



“All tithes
from the land,
whether the seed from the
ground or the fruit from the tree,
are the LORD’s; they are holy
to the LORD.” Leviticus 27:30, NRSV

Reformation Sunday

October 28, 2018

St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church

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Welcome!

We welcome you to this holy time of sharing in the worship of our Triune God. Please let us know who you are by filling out a visitor card located in the pew and signing the guest register in the narthex. If you are communing today and have not filled out a communion card for this year please do so today.

Are your electronic devices silenced?

All baptized Christians are welcome to come forward for the bread and wine of Holy Communion (including children who receive the sacrament at their home congregations). There are no exclusions. This is the sacrament of our unity, among all Christian traditions.

***Rest rooms:* are located in the Narthex of the Church.**

At the close of worship, please return the Worship Booklet to the back of the Sanctuary. All inserts & this announcement booklet are for you to take with you.

Once again, we are delighted to have you with us in worship. Please join us each Sunday for worship @ 9:00 AM.

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Gathering:

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

Pastor's Welcome

Prelude

Voluntary in C

Purcell

Gathering Hymn

#367 Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation

LBW

Word:

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching and song

Today's Readings (See Insert)

Prayer of the Day

First Reading—Jeremiah 31:31-34

Psalm (Responsively)—Psalm 46

Second Reading—Romans 3:19-28

Gospel—John 8:31-36

Hymn of the Day

#229 A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

LBW

Offertory

Prayer

Martin

Distribution of Holy Communion

Sending:

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

Sending Hymn

#369 The Church's One Foundation

LBW

Postlude

March

Haydn

Enter to worship, depart to serve.

Worship Assistants

Ushers	Jane & Jim Landis
Acolyte	Mike Kinger
Lector & Bible Bearer	Roger Weber
Crucifer	Barb Kennedy
Communion Asst.	Judi Herman
Counters	Jane Landis & Judi Herman

The altar flowers & bulletins are presented to The Glory of God by Jerry & Ginny Shank.

We welcome **Mrs. Helen Anthony** who brings to us her talents and service to worship this morning! Thank you for serving in His name.

Mid-week Worship Scripture Readings

John 8:31-36

Next Sunday's Readings & Bible Study Passages

All Saints Sunday

Isaiah 25:6-9 ♦ Psalm 24

Revelation 21:1-6a ♦ John 11:32-44

October 21, 2018

WEEKLY NEEDS:	WEEKLY GIVING:	Surplus/-Shortfall*
\$ 2,599	\$ 1,885	-\$ 714

2018 CROP WALK – TODAY! The Walk is sponsored by the Hershey Ministerium with step off at 1 PM at Milton Hershey School. All proceeds go to Church World Service efforts to combat world hunger. However, 25% of monies raised will remain in this area to aid in hunger work. Pastor Minick is representing St. Paul Church. If you'd like to sponsor him, please give your donation to him TODAY! Thank you to those who have sponsored & shared your donations.

REPORTS ARE DUE FOR THE PUBLICATION OF THE ANNUAL REPORT. Please have them to the office **no later than November 1st.**

ATTENTION ALL MEMBERS!

The Church has received some generous money in the amount of \$73,985.72 as part of the distribution of monies from the Estate of Ann Ackley. When the monies arrived, there were no restrictions on these funds for use of this money. As such, Council is asking that the congregation begin to think about how they would like to see this money distributed/invested/etc. A vote on this distribution will take place at the Congregation's Annual meeting Sunday, December 2nd. **Your opinion, input, and most of all presence at this Annual Meeting is one of great importance.** Please plan to attend. If there are any questions or concerns, please contact Jim Landis or any member of your Congregation Council.

UPDATE! UPDATE! UPDATE!

Council is requesting that your suggestions be put in writing and given to Council President, Jim Landis no later than October 31st.

ALL SAINTS DAY & VETERANS DAY REMEMBRANCE –All Saints Day & Veterans Day will be remembered respectively on Sunday, November 4th & 11th. Letters remembering those who have passed will be prepared & sent to family members who have passed since November 2017. The names will be read & included in the Prayers of the People. If you have someone that you would like to remember (or would like their name added to the list of Veterans who have or are serving), please contact the church office.

CARING GROUP OUTREACH MINISTRIES

The Caring Group is embarking on a smaller project. We want to offer a helping hand to Bethesda Mission. We already have some travel size toothpaste, soap and shampoo. What we need now are some socks to accompany these items. With winter on the horizon, we are asking you to please donate some men's socks, as socks are the most requested item at shelters. Thanks for your help.



Election Sub and Bake Sale November 6

The Caring Group is preparing for the annual **Election Sub and Bake Sale held on Tuesday, November 6** and need your help. Your support has been great over the past years and we can't wait to see what delicious items will appear in the kitchen this fall.

