

Thank you for worshipping with us this day.
If you are visiting with us today, please sign the guest book
located in the Narthex.

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### Calendar of Events

Mon. (11/15) Hand bell Rehearsal time TBA

Wed. (11/17) 6:30PM Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

Sat. 9:00–10:30AM Schuylkill Valley  
11/20 Food Pantry @ Trinity Leesport

**Sun. Thanksgiving Sunday**  
**11/21 9:00AM Sunday School**  
**10:00AM Worship Service**  
*Confirmation Class Meeting*

Mon. (11/22) Hand bell Rehearsal time TBA

Wed. (11/24) 6:30PM Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

*Thur. (11/25) Thanksgiving Day*

**Sun. First Sunday of Advent**  
**11/28 9:00AM Sunday School**  
**10:00AM Worship Service**

Mon. (11/29) Hand bell Rehearsal time TBA

Wed. (12/1) 6:30PM Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

**Sun. Holy Communion**  
**12/5 9:00AM Sunday School**  
**10:00AM Worship Service**

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Encouraging
one another

We welcome you to Salem (Bellemans's) Church.

We are a shared ministry of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of America and the United Church of Christ.

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Rev. David Blicht, Pastor  
Oliver Blatt, Director of Music Ministry  
James Fitterling, Administrator  
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Church: 610-926-0461
Church Office: Mon.-Thurs. 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
Sunday School at 9:00 a.m. and Worship at 10:00 a.m. weekly

If worshipping from your car,
please tune your radio to 87.9 FM

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*Children's Bulletins are available in the  
pink crate in the entrance of the church.*

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Mission Statement:

**With the strength of our combined traditions
We strive to be unified through CHRIST as...
A community that reaches out and welcomes
individuals of various ages and faith
backgrounds... offering a diversity of
opportunities in worship and service... so that
we are spiritually enriched by the power,
promise and presence of the Holy Spirit.**

Twenty-Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

November 14, 2021

November begins with All Saints Day and ends in or near Advent, when we anticipate Christ's coming again. So the readings today tell of the final resurrection and the end time. In the turmoil of hope, fear, and disbelief that these predictions provoke in us, Hebrews sounds a note of confident trust. Christ makes a way for us where there is no way, and we walk it confidently, our hearts and bodies washed in baptismal water, trusting the one who has promised. The more we see the last day approaching, the more important it is to meet together to provoke one another to love.

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#### *Prayers for Healing*

Jackie Lynn, Karen Blicht, Jut Haag, Mitch Burkhart,  
Kyle Kunkle, Glenda Gehman, Larry Phillips,  
Michael Harle, Pastor Dave, Elaine Cammauf, John Noecker,  
Roxanne Loeb, Barbara Rausch

#### *Military*

Alfred Cross, Bradley Hoppes, John R. Wesner, Phillip Spatz,  
Cydney Lawrence, CWO2 Josh Linderman, Andrew Cichowicz,  
J. Michael Fluck, David Peterman, Kevin Mohn, Nathan P. Stump,  
Andrew D. Potts, Anthony Butt, Alex Hoffman, Dakotah Dailey,  
SSgt. Matthew Wurster, Dustin Spatz  
and all men and women serving our country.

*Welcome and Announcements*

*Prelude*

*welcome*

\* Please stand if you are able.

\*Gathering Hymn

1 Built on a rock the Church shall stand, E - ven when stee - ples are  
 2 Not in our tem - ples made with hands God, the Al - might - y, is  
 3 We are God's house of liv - ing stones, Built for his own hab - i -  
 4 Yet in this house, an earth - ly frame, Je - sus the chil - dren is

fall - ing; Crum - bled have spires in ev - 'ry land, Bells still are  
 dwell - ing; High in the heav'ns his tem - ple stands, All earth - ly  
 ta - tion; He fills our hearts, his hum - ble thrones, Grant - ing us  
 bless - ing; Hith - er we come to praise his name, Faith in our

chim - ing and call - ing— Call - ing the young and old to rest, Call - ing the  
 tem - ples ex - cel - ling. Yet he who dwells in heav'n a - bove Deigns to a -  
 life and sal - va - tion. Were two or three to seek his face, He in their  
 Sav - ior con - fess - ing. Je - sus to us his Spir - it sent, Mak - ing with

souls of those dis - tressed, Long - ing for life ev - er - last - ing.  
 bide with us in love, Mak - ing our bod - ies his tem - ple.  
 midst would show his grace, Bless - ings up - on them be - stow - ing.  
 us his cov - e - nant, Grant - ing his chil - dren the king - dom.

