring peace with dignity and safety.

**KNOW
JESUS
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PEACE**

As Christ followers, we know that the only way to have complete and perfect peace in any relationship around the entire globe is for everyone to submit to the Prince of Peace, Jesus the Christ. Sadly, we also know that not everyone will do this. You and I, who know the Prince of Peace, even have a hard time submitting consistently to him. We also know that before Christ returns, there will be wars and rumors of wars, and much of this will be in the Middle East, but everywhere as well. Nevertheless, Jesus commands us to be peacemakers. "Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God." (Matthew 5.9) Paul wrote, "If possible, so far as it depends on you, live peaceably with all." (Romans 12.18)

And so, let us celebrate this peace. Let us praise God for his handiwork in bringing about this peace. And let us pledge our commitment to bringing about peace in all our relationships.

In Christ Alone



CBC WEEKLY PRAYER POINT

The fall of the year is a time of anticipated harvest. Fields of golden grain await the harvest. As many CBC congregations find themselves in a time of Revival and Evangelistic services, let us be faithful in sowing the seed of the Gospel of Christ and be active in the harvest of souls for the Kingdom of God! **Now is the time of harvest.**

*"Do you not say, 'There are still four months and then comes the harvest'? Behold, I say to you, **lift up your eyes and look at the fields, for they are already white for harvest!**" (John 4:35 (NKJV).*

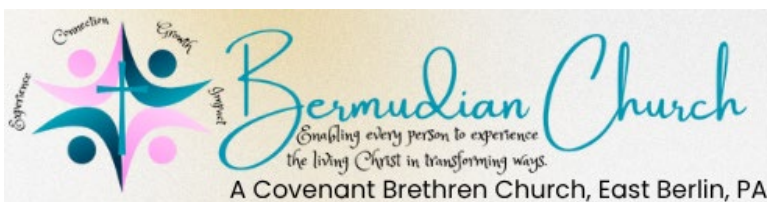
May we be faithful to the command of our Jesus to "GO" into this dark, desperate, and sinful world with the light, hope, and life of the Gospel of Jesus Christ. In the power of the Holy Spirit, may we be faithful in our witness and proclamation of Christ the Lord.

Please pray for these congregations and pastors:

- Cristo El Senor Congregation in Vega Baja, Puerto Rico and Pastor Jose Calleja Otero
- Curryville Congregation in Curryville, PA and Pastor Chris Heinlein

Prayer & Praises

- Chelsey Yost's father's surgery went great with no excessive bleeding. Keep him in your prayers for continued healing.
- Keep Bobby Allen's family & friends in your prayers after his passing. Also, keep Joe Martin in your prayers as well.
- Keep Linda Firster's family in your prayers after the passing of her brother, David.
- Bob & Brenda Foltz shared that Rick Storm's surgery went well and they got all the cancer.
- Mary & Dave Titzell requested prayer for Jan Hoffman (Sister) and their nieces' son Ryder, who had abnormal blood work and will be going to a hematologist.



Come out for our last night of Revival!

Wednesday 10.15 - 7 pm

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

Music - Pastor Gary & Linda Firster

Guest Evangelist:

Pastor Stafford Frederick

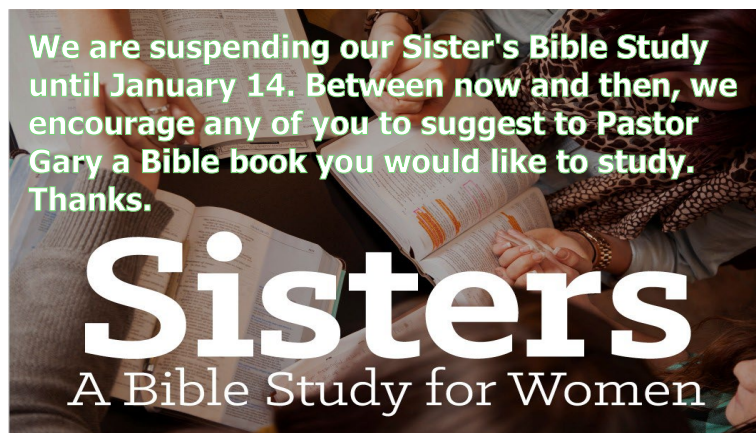




LASER TAG YOUTH EVENT

NOVEMBER 16TH
AFTER SUNDAY SCHOOL

REGISTER ONLINE OR IN PERSON
SEE PASTOR MATT
FOR IN-PERSON REGISTRATION

We are suspending our Sister's Bible Study until January 14. Between now and then, we encourage any of you to suggest to Pastor Gary a Bible book you would like to study. Thanks.

Sisters

A Bible Study for Women



CHURCH

Congregational Meeting

Sunday, November 2nd, 2025
After worship.



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



Annual Ladies
Christmas
Party at Perkins
Restaurant
in Hanover, PA

December 2nd, 2025

Save the Date –
more info to follow.



Save the Date:

MOVIE NIGHT

December 6th, 2025
Movie Night – "The Star"

Check your October newsletters in your mailboxes in the upcoming days for your form if you want to do the online Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes.

For more info – contact Mark Lipsitz

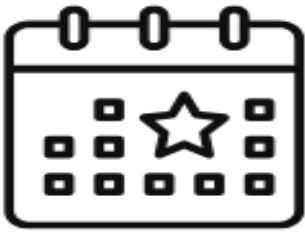
Please note – there was a price change this year – and we caught it – but there is a lot going on at this time of year and it got printed without the correction!! **So be sure to change your \$25 to \$30 for a total of \$21 per box** to be made payable to Bermudian Church for the shoeboxes.



SCHEDULE

October 21st, 2025

Commission Meeting 6 pm
Board Meeting 7 pm



Reminders

Wednesday 10/15

7:00 pm – Revival Services



Linda Meck's Birthday

Saturday 10/18



Larry & Carol McKinley's Anniversary

Sunday 10/19

09:00 am – Come Worship

10:00 am – Intersection's Café

10:20 am - Sunday School



John Fisher's Birthday



Gabriel Good's Birthday



Butch Warren's Birthday

Monday 10/20



Victor & Lakota Mojica's Anniversary

Tuesday 10/21



John & Karen Peter's Anniversary

6:00 pm – Commissions Meeting

7:00 pm - Board Meeting

Wednesday 10/22



Betty Engle's Birthday



Larry & Deb Dentler's Anniversary

6:30 pm - Life Group 

7:45 pm – Women's Choir Practice

7:45 pm – Men's Choir Practice

Thursday 10/23



Ginny Stiffler's Birthday



Tom & Debbie Zipfel's Anniversary

6:30 PM – How to be Happy in Jesus Small Group

Saturday 10/25



5:30 pm – Young Adults Group

Sunday 10/26

*Men going to TN Build – Pastor Matt will preach
Please keep them in your prayers this week, for
traveling mercies, fellowship, health, sharing
Jesus.*

09:00 am – Come Worship – Morning Revival

10:00 am – Intersections Café

10:20 am – Sunday School

Thursday 10/30

6:30 PM – How to be Happy in Jesus Small Group

November

Sunday 11/02

09:00 am – Come Worship

**Congregational Business Meeting after
Worship**

No Sunday School or Café

Monday 11/03



Boyd Michael's Birthday

Tuesday 11/04



Courtney Grim's Birthday

6:30 pm = Women's Fellowship

Wednesday 11/05

6:30 pm - Life Group



Thursday 11/06



Foy (Gumby) Stambaugh's Birthday

6:30 PM – How to be Happy in Jesus Small Group

Saturday 11/08



Ronald See's Birthday

Sunday 11/09

09:00 am – Come Worship

10:00 am – Intersection's Café

10:20 am - Sunday School

11:45 am – Fall Fest Picnic