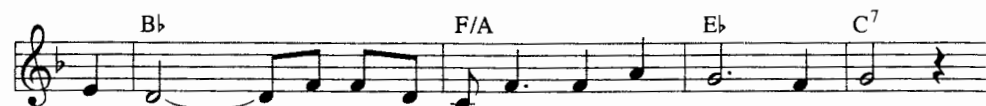


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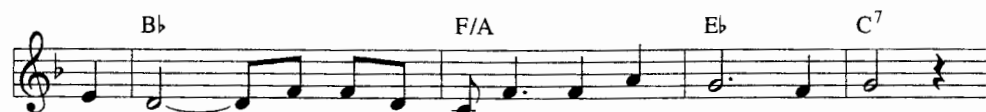
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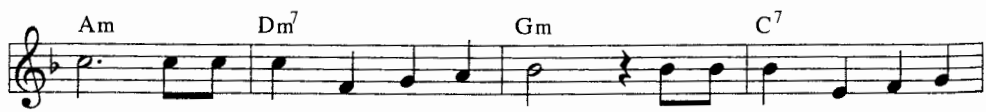
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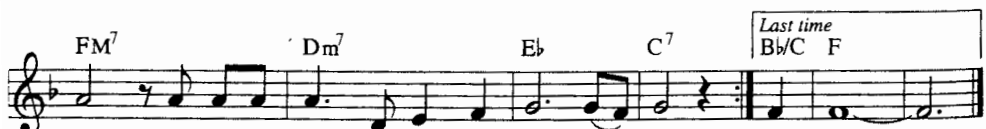
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"Love your neighbors as much as you love yourself'... If you do this, you will have eternal life."

Luke 10:27-28

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SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

8 a.m. & 10 a.m.

Sunday, July 11, 2010

Using "With One Voice" hymnal

CALL TO WORSHIP

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

***GREETING**

Sisters and brothers, called to freedom in Christ: Grace, mercy, and peace be with you all.

And also with you.

***CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

All may make the sign of the cross, the sign marked at baptism, as the presiding minister begins.

Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, who forgives all our sin, whose mercy endures forever.

Amen.

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Silence is kept for reflection.

Gracious God,

have mercy on us. We confess that we have turned from you and given ourselves into the power of sin. We are truly sorry and humbly repent. In your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things we have done and things we have failed to do. Turn us again to you, and uphold us by your Spirit, so that we may live and serve you in newness of life through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

God, who is rich in mercy, loved us even when we were dead in sin, and made us alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved.

In the name of + Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven.

Almighty God strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith.

Amen.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

SUNDAY:	8:00 AM	Worship
	9:00 AM	Sunday school
	10:00 AM	Worship
TUESDAY:	9:00 AM	Quilters & Knotters
	7:00 PM	Church Council
FRIDAY	6:00 PM	Private Birthday Party in Fellowship Hall
SATURDAY:	2:00 PM	Matusko-Adams Wedding
SUNDAY:	8:00 AM	Worship
	9:00 AM	Sunday school
	10:00 AM	Worship

PRAYER LIST JULY 11-17

HOSPITALIZED: Marjorie Maust, Somerset

RECUPERATING AT HOME: Dave Adams, Nettie Brown, Roger Duckett, Dorothy Gerber, Faye Glessner, Rosalind Harkcom, Shirley Riley, Nancy Schrock, Helen Weigle, Lynn Walker, Doris Whipkey, George Wisler

RESIDING IN NURSING/PERSONAL CARE HOMES: Ray Adams, Trudy Baker, Florence Engleka, Isabelle Gonger, Ella Hittie, Catherine Maust, Louise Ream