We gather in the name of the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

**Amen.**

Rejoice, people of God,

**For Christ is our Lord and our King!**

Sing choirs of angels,

**For Christ our Lord is King of this earth!**

Bow your knee and worship, all kingdoms and dominions,

**For Christ is King of the universe!**

Let us pray...

God of glory, be present with us now as we worship you.

Open our ears and our hearts, that we may hear your word of salvation for us; in Jesus' name we pray.

**Amen.**

Now let us confess our sins and be cleansed in the blood of the Lamb.

Most merciful God,

**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 and turn us again to you, that we may live and serve you in newness of life, through Jesus Christ our Lord.**

**Amen.**

(Be still and know that God is present.)

Our God, who is rich in mercy, loved us even when we were dead to sin and made us alive through Jesus Christ. As you believe and seek forgiveness, so you are promised forgiveness, in the name of the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

**Amen.**

*\*God's Peace*

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit, be with you all.

**And also with you.**

*\*PRAYER OF THE DAY*

Let us pray... Almighty God, your sovereign purpose brings salvation to birth.

**Give us faith to be steadfast amid the tumults of this world, trusting that your kingdom comes and your will is done through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

*\*Praise Hymn (Sung)*

**Give thanks with a grateful heart,  
Give thanks to the Holy One,  
Give thanks because He's given  
Jesus Christ, His Son.**

**Give thanks with a grateful heart,  
Give thanks to the Holy One,  
Give thanks because He's given  
Jesus Christ, His Son.**

**And now let the weak say, "I am strong,"  
Let the poor say "I am rich  
Because of what the Lord has done for us."  
And now let the weak say, "I am strong,"  
Let the poor say "I am rich  
Because of what the Lord has done for us."  
Give thanks, give thanks.**

*Proclaiming The Word*

*FIRST READING: Daniel 12:1-3*

"At that time Michael, the great prince, the protector of your people, shall arise. There shall be a time of anguish, such as has never occurred since nations first came into existence. But at that time your people shall be delivered, everyone who is found written in the book. <sup>2</sup> Many of those who sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to everlasting life, and some to shame and everlasting contempt. <sup>3</sup> Those who are wise shall shine like the brightness of the sky, and those who lead many to righteousness, like the stars forever and ever.

PSALM 16

<sup>1</sup> Protect me, O God, for in you I take refuge.

<sup>2</sup> **I say to the LORD, "You are my Lord;  
I have no good apart from you."**

<sup>3</sup> As for the holy ones in the land, they are the noble, in whom is all my delight.

<sup>4</sup> **Those who choose another god multiply their sorrows;  
their drink offerings of blood I will not pour out  
or take their names upon my lips.**

<sup>5</sup> The LORD is my chosen portion and my cup; you hold my lot.

<sup>6</sup> **The boundary lines have fallen for me in pleasant places;  
I have a goodly heritage.**

<sup>7</sup> I bless the LORD who gives me counsel;  
in the night also my heart instructs me.

<sup>8</sup> **I keep the LORD always before me;  
because he is at my right hand, I shall not be moved.**

<sup>9</sup> Therefore my heart is glad, and my soul rejoices;  
my body also rests secure.

<sup>10</sup> **For you do not give me up to Sheol,  
or let your faithful one see the Pit.**

<sup>11</sup> You show me the path of life. In your presence there is fullness of joy; in your right hand are pleasures forevermore.

*SECOND READING: Hebrews 10:11-25*

<sup>11</sup> And every priest stands day after day at his service, offering again and again the same sacrifices that can never take away sins. <sup>12</sup> But when Christ had offered for all time a single sacrifice for sins, "he sat down at the right hand of God," <sup>13</sup> and since then has been waiting "until his enemies would be made a footstool for his feet." <sup>14</sup> For by a single offering he has perfected for all time those who are sanctified. <sup>15</sup> And the Holy Spirit also testifies to us, for after saying, <sup>16</sup> "This is the covenant that I will make with them after those days, says the Lord: I will put my laws in their hearts, and I will write them on their minds," <sup>17</sup> he also adds, "I will remember their sins and their lawless deeds no more." <sup>18</sup> Where there is forgiveness of these, there is no longer any offering for sin. <sup>19</sup> Therefore, my friends, since we have confidence to enter the sanctuary by the blood of Jesus, <sup>20</sup> by the new and living way that he opened for us through the curtain (that is, through his flesh), <sup>21</sup> and since we have a great priest over the house of God, <sup>22</sup> let us approach with a true heart in full assurance of faith,

with our hearts sprinkled clean from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water. <sup>23</sup> Let us hold fast to the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who has promised is faithful. <sup>24</sup> And let us consider how to provoke one another to love and good deeds, <sup>25</sup> not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day approaching.

