

# 125 Years of Faith

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September 12, 2021

11:00 a.m.

## GATHERING TOGETHER

*There are prayer cards located in the pews. If you have a prayer request, fill out the card and pass it to the center aisle. It will be collected during the announcements.*

### Announcements, Welcome and Joys

**Two Minute Testimony** – Shirley Phillips

**Prelude:** “Tranquillo”

Richard Strauss

### Call to Worship: From Psalm 19

L: The heavens declare the glory of God;

**P: The skies proclaim the work of his hands.**

L: Day after day they pour forth speech;

**P: Night after night they display knowledge.**

L: May the words of our mouths and the meditations of our hearts be pleasing in your sight;

**P: O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer.**

### Prayer of Praise

**Hymn of Praise:** “Bind Us Together”

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### Call to Confession

**Prayer of Confession (unison)**

**Forgive us, O Lord, when our mouths say that Jesus is the Christ but our lives say something different. By your grace, cleanse our hearts that we may take up our cross and follow you.**

### Silent Confession

#### Assurance of Pardon

L: Hear and believe the good news of the gospel;

**P: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.**

### Words of Welcome for One Another

**Gloria Patri**

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**Affirmation of Faith** – “The Exalted Christ”

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## SHARING THE WORD

**Faith & Fun Time** – Betsy O’Hara

**Old Testament Lesson:** Isaiah 50:4-9

**Hymn of Preparation:** “Fairest Lord Jesus”

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**New Testament Lesson:** Mark 8:27-38

**Sermon:** “The Claim and the Cost”

## RESPONDING TO THE WORD

**Prayers of the People and the Lord’s Prayer (using ‘debts’)**

### Offering

**Offertory:** “Great Is Thy Faithfulness”

William M. Runyan

**Doxology and Prayer of Dedication**

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**Closing Hymn:** “O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing”

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**Benediction:** “God Be with You”

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**Postlude:** “Prelude in C<sup>♯</sup> minor”

S. Rachmaninoff

*Next week: Mark 9:30-37 “Greatness”  
125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration*

This Week's Prayer People: Philippians 4:6



**SIMPSON, Scott, Jenny**

--Chloe

***The Church Staff:***

Rev. Donald Painter, Pastor

William Braun, Music Director

Patti Pawling, Secretary

Carleton Dickensheets, Financial Secretary

Sam Bunnell, Treasurer

Mark Hall, Sexton

***This Week in Our Church:***

Sunday, 9/12:	NA (Fellowship Hall)	9:00 a.m.
	<b>Food Pantry</b>	<b>9:30 a.m.</b>
	AA (Fellowship Hall)	7:00 p.m.
Monday, 9/13:	AA (Fellowship Hall)	1:00 p.m.
	AA Women's Group (FH)	7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, 9/14:	Thrift Store Workers	9:00 a.m. – noon
	<b>Ruth Group</b>	<b>10:00 a.m.</b>
	AA (Fellowship Hall)	5:30 p.m.
	AA (Fellowship Hall)	8:00 p.m.
Wednesday, 9/15:	Thrift Store Workers	9:00 a.m. – noon
	Bible Time	10:30 a.m.
	AA (Fellowship Hall)	8:00 p.m.
Thursday, 9/16:	AA (Fellowship Hall)	5:30 p.m.
	Choir	7:00 p.m.
	AA (Fellowship Hall)	7:00 p.m.
Friday, 9/17:	AA (Fellowship Hall)	5:30 p.m.
	AA (Fellowship Hall)	8:00 p.m.
Saturday, 9/18:	<b>Thrift Store Open</b>	<b>9:00 a.m. - noon</b>
Sunday, 9/19:	<b>125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration!</b>	

**WELCOME!** We welcome you to our church in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ. If you are visiting, please sign the guest register in the narthex or place a pew card in the offering plate.

*Children are welcome in this congregation.* A nursery for those ages six and younger is available, but not staffed, during the worship hour, if your child needs a place to "let off steam." Activity bags (in back of church) are available for other children who stay for services. Please be considerate of other worshipers if your child should become agitated, by stepping outside the sanctuary until the child is calm.

