



Cards may be dropped off in the basket located in the library for Pastor Randy the entire month of October.



Light in the Night October 31 - 6 to 8 p.m.

Candy Donations: Please donate individually wrapped candy to help make this night special. A bin is in library.

Monetary Donations: Donations are greatly appreciated to help us purchase food for the night. Please give donations to Kelly Groff.

This Week at St. Thomas

Today: VOICE Articles are due
Monday: Cub Scouts - 6:00 to 8:30 p.m.
Consistory - 6:30 p.m.
Tuesday: Prayer Meeting (Chapel) - 6:30 p.m.
Boy Scouts - 6:45 p.m.
Boy Scout Committee - 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday: TOPS - 8:00 a.m.
Youth Group - 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.
Thursday: Office is closed
Kingdom Kids - 3:30 to 5:30 p.m.
Jubilation Ringers - 6:00 p.m.
Confirmation Class - 6:30 to 7:45 p.m.
Musical Rehearsal - 7:00 p.m.
Worship Choir following
Friday: Office is closed
Next Sunday: HARVEST HOME
Sunday School (all ages) - 9:00 a.m.
Fellowship - 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service - 10:30 a.m.
Shoebox Store following worship

Altar Flowers

There is a sign-up sheet in the library for sponsorship of altar flowers. If you would like to sponsor altar flowers, please sign your name under the month and date and whom you are honoring. Any questions, please call the office between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m.

Nursery

A nursery is available during the 10:30 worship service. It is located upon entering the library from the sanctuary in the left corner. The nursery is staffed and available for babies through pre-kindergarten.

TRUSTEE OF THE WEEK
Rosann Becker, 610-488-1253

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday - 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.
Phone: 610-488-6702 / Fax: 610-488-0962
e-mail: stchurchbv@verizon.net
www.stthomasbernville.org
Rev. Randy A. Bond, Pastor, 610-301-2606
Brian Luckenbill, Dir. of Music Ministries, 610-780-6528
Kathy Oberly, Office Administrator

Attendance: October 4, 2026 - 95



Welcome to...

ST. THOMAS Church

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October 11, 2026

Rev. Randy A. Bond, Pastor

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Sunday School for all ages-9:00 a.m.
Fellowship in Beatrice Hall-10:00 a.m.
Worship Service-10:30 a.m.



ORDER OF WORSHIP

10:30 a.m.

Prepare to Worship

Organ Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

We Worship Together

† Opening Worship

Today Is the Day

Rest on Us

† Prayer

Children's Message

Worship Choir ~ Who Can Satisfy My Soul

Offertory & Doxology

† Hymn #624 ~ His Eye Is on the Sparrow

Scripture: Ruth 1

Message: Like a Dog With a Bone

We Prepare to Serve

† Prayer & the Lord's Prayer

† Closing Hymn #526 ~ The Solid Rock

† Benediction

† If you are able, please stand.

The Worship is ended...the service begins.

WELCOME GUESTS!

Thank you for joining us in worship today. Please take along a visitor's bag located at one of our entrances. We look forward to having you worship with us again soon!

Please note: This service is being recorded and livestreamed through our YouTube channel, "St Thomas Bernville".



The altar flowers are presented in honor of Giovanni Colonna's 15th birthday.
Love, Mom & Dad.



13th

Roger Steffen

16th

Phyllis Krause

17th

Doris Evans

21st

Russell Hinnershitz

22nd

Judy Miller

24th

Kevin Zellers

26th

Violet Hartman



HARVEST HOME

OCTOBER 18, 2026

Help make this a nice collection of canned goods and non-perishables to be donated to Helping Harvest.

**Please place items in the bin
located in the library from
now until October 18.**

Prayer Requests

Current: This list includes current requests for our church family and for our friends with existing needs.

Praying for our church family: Clair & Karen Hess, Gary & Louise Rubright, Stefani Walter, Chaun Walter, Deb Rumbel, Gloria Gassert, Spencer Watts, Dan Wenrich, Shirley Saunders, Eleanor Stickler, Judy Guthier, Sandra Bond, Dave Degler, Carol Degler

Lifting our friends in prayer: Haden Long, Rachel Croyle, Lori Ferretti, Jean Martini, Bill Bender, Carol Kantner, Samuel Anzel, Sharon Gehris, Carolee Stouffer, Reid Schrack, Chad Corson

Nursing Home / Homebound: Sandra Fox, Kim Kissling, Anna Mae Smith, Phyllis Krause, Donald Triviets, Scarlett & Charles Seifrit, Myrle Schlappich

Special Prayer Requests: Care Givers, Missionaries, Persecuted Christians, United States (especially elected persons in authority), Community Requests

Military: Brandon Adams, Nicholas Englehart, Zachary Rollins, Harrison Reber, Benjamin Reber, All Veterans



Articles for the November/December issue of the VOICE are due TODAY.

Bernville Heritage & Cultural Society's

Open House

October 17th & 18th

1:00 to 4:00 p.m.

Hosted by

Friedens Lutheran Church

537 Main Street, Bernville

Come and see many items and old photos from our vast collection! For more information visit bernvilleborough.org

MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

October 25 ~ following worship
Pack Candy Bags for Light in the Night

October 27 ~ 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.
Prayer Meeting in the Chapel

October 31 ~ 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.
Light in the Night

November 1 ~ following worship
Shoebox Store following worship

November 10 ~ 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.
Prayer Meeting in the Chapel

November 15
Shoeboxes are due

November 19, 20, and 21
Candy Making

November 22
Thank Offering

November 24 ~ 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.
Prayer Meeting in the Chapel

November 29
Friendship Sunday/First Sunday of Advent

November 30 thru December 4
Christmas Bazaar Set-up

December 5 ~ 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
Christmas Bazaar and Vendor Show

December 6
Second Sunday of Advent

December 13
Third Sunday of Advent

December 19 & 20
Night of Alleluias A Christmas Musical



St. Thomas

SHOEBOX CHALLENGE!

PACK A SHOEBOX. CHANGE A LIFE.

 Your shoebox brings **HOPE** and **JOY** to a child in need! 

We Challenge

EVERYONE

TO PACK 1 OR MORE SHOEBOXES!



ST. THOMAS IS SPONSORING **100 BOXES** 

ANOTHER **50 BOXES** 

IN MEMORY OF *Beth Stoltzfus* WHO DONATED A LARGE AMOUNT OF SCHOOL AND HYGIENE SUPPLIES THIS YEAR.

Honoring her giving spirit and generosity! 

CAN WE REACH 200 BOXES?

Let's do this together!

DONATIONS NEEDED!

Shoebox Table

St. Thomas Vendor Bazaar – December 5

We welcome donations of:

Craft items-dishtowels, potholders & dishcloths

Holiday mugs, plates, or serving dishes

Ceramics or pottery pieces

Holiday tote bags or aprons

Christmas ornaments & décor

Festive knick-knacks

Candles & candle holders

Wreaths & table centerpieces

Small framed artwork or prints

Handmade scarves, hats, or mittens

Items to Kelly Groff
or shoebox donation
box in library.