Please let Judi Herman or Jane Landis know if you are willing to bring baked goods or treats to the sale on Nov 6. Kitchen will be open at 7:30am with hot coffee for those early voters or patrons. We need cookies, brownies, fudge, breads, pastries or other goodies that we can bag for re-sale. Items need not be home baked. You can bring items on Monday afternoon between 4-6:00 pm. Please, no items that require refrigeration due to food safety issues. Please note if there are nuts in the products, please label them as so. We want to make our patrons aware in case someone has a nut allergy.

We are also looking for volunteers to help with sorting and tagging products on Tuesday and helping with customers. It will be a day filled with fun and fellowship! Proceeds will be used for the Caring Group's outreach efforts.

Don't forget to pre-order your subs!

Please uses the order form in the bulletin and submit with payment to Jane Landis or Judi Herman.

This Week at St. Paul

Location of events are designated in ():

MS=Main Sanctuary K=Kitchen DPS=Derry Preschool
HC=Historic Church N=Nursery All other locations:
MH-Memorial Hall PS=Pastor's Study as marked

- Oct. 28 Sunday Worship; 9 AM (MS)
 Crop Walk; Noon (Milton Hershey)
 Girl Scouts; 4 PM
- 30 WALK & TALK; 11 AM (Bullfrog Valley Pond)
- 31 BACON N' BREAKFAST (Panera)
 Spiral Path Farms Delivery (HC)
 MID-WEEK WORSHIP; 11 AM (MS)
 Bible Study; 11:30 AM (MS)
 CARING GROUP 1 PM (MS)
- Nov. 1 Council 2019 Budget Meeting; 7 PM (MH)
- 4 Sunday Worship; 9 AM (MS) (All Saints Day)

THE HUMMELSTOWN FOOD PANTRY NEEDS THE FOLLOWING ITEMS; canned sweet potatoes (15 & 40 oz), box of mashed potatoes (9 oz -15.3 oz), canned fruit (15 oz), canned chicken noodle soup (10 oz), canned tomato soup (10 oz), apple juice (64 oz), brownie mix and turkey gravy (canned, jars of box) . Your food donations are greatly appreciated! **Items can be placed in the Narthex of the Church.**

FALL ASSISTANTS NEEDED!

WORSHIP ASSISTANT SCHEDULE – Our Worship Assistant schedule is in need of spaces to be filled. There is a signup in the Narthex. Signups are easy: simply write your name in an empty spot on the board in the Narthex or contact Chris Kinger CMKinger1401@aol.com, 534-9088. **THANK YOU** for serving in His name.

“Pray without ceasing, for our Father in heaven hears and answers our prayers.”

Lord, Hear
Our Prayer



For immediate prayer needs & concerns:

Shawn Maynes, Lois Butts, Lori Hess, Shirley Garber, Warren Hillbish, Terry Gawlas, Family of Bonnie Kurtz, Ethel Moses, James Kennedy, Gladys Kreiser, Pattie Weber, Disaster relief efforts worldwide, Judy Perry, Claire Gartner, Tami Irvin, Michael Johnson & Family, Margie Winkelspecht, Jeff Rosensteel, Ken Miller, Sr.

We lift in prayer...

...those struggling to live on minimum wage, fixed incomes, the underemployed & unemployed

...those struggling with addictions, emotional pain, loss & discomfort

...children of divorce

...police officers & those in public service & safety

...protection, safety, peace & the ongoing sharing of The Gospel worldwide

...United States of America & the outreach ministries at St. Paul

Updates

...**Ken Miller, Sr.** underwent surgery this past week at Hershey Med where he remains a patient.

...**Jeff Rosensteel** has returned back to the hospital battling an infection.

...**Pattie Weber** continues to recovery from surgery at home.

...**Shirley Garber** is recovering from a stroke at home.

For on-going/long-term needs & concerns:

Bill Bibb, Mike Boozer & family, John Fink, Janine Flanagan, Shirley Garber, Elaine Hitz, Tami Irvin, Sue Jones, James Kennedy, Brett Lewin, Stephanie Long, Virginia Long, Janet Martin, Delores Mortimore, Marty Moses III, Tom & Ginny Mullen, Diane Murphy, Catherine Perrine, Bianca Roop, Jeff Rosensteel, Angie Sanchez, Steven Savage, J.R Shank (son of Jerry Shank), LeAnn Taylor, Roger Weber, Joshua Weatherholtz, Janet Williard

We pray for the grief & healing of families & friends who mourn the loss of: Ana Hilda Bernal, Stephen J. Biro, III, John Coles, Martha Cope, Ruth Schulz, Chuck Shenck, Shirley Witmer, Jeff Yiengst & all those who have lost loved ones.