**THE SERMON** can be found in the literature rack in the family life center most Sundays. A few people have copies emailed to them the following week. If you would like one or like to be added to the list, contact Don.

**WORSHIP LEADER:** Meg Murray

**FLOWERS:** Placed by Dianne Weeks, in loving memory of her parents on their anniversary

**PRAYER REQUESTS:**

- Edward Siegle – having health problems
- Gary – not feeling well
- Gina & Georgianna – healing from COVID
- Ricky – battling cancer
- Eli Eckert – healing for an eye infection
- Janet – battling breast cancer and having surgery
- Brian Corker – thanksgiving for success in his new job
- All school personnel and students as a new school year begins

**BIBLE READINGS**

- September 12 – Psalm 125
- September 13 – 1 Samuel 10
- September 14 – 1 Samuel 11
- September 15 – 1 Samuel 12
- September 16 – 1 Samuel 13
- September 17 – 1 Samuel 14
- September 18 – 1 Samuel 15

**Hymn of Praise: “Bind Us Together”**

Bind us together, Lord; bind us together  
with cords that cannot be broken.

Bind us together, Lord; bind us together, Lord,  
bind us together with love.

There is only one God. There is only one King.  
There is only one body, that is why we can sing:

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**Hymn of Preparation: “Fairest Lord Jesus”**

Fairest Lord Jesus, ruler of all nature,  
O thou of God and man the Son,  
thee will I cherish, thee will I honor,  
thou, my soul’s glory, joy, and crown!

Fair are the meadows, fairer still the wood lands,  
robed in the blooming garb of spring;  
Jesus is fairer, Jesus is purer,  
who makes the woeful heart to sing.

Fair is the sunshine, fairer still the moonlight,  
and all the twinkling starry host:  
Jesus shines brighter, Jesus shines purer,  
than all the angels heaven can boast.

Beautiful Savior! Lord of the nations!  
Son of God and Son of man!  
Glory and honor, praise, adoration,  
now and forever more be thine!

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**Affirmation of Faith: “The Exalted Christ”**

God’s power is like the working of his mighty strength,  
which he exerted in Christ when he raised him from the dead  
and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly realms,  
far above all rule and authority, power and dominion,  
and every title that can be given, not only in the present age  
but also in the one to come.

And God placed all things under his feet and appointed him to  
be head over everything for the church, which is his body,  
the fullness of him who fills everything in every way.

**Closing Hymn: “O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing”**

O for a thousand tongues to sing  
my great Redeemer’s praise,  
the glories of my God and King,  
the triumphs of his grace.

Jesus! the name that charms our fears,  
that bids our sorrows cease,  
'tis music in the sinner’s ears,  
'tis life and health and peace.

He breaks the power of canceled sin,  
he sets the prisoner free;  
his blood can make the foulest clean;  
his blood availed for me.

He speaks, and listening to his voice,  
new life the dead receive;  
the mournful, broken hearts rejoice;  
the humble poor believe.

My gracious Master and my God,  
assist me to proclaim,  
to spread through all the earth abroad,  
the honors of thy name.

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**Benediction: “God Be With You”**

God be with you till we meet again,  
by his counsels guide, uphold you,  
with his sheep securely fold you;  
God be with you till we meet again.

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**Ruth Group**

Ruth Group will be meeting this  
Tuesday, September 14<sup>th</sup> at 10:00  
a.m. in the Logan boardroom for  
devotions, discussions and dessert.  
We will also be planning our  
schedule for the year. All women are welcome!

A decorative border consisting of numerous illustrations of different types of burgers and sandwiches, arranged in a circular pattern around the central text.

Join us at  
Red Bank Battlefield  
for the  
Annual Church Picnic  
in the Park!

Saturday, September 25<sup>th</sup>  
From 11am to 2pm

Sign up in the FLC today!  
Invite your family and friends!  
Hope to see you there!