

Samaritan's Purse update: There will be NO trip with Samaritan's Purse at this time. The dates selected were not the best for interested people. If you are interested in participating in the future, joining others who have already expressed an interest, please let Randy know.



Ministries of God's Servants
Need volunteers to help make Candy
March 27 and 28 @ 9 am
Volunteer all day or just an hour
come join the fun!
Sign up sheet in the library



Bernville Community Easter Egg Hunt
Saturday, April 4, 2026 at 1 PM
We are in need of *small individually wrapped candy, small toys* to fill the eggs— donation bin in library.
Cash donations can be given to Kelly Groff or Brian Luckenbill
Volunteers needed to *Pack the eggs* March 29 after worship
Volunteers to *hide the eggs* on April 4 @ 11:45
at Umbenhauer Park-sign up in library

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

Glenn Rumbel, 610-488-7616

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday - 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Phone: 610-488-6702 / Fax: 610-488-0962

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Rev. Randy Bond, Interim Pastor, 610-301-2606

Brian Luckenbill, Dir. of Music Ministries, 610-780-6528

Kathy Oberly, Office Administrator

Attendance: Ash Wednesday, February 18, 2026 - 45

February 22, 2026 - 92



Welcome to...

ST. THOMAS Church

536 N. Main St. † Bernville, PA 19506
610-488-6702 † stchurchbv@verizon.net



SECOND SUNDAY
in
LENT

March 1, 2026

Rev. Randy A. Bond, Interim Pastor

Sunday School for all ages-9:00 a.m.

Fellowship in Beatrice Hall-10:00 a.m.

Worship Service-10:30 a.m.



*Making Christ's love the center of our
praise, teaching, fellowship
and service.*

ORDER OF WORSHIP

10:30 a.m.

Prepare to Worship

Organ Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

We Worship Together

† Opening Worship

Made to Worship

What the Lord Has Done in Me

† Prayer

Children's Message

Worship Choir ~ Oh What A Savior

Offertory & Doxology

† Hymn #560 ~ More About Jesus

Scripture: Ephesians 2:10, Acts 3:1-8

Message: **The Hands of Jesus**

We Prepare to Serve

† Prayer & the Lord's Prayer

† Benediction

† Closing Hymn #778 ~ Sweet By and By

Organ Postlude

† 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 by Denise Brandt. Thank you God for everything you do for us. Amen



Happy Birthday
75 Plus!

3/3 – Margaret Henderson

This Week at St. Thomas

Today: Sunday School Breakfast
8:30 to 9:30 a.m.

Monday: Cub Scouts - 6:00 to 8:30 p.m.
Elders' Meeting (B8) - 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday: Boy Scouts - 6:45 p.m.
Trustee Meeting (B8) - 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday: TOPS - 8:00 a.m.
Lenten Service at St. Thomas Church
Soup - 6:00 p.m., Service - 7:00 p.m.

Thursday: Game Day - 10:00 a.m.
Jubilation Ringers - 6:00 p.m.
Worship Choir - 7:00 p.m.

Friday: World Day of Prayer

Next Sunday: Cub Scout Blue & Gold Banquet
1:00 to 7:00 p.m.
Sunday School (All Ages) - 9:00 a.m.
Fellowship - 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service - 10:30 a.m.

EASTER WORSHIP MUSIC

The Worship Choir is preparing several musical selections for our Easter Sunday worship. We invite you to participate with the choir on this special Sunday. Join us on Thursday evenings from now until Easter for rehearsal at 7:00 p.m.



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, Tom Bair, Spencer Watts, Dan Wenrich, Ruth Koenig, Eric Troutman, Shirley Saunders, Sandy Bond

Lifting our friends in prayer: Haden Long, Rachel Croyle, Denise Troutman, Brenda McCauley, Lori Ferretti, Jean Martini, Bill Bender

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

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

Military: Brandon Adams, Nicholas Englehart, Cassandra Englehart, Zachary Rollins, All Veterans

Photo, Video, and Livestream Permission Form

Beginning this morning, March 1, our worship services will be livestreamed. To help us serve and protect our families, we ask that all families with children complete a *Photo, Video, and Livestream Permission Form*. If you do not wish for your child(ren) to appear in the livestream or in recorded media, we kindly ask that you consider your seating location during our worship services.

The *Photo, Video, and Livestream Permission Form* is available in the library and can be turned in to your child's Sunday School teacher, the church office, or to Nancy Luckenbill. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation as we take this step to share our worship and ministry with the broader community.



All are invited to join us on Thursday, March 5, at 10:00 a.m. for a morning of games and fellowship.

Make sure to bring along your favorite games!

For those who are interested, we will head to Rosa's for lunch following games.



Lenten Service Schedule

Soup – 6:00 p.m. ~ Service 7:00 p.m.

*The host church supplies the soup,
other churches supply the bread.*

Wednesday, March 4

Lenten Service at St. Thomas Church

Pastor Phil Thomas

Wednesday, March 11

Lenten Service at Host Church

Pastor Fred Diehl

Wednesday, March 18

Lenten Service at Christ Little Tulpehocken

Pastor Drew Thomas

Wednesday, March 25

Lenten Service at North Heidelberg

Pastor James Snyder

Lenten contributions will given to
Keystone Family Alliance.

PLEASE NOTE: all donations given by check must be
made out to Keystone Family Alliance.



Friday, April 3

Good Friday Service – 7:00 p.m.

Sunday, April 5

Easter Service & Communion – 10:30 a.m.



EASTER SUNDAY

April 5, 2026

8:30 – 9:15 a.m.

EASTER FELLOWSHIP

Continental Breakfast in Beatrice Hall

9:30 a.m.

EASTER WORSHIP

Special Music
Communion

Children's Message
Easter Message