



MIRACLES

EVERYONE NEEDS ONE

***Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 24, 2021***

***Trinity United Church of Christ
600 Main Street
Berlin, Pennsylvania***

Prelude

Word of Welcome

*Hymn of Praise: No. 231

Jesus Shall Reign

*Confession of Sin

Eternal and merciful God,
you have loved us with a love beyond our understanding,
and you have set us on paths of righteousness for your
name's sake. Yet we have strayed from your way;
we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed,
through what we have done and what we have left undone.
As we remember the lavish gift of your grace symbolized in
baptism, O God, we praise you and give you thanks that you
forgive us yet again. Grant us now, we pray, the grace to die
daily to sin, and to rise daily to new life in Christ, who lives
and reigns with you, and in whose strong name we pray.
Amen.

*Word of Pardon

*Praise

I Will Bless the Lord!

Psalter

Psalm 126

- ¹ When the LORD restored the fortunes of Zion,
we were like those who dream.
- ² **Then our mouth was filled with laughter,
and our tongue with shouts of joy;
then they said among the nations,
“The LORD has done great things for them.”**
- ³ The LORD has done great things for us; we are glad.
- ⁴ **Restore our fortunes, O LORD,
like streams in the Negeb!**
- ⁵ Those who sow in tears shall reap with shouts of joy!
- ⁶ **He who goes out weeping, bearing the seed for sowing,
shall come home with shouts of joy,
bringing his sheaves with him.** ¹

¹ *The Holy Bible: English Standard Version*. (2016). (Ps 126:1–6). Wheaton, IL: Crossway Bibles.

Morning Prayer

*Gospel Hymn: No. 275

How Firm a Foundation

*Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ

St. Mark 10:46-52

⁴⁶ And they came to Jericho. And as he was leaving Jericho with his disciples and a great crowd, Bartimaeus, a blind beggar, the son of Timaeus, was sitting by the roadside. ⁴⁷ And when he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to cry out and say, "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!" ⁴⁸ And many rebuked him, telling him to be silent. But he cried out all the more, "**Son of David, have mercy on me!**" ⁴⁹ And Jesus stopped and said, "Call him." And they called the blind man, saying to him, "Take heart. Get up; he is calling you." ⁵⁰ And throwing off his cloak, he sprang up and came to Jesus. ⁵¹ And Jesus said to him, "What do you want me to do for you?" And the blind man said to him, "**Rabbi, let me recover my sight.**" ⁵² And Jesus said to him, "Go your way; your faith has made you well." And immediately he recovered his sight and followed him on the way. ²

*Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles' Creed

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended into hades.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.**

² *The Holy Bible: English Standard Version*. (2016). (Mk 10:46–52). Wheaton, IL: Crossway Bibles.

Limitations

Prayer of Intercession

Lord's Prayer [using **debts** and **debtors**]

***Song of Commitment: No. 383**

Open Our Eyes, Lord

***Sung Dismissal and Blessing**

Now Unto Him Who Is Able

Now unto Him who is able to keep you from falling.

To make you stand in His presence blameless and with great joy.

To the only God our Savior, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Be the glory, and the majesty, dominion, and authority.

Both now and forevermore, Amen.

Give Him the glory, and the majesty, dominion, and authority.

Both now and forevermore, Amen!

***Going Forth**

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All Saints Sunday – November 7: We will remember those saints who have entered the Church Triumphant in this past year. Their names will be read, the Tower Bell tolled, and a candle lit on the communion table in their memory. We will also remember others who have gone before us in previous years, if you would like to have someone included, please submit that name[s] to the church office by November 3rd. The Trinity Handbells will play for worship that morning music given in memory of Lucas Hayman.

Veterans Sunday – November 14: Sheron Engleka is once again preparing the video presentation in memory and honor of those who have served our country. If you have someone to add to her presentation, please contact her directly.

Sound and Video System Upgrade – has been completed. Beginning next Sunday at 8:55 a.m. we will go “live” with morning worship. If you are at home or away and have your electronic device, go to www.berlinucc.org or the church Facebook page to

watch the service. It will also be saved to our YouTube Channel and will be available for viewing at later times.

Annual Congregational Meeting – The Consistory calls for the annual meeting of the congregation on Sunday, December 5th following worship to act upon the recommendation of the Nominating Committee, adopt the proposed 2022 Budget, and take up any other business of the congregation. The meeting will commence following the service at 10 a.m.

“Secret Pals” Program

We are gearing up for another round of the Secret Pals program beginning in November. The reveal from this past year is currently being planned for November 21st at 8:30 a.m. The applications will be in our next newsletter as well as posted on our church community bulletin board.

“Secret Santa”

We want to begin collecting for Secret Santa beginning October 24th through November 21st. All proceeds will benefit families in the Berlin Community. Please submit donations in the offering plate indicating “Secret Santa” as the subject. If anyone is interested in shopping for the cause, please contact Julie Petro at (814) 442-5124.

The Saints In Action

TODAY –

9:00 a.m. Worship

10:10 a.m. Sunday School

Wednesday – NO Trinity Bell rehearsal this week.

Thursday

7:00 p.m. Pastor’s Fall Bible Study

Next Sunday – October 31 – ***Reformation Day***

9:00 a.m. Worship – ***wear your “RED” to worship!***

10:10 a.m. Sunday School

Giving From 10/17/21

	Rec	Budget	Over/Under
General	2324.00	\$2434.93	-\$110.93
Ben	\$245.00	\$213.46	\$31.54
Maint	\$335.00	\$163.46	\$171.54
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Total	\$2904.00	\$2811.85	\$92.15

Benevolence includes Food Pantry of \$15.00.

Worship Attendance: 75

Sunday School: 16



Those Remembered in prayer:

God's guidance and protection for Armed Forces.

Shut Ins:

Lew & Barb Berkley, Roy Bucher, Helen Diest, Mary Forespring, Janet Gindlesperger, Cynthia Kelly, Lois Krause, Deb Luteri, Lois Saylor, Dirkje Stellingwerf.

Healing Concerns:

Sally Altfather, Mark Amyot, Donnie Baxter, Abigayle Broadwater, Pam Crooks, Linda Gallick, Dawn Gindlesperger, Barry Landis, Larry McCullen, Bayley Mull, Bonnie, Murphy, Nancy Schrock, Avis Specht, Robin Walker, Harry and Jane Watkins, Heather Weighley, Nancy Weighley, Karen Will, Kimberly Kay Roos Zimmerman

Where You May Find. . .

The Nursery: *is on the lower level for children and their parent. A big screen TV is mounted in the room so that you may watch the service.*

At the Sanctuary Entrances. . .

Large Print Bulletins

Hearing Amplifiers

Recycling Boxes for Bulletins

These Days – Devotional

Assisting in Worship

Sound: Pam Bush, Tyler Gindlesperger

The Flowers on the altar in loving memory of her mother Ruth Romesberg's birthday by Larry & Gale Hay

The Whole Congregation in Ministry and Assisted by

Pastor: Rev'd Dr. David A. Williams

Church Secretary: Pam Bush

Financial Secretary: Renee Gindlesperger

Chancel Choir Director Emeritus: Linda Gallick

Handbells: Jeanne Hillegas

Church Office Hours – Tuesday through Thursday

9:00 a.m. to 1 p.m.

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I Will Bless the Lord

Frank Hernandez

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Great in kind-ness and good to_ all_ The Lord is

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righteous in_ all His ways: Bless_ the Lord and

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give Him Praise.

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