The Word of God for the People of God.  
**Thanks be to God.**

*\*Alleluia (Sung)*

**Alleluia, alleluia!**  
**Alleluia, alleluia!**

*\*The Holy Gospel*

The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the 13th Chapter.  
**Glory to you, O Lord.**

GOSPEL: *Mark 13: 1-8*

As he came out of the temple, one of his disciples said to him, "Look, Teacher, what large stones and what large buildings!" <sup>2</sup> Then Jesus asked him, "Do you see these great buildings? Not one stone will be left here upon another; all will be thrown down." <sup>3</sup> When he was sitting on the Mount of Olives opposite the temple, Peter, James, John, and Andrew asked him privately, <sup>4</sup> "Tell us, when will this be, and what will be the sign that all these things are about to be accomplished?" <sup>5</sup> Then Jesus began to say to them, "Beware that no one leads you astray. <sup>6</sup> Many will come in my name and say, 'I am he!' and they will lead many astray. <sup>7</sup> When you hear of wars and rumors of wars, do not be alarmed; this must take place, but the end is still to come. <sup>8</sup> For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom; there will be earthquakes in various places; there will be famines. This is but the beginning of the birth pangs.

The Gospel of the Lord.  
**Praise to you, O Christ.**

Hymn

*Refrain*  
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My Lord, what a morn-ing; my Lord, what a morn-ing; oh,

F B<sup>b</sup> C<sup>7</sup> Dm B<sup>b</sup> F C<sup>7</sup> F

my Lord, what a morn-ing, when the stars be-gin to fall.

F F B<sup>b</sup> F C F C

1 You'll hear the trum-pet sound,  
 2 You'll hear the sin-ner cry, to wake the na-tions un-der-ground,  
 3 You'll hear the Chris-tian shout,

F Dm B<sup>b</sup> C Dm B<sup>b</sup> F C<sup>7</sup> F *Refrain*

look-ing to my God's right hand, when the stars be-gin to fall.



*Children's Message*

*Sermon*

*(Silence for Meditation)*

*Response to the Word*

*\*The Apostles' Creed*

In response to hearing God's word for us, we confess our faith.

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day He rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

*Offering*

*Offertory Selection "God Leads us Along"*

*G. Young*

*\*Offering Response (Sung)*

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.**

*\*National Prayer (Sung)*

**Our Father's God to thee, author of liberty,  
To thee we sing; long may our land be bright  
With freedom's holy light; protect us by thy might,  
Great God our king.**

*Pastoral Prayer*

*Veteran's Day prayers*

P: God of the ages, We thank You for all who have served in the armed forces of this country. We thank You for the freedom their sacrifice has earned and guarded for us. Help us to prize this freedom and use it well. We ask You to bless all living veterans in a special way today, as well as the families of all veterans. Comfort those who grieve for those who gave the last full measure of devotion. Strengthen those who bear physical, emotional, and spiritual wounds. Stand with those who provide care to them. Move us to reach out to sisters and brothers who are veterans, or relatives of veterans, or who currently serve in the military. We pray for the day when no one needs to serve in the military. Help us to live now in anticipation of that day, as people who long for peace, who pray for peace, and who seek to be peacemakers in this world.

We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.

**"You gave for peace with courage  
That families may be free  
So children could grow strong  
And safe they'd ever be.**

**In giving for the sake of peace  
You may have suffered loss  
Your body may still show its wounds  
From taking up the cause.**

**May remembrance of your time away  
Your sacrifice for peace  
Spur us on to strive more strongly  
For freedom, that there'll be release.**

**From causes that sent some away  
To fight that we may freely live  
With gratefulness we thank you, veterans  
For all you gave and give!"**

P: God of peace, we pray for those who have served our Nation and who have put their lives on the line to protect and defend our freedom.

**We give you thanks, O God**

P: We pray for those who have fought,  
whose spirits and bodies are scarred by war,  
whose nights are haunted by memories  
too painful for the light of day.

**We give you thanks, O God**

P: We pray for those who serve us now,  
especially for those in harm's way.  
Shield them from danger  
and bring them home.

**We give you thanks, O God**

P: Turn the hearts and minds  
of our leaders and our enemies  
to the work of justice and a harvest of peace.  
Spare the poor, Lord, spare the poor!

**We give you thanks, O God**

A: Let the peace you left us,  
the peace you gave us,  
be the peace that sustains,  
the peace that saves us.

(Moment of silence and remembrance)

P: Christ Jesus, hear us!