PRAYERS REQUESTED: Jodi Abramowich, Janet Alvares, Ed Berkebile, LCpl. Bob Bittner, Brian Bittner, Cpl. Chad Bittner, Spc. Kevin Bittner*, Krista Bonus, SGT Bryan Brant, SPC Andrew Bunch, Jim Burcaw, Sarah Carlsen, Cpt. Aaron Chonko, SSGT Anson Chonko, Charlotte Chonko & family, Cpl. Eric D'Carrion, 1st Lt. Robert Dickey, Deborah Dilbon, Bob Ewing, Darcel Fahy, PFC Robert Faircloth, Bill Farber, Ryan Ferre, Cpt. Brian Fisher, Elaine Franklin, David Fullard, CPO Carrie Gardner, SSG Aaron George, SSGT Jason Gerber, Alexzandra Gonzales, Marsha Grossman, Ruth Hall, SSG Ron Helm, Travis Hummel (USAF), Major Travis Ingrodi*, A.F., Gerald & Mary Johnson, Fred Leister, Cpt. James Leister, Jasmine Leslie, Linda Leverknight, Emma May, Ben Meese*, Mildred and Jody, Andrea Moore, Rev. & Mrs. Clarence Moore, Grace O'Gara, Betty Cpt. John Paxton, Cpt. Cory Petro*, Tom Reffner, Jacob Ringler, Alice Scheferston, Chaplain George W. Shaffer, Private Nathan Shaffer, Cleo & Catherine Shook, Matthew Spear, A1C Steven Spear, Kim Stayrook, Terry Stayrook, Amy Svonavec, Michael Yeager

* Serving in Afghanistan

Brick Coffee House garage. Anyone wishing to donate items may do so during business hours or place in the drop off box outside the door. Proceeds support our mission fund.

- If you know someone who could use a lap robe or coverlet made by the Knotty Knotters, please call Nancy Schrock at 267-3389.
- Somerset County Chapter of Thrivent Financial is sponsoring a trip to the Sight and Sound Theatre in Strasburg, Pa., to see "Joseph." The trip will be made by coach bus leaving from the Berlin Brethren Church and the Trinity Lutheran Church in Somerset. Date: Saturday, Oct. 16 Time: Leave Berlin at 7:30 a.m. and Somerset at 8 a.m. Return: approximately 8:30 - 9 p.m. Show time 1 p.m. Family style dinner at Hershey Farms restaurant: 4 pm Cost: Adults (age 19+) \$95, teens (13-18) \$65, children (3-12) \$45. There will be a short rest stop on the way to and from Strasburg, but not long enough to sit down and have a meal, so you will need to bring a lunch or snack along to eat on the bus. Reservations can be made by calling 814-445-7660 (Becky Minnich) or by emailing her at jam547bsm@cs.com.

ATTENDANCE	Date	Worship	Sunday School
Last week	7/4/2010	95	29
Last year	7/5/2009	132	42

ASSISTING IN THE SERVICE

- USHERS: 8:00 AM** John & Elaine Landis
USHERS: 10:00 AM Homer & Andrea Kreinbrook
LECTOR: 8:00 AM Sandy Shober
LECTOR: 10:00 AM Sue Clites
ACOLYTE: 8:00 AM Kane McKenzie
ACOLYTE: 10:00 AM Maeve Kreinbrook
NURSERY: 10:00 AM Maria Mowry

	Need Per Week	Received Last Week	Attendance
Current	\$2,579.35	\$1,759.50	7/4 - 95
Benevolence	\$322.43	\$178.00	6/27 - 113
Building	\$920.77	\$1,298.00	6/20 - 100

***OPENING HYMN: 760** "For the Fruit of All Creation"

***PRAYER OF THE DAY**

O Lord God, your mercy delights us, and the world longs for your loving care. Hear the cries of everyone in need, and turn our hearts to love our neighbors with the love of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen

CHILDREN'S SERMON (10 AM) Susan Straight

ANTHEM (10 AM) Esther Mowry

FIRST LESSON: Deuteronomy 30:9-14 (p.118 in pew Bible; p.282 in large-print Bible; p.235 in Christmas edition)

PSALM 25:1-10 [Sung in Unison]

To¹ you, O LORD,

I lift¹ up my soul.

My God, I put my trust in you; let me not be¹ put to shame, nor let my enemies triumph¹ over me.

Let none who look to you be¹ put to shame; rather let those be put to shame¹ who are treacherous.

Show me your¹ ways, O LORD, and teach¹ me your paths.

Lead me in your¹ truth and teach me, for you are the God of my salvation; in you have I trusted all¹ the day long.

Remember, O LORD, your compas-¹sion and love, for they are from¹ everlasting.

Remember not the sins of my youth and¹ my transgressions; remember me according to your steadfast love and for the sake of your good-¹ness, O LORD.

You are gracious and up-¹right, O LORD; therefore you teach sinners¹ in your way.

You lead the low-¹ly in justice and teach the low-¹ly your way.

All your paths, O LORD, are steadfast¹ love and faithfulness to those who keep your covenant and your¹ testimonies.

SECOND LESSON: Colossians 1:1-14(p.763 in pew Bible; p.1703 in large-print Bible; p.1434 in Christmas edition)

***GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: 740** "Jesus, Remember Me" (*sung twice*)

GOSPEL: Luke 10:25–37 (p.672 in pew Bible; p.1479 in large-print Bible; p.1247 in Christmas edition)

SERMON: “The Samaritan’s Purse”

***HYMN OF THE DAY:** 765 “Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us With Your Love”

OFFERING & MUSICAL OFFERING

***OFFERTORY MUSIC:** “Give Thanks” (insert)

***OFFERTORY PRAYER**

God of mercy and grace, the eyes of all wait upon you, and you open your hand in blessing. Fill us with good things at your table, that we may come to the help of all in need, through Jesus Christ, our redeemer and Lord. Amen.

***PRAYERS**

Gathered together as God's people in Christ Jesus, let us pray for the church, those in need, and all of God's creation.

A brief silence.

Holy, loving God, spread your mercy to all corners of your church, and unite all traditions and peoples in Christ's mission. Bind us together in a spirit of service to you and love toward others. Hear us, O God.

Your mercy is great.

Soften the impact of storms that batter coastlines in this season. Give early warning through people who watch the weather and quick recovery through those who respond to disasters. Hear us, O God.

Foster goodwill among all tribes and peoples (*especially*). Foster in us a spirit of loving care and concern for all who inhabit the earth, and help us come to the aid of those who are not like us. Grant us a vision of your reign as we see people working in cooperation. Hear us, O God.

Attend to the needs of all who live in fear, injury, and uncertainty (*especially*). Give them peace by surrounding them with caring helpers who extend fullness of life through their love of God and neighbor. Hear us, O God.

Open the hearts of this congregation to all who come seeking Christ. Lead us to extend hospitality to all visitors (*as did Benedict of Nursia, abbot of Monte Cassino, whom we commemorate today*), as Christ welcomes us into his presence. Hear us, O God.

Here other intercessions may be offered.

Rejoicing in the lives of the faithful departed, give us a full measure of the love you have for all the saints. Make us bear fruit as witnesses to your goodness for all people. Hear us, O God.

Into your hands, gracious God, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy; through Jesus Christ, our Savior.

Amen.

***LORD'S PRAYER**

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

***COMMISSION & BLESSING**

Continue to walk in Christ Jesus, rooted and built up in him.

Almighty God, Father, + Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you now and forever.

Amen.

***CLOSING HYMN:** 753 “You Are the Seed”

***DISMISSAL**

Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

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NEXT WEEK’S READINGS AND PSALM

Genesis 18:1–10a

Psalm 15

Colossians 1:15–28

Luke 10:38–42

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The altar flowers are given to the glory of God and in memory of Bill and Tim Fogle by their families .
- A Walk/Bike Fundraiser will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday, July 27, beginning at the Meyersdale Train Station. Donations will be taken to participate. For more information see Jeff Moore or Lorrie Shaw.
- The Mission Thrift Shoppe is now open for business. Store hours are 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Wednesdays and Saturdays at Berlin Brethren Church’s

Join Us for Vacation Bible School

July
25-29,
2010



Berlin
Brethren
Church

Set sail for the High Seas as we explore the wonderful love of God. Join us at Berlin Brethren Church each night from 6:30 – 8:30 pm for an exciting expedition of Bible stories, music, crafts and much more! Anyone from the age of 2 to 102 is welcome to attend this week packed full of fun and surprises.

Pre-register your children and place the completed forms in the offering plate.

If you need more information,
contact the church office.

God Sightings



Berlin Brethren Church
High Seas Expedition
Vacation Bible School
Registration Form
(One per child)

July 25-29, 2010
6:30 – 8:30 pm

Name: _____

Grade Entering This Fall: _____ Age _____

Parent or Guardian: _____

Home Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Emergency contact name: _____

Emergency contact phone: _____ Relationship: _____

Allergies/Health Conditions:

Name of a special friend your child might like to be with:

My child has permission to attend and participate in *High Seas Expedition VBS* program.

Parent Signature _____ Date _____

Please complete the form and return it by Sunday, July 18th. Thank you!