**Lord Jesus, Hear our Prayer**

*Let us sing together*

**My country tis of thee,  
Sweet land of liberty,  
Of thee I sing.  
Land where my fathers died!  
Land of the Pilgrim's pride!  
From every mountain side,  
Let freedom ring!**

*The Lord's Prayer*

We pray as our Lord has taught us:

**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 sins, as we forgive those who sin 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. Amen.**

*\*The Benediction*

As you go on your way, know that God goes with you.  
May God go before you to show you the way.  
May God go behind you to encourage you,  
May God go beside you to befriend you,  
May God be above you to watch over you, and may God be with you, to give you peace. In the name of the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

*\*3-Fold Amen (Sung)*

*Amen!*

\*Sending Hymn

1. Stand up, stand up for Je - sus, Ye sol - diers of the cross;  
 2. Stand up, stand up for Je - sus, The trump - et call o - bey;  
 3. Stand up, stand up for Je - sus, Stand in His strength a - lone;  
 4. Stand up, stand up for Je - sus, The strife will not be long;

Lift high His roy - al ban - ner, It must not suf - fer loss:  
 Forth to the might - y con - flict, In this His glo - rious day:  
 The arm of flesh will fail you, Ye dare not trust your own:  
 This day the noise of bat - tle, The next the vic - tor's song:

From vic - tory un - to vic - tory His ar - my He shall lead,  
 Ye that are men now serve Him A - gainst un - num - bered foes;  
 Put on the gos - pel ar - mor, Each piece put on with prayer;  
 To Him that o - ver - com - eth A crown of life shall be;

Till ev - ery foe is van - quished, And Christ is Lord in - deed.  
 Let cour - age rise with dan - ger, And strength to strength op - pose.  
 Where du - ty calls, or dan - ger, Be nev - er want - ing there.  
 He with the King of Glo - ry Shall reign e - ter - nal - ly. A - MEN.

Go in peace. Love and serve the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

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Assisting in Worship

Lector: 10:00AM Linda Henne
 Greeters/Ushers 10:00AM Donald and Brenda Hoffa

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**November Jingle Offerings are designated for  
 Salvation Army**

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Altar Flowers are presented by Crystal Cammauf in honor of the 8th birthday of Ashtyn Cammauf.

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**Cemetery Logs and Wreaths**

Troop 154 will have wreaths and logs available this year for placement on cemetery graves. We can also place them on Belleman's (Fairview) Cemetery for you. Selections are listed below.

Call Larry Henne for additional information, 610-926-0461

**CHRISTMAS WREATHS - NEW ITEMS!!**

|                                                                |       |           |       |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|-------|-----------|-------|
| 6" X 10" Cemetery Log with Live Greens & Velvet Bow.....       | _____ | @ \$14.00 | _____ |
| 6" X 18" Cemetery Log with Live Greens & Velvet Bow.....       | _____ | @ \$20.00 | _____ |
| 18" Live Greens Wreath w/ Velvet Bow by Potts Nurseries.....   | _____ | @ \$14.00 | _____ |
| 18" Live Greens Wreath w/Velvet Bow & Stand by Potts Nurseries | _____ | @ \$16.00 | _____ |
| 24" Live Greens Wreath w/ Velvet Bow by Potts Nurseries.....   | _____ | @ \$20.00 | _____ |
| 24" Live Greens Wreath w/Velvet Bow & Stand by Potts Nurseries | _____ | @ \$22.00 | _____ |



2021 Poinsettia Order Form

IN HONOR OF:

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BY:

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IN MEMORY OF:

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BY:

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All Plants \$8.00 each

Quantity

Red plants \_\_\_\_\_ X \$8.00 each = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Jingle Bell plants \_\_\_\_\_ X \$8.00 each = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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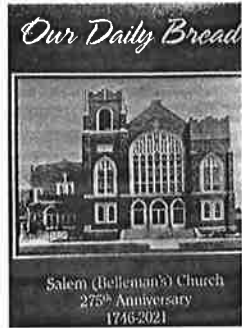
If you have any questions, contact Linda Henne at 610-926-4506.

Majority of orders due by December 12

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: Belleman's Christian Ed

**This years poinsettias are grown by:  
Penny Hill Farms.**

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The new **Belleman's 275th Anniversary Recipe Books** are available for purchase. For \$16 per book you can explore the cuisine of Belleman's family and friends. Extra books are available too even if you did not preorder. These will make great Christmas gifts! Get yours today! See Karen Harle or call 484-256-5705.



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**Endowment Fund**

Belleman's Church Endowment Fund was established for the preservation of our church. **Tax-deductible** gifts are available by completing the following information:

*IN HONOR or IN MEMORY OF:*

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The Angel Tree is Here!!!

Please take an Angel, purchase the gift and place it in a gift bag and bring it back to church by December 5. As always, the gifts will go to the Children's Home in Reading. Thank You.