



The Spirit

Byron Presbyterian Church

October, 2020

The Basics

Sunday Worship begins at 9:45 AM, in the church sanctuary and on Zoom.

Sunday School and Nursery Care are currently on hold due to the virus.

Contact Pastor Jim Renfrew at 548-2800 or 585-813-2934. E-mail: jim.renfrew@gmail.com

Genesis 6 - the Ark

Noah was a righteous man, blameless among the people of his time, and he walked faithfully with God.

So God said to Noah, "I am going to put an end to all people, for the earth is filled with violence because of them.

So make yourself an ark of cypress wood; make rooms in it and coat it with pitch inside and out. I am going to bring floodwaters on the earth ... but I will establish my covenant with you, and you will enter the ark - you and your sons and your wife and your sons' wives with you.

You are to bring into the ark two of all living creatures, male and female, to keep them alive with you."

Noah did everything just as God commanded him.

Turkey Dinner - October 18!

Have no fear, our annual Turkey Dinner is happening on Sunday, October 18, 11:00 AM until 2:00 PM. All tickets are \$10.00. Expect the delicious meal that you have come to expect, turkey with all of the fixin's, mashed potatoes and squash, and tasty pie.

This time, because of health concerns, the dinner will be Drive-Through Take-Out only. Watch the signage as you approach the church, first for the ticket booth, and then for the pick-up area.

Want to help? Please contact Robin Glazier or Kim Dewey. There is plenty of room for face-masked dinner volunteers to safely spread out in the building.

9:45 AM Sunday Worship in the Sanctuary and on Zoom

The Byron Presbyterian Church is open on Sunday mornings for 9:45 AM Worship, of course with the health precautions you would expect.

Our service can also be joined on Zoom from home at the same hour. Please look inside this newsletter for the Zoom access codes you will need to sign on Sunday morning.

Whether at the church or at home, our faith family is open to all, and we look forward to your participation!

Sunday School is not currently available, but we do have a Children's UNICEF Party planned in our Dining Room following worship on Sunday, October 25th. Facemasks and distancing are part of the plan. In addition, our Christian Education & Worship Committee has also been sending Sunday School packets home to families with children.

For those participating in worship from home, here are your Zoom access codes: **Check in via Zoom (video & audio)** Go to www.zoom.us. Open link to "Join a Meeting", Enter Meeting ID# , Password: **Check in by telephone (audio only)** Call 1-929-205-6099, Enter Meeting ID# , Enter Password:

Session Notes

Session has continued to meet monthly since the church had to close due to the virus, initially on Zoom, now in the Dining Room with some members on Zoom.

A Re-Opening Design Team has presented recommendations to Session as we incrementally adjust worship in the Sanctuary and on Zoom.

Session has also arranged for management of our Zoom worship services, and other church meetings. Thanks to Eric George, Kim Dewey, Nick Quilliam, Robin Dunnington, and Shannon Thompson for assisting with Zoom management on Sunday mornings. Approximately half of our worshipers join us on Zoom.

For Children in Worship

With Sunday School on hiatus, our CE/Worship Committee has prepared activity bags for younger and older children to use and enjoy during Sunday worship. These are not re-usable; take them home after the service. They are kept at the rear of the sanctuary. Meanwhile, the CE Committee has sent "Sunday School in a Box" to each family with children.

Prayer Chain: Caution!



This is a sign that I have only seen in San Diego. It urges caution for families running along the road. But, hold on, it's an interstate highway, why would families be running there? Well, it's a border area and families may cross over from Mexico under cover of darkness, when cars operating at high speed may not see them. Very dangerous, and a very good place to be cautious.

Byron is not near Mexico, but immigration issues also affect us. My friend Eladio has lived here since he was 14, but now he is in danger of deportation. His American-born children have never been to Mexico. A friend from Guatemala, Alma, is excited that her three daughters finally have permission to join her in New York. She has not seen them for almost 20 years.

Borders are complicated. Our own circumstances may be like a border, with you or me stuck between here and there, or there and here.

With our Prayer Chain we can cross borders, between the familiar and unfamiliar. We know how to pray for one another from close and afar. Of course, our God is on both sides of any border, real or imagined. All you need to do is call or text Chrystal Britt

Byron PC on Facebook

Byron Presbyterian Church is on Facebook. We're easy to find, just search for "Byron Presbyterian Church" when you get to Facebook. You can also find a link to the Facebook page when visiting our website, byronfpc.org. Become one of our friends!

Newsletter Information

The newsletter is usually sent bi-monthly, but sometimes more frequently in the fall. The deadline for submissions is October 25 for the November-December issue. We prefer to send the newsletter to you as an e-mail attachment. Please send your e-mail address to jim.renfrew@gmail.com. We will not give out your address without your permission. The newsletter is always posted to the church website, www.byronfpc.org, and pieces of it appear from day to day on our Facebook page. If you miss the Sunday worship service you can see each week's Sunday bulletin and most sermons on line, too.

Thank You!

We have received many positive comments from our newsletter readers, and we welcome your encouragement. We invite you to keep our Byron Presbyterian Church newsletter coming to you in months and years to come. If you are not already a church contributor, your contribution to help cover mailing and Internet costs would be welcomed. Checks may be made out to "Byron Presbyterian Church". Thank you!

- YES, I want to help support the cost of the Byron Presbyterian Church newsletter. I enclose \$__.
- I prefer to receive the newsletter as an e-mail attachment
- I prefer to receive the newsletter through the US Mail

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 Address _____
 Town/City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Phone _____ E-mail _____

Note: we do not circulate or publish e-mail addresses.

Vital Congregations Initiative (VCI)

Since August, Rev. Renfrew has been focusing on the Seven (7) Marks of a Vital Congregation. He has explored what each means and what a 'vital' church looks like in 2020. Now it is our turn to find ways that each of us can contribute to the 'vitality' of Byron Presbyterian Church. But, we are in the middle of the Covid-19 crisis --- so what is it we can do from our homes if we are not comfortable leaving? If each of us commits to do one small action for each of the Seven (7) Marks, think of the 'vitality' that results for the church as a whole! With that in mind, here are some ideas for what we could do to support each of the Seven (7) Marks. Not only will doing these acts increase the 'vitality' of the church but each action will reinforce our individual commitment to live the life that Jesus wants us to live. So, here are some examples (add your own too):



Mark 1: Lifelong Discipleship: Commit to memorize Psalm 117 that we have recently said each Sunday: **Praise the Lord, all you nations! Extol him, all you peoples! For great is God's steadfast love toward us, and the faithfulness of the Lord endures forever. Praise the Lord!** Each day, read a short section of the Bible that is not all that familiar to you. Pray more.

Mark 2: Intentional Evangelism: Share (by phone if not in person) the Good News with one person you have not talked to about the power of Jesus in your life.

Mark 3: Outward Focus: Mail a donation/drop off supplies/work at the North Bergen Presbyterian Church food pantry.

Mark 4: Servant Leadership: Volunteer to do one new action that supports the church/ church family that you have not done before. Decide to let someone know that you 'see' his/ her spiritual gifts and encourage him/her to think about adding that gift to the vitality of the church.

Mark 5: Spirit-inspired Worship: Join in worship by telling the story of Jesus in your life/ testimony (this could be part of the weekly bulletin if not in person). Or, share a Bible passage that has special meaning for you.

Mark 6: Caring Relationships: Call one person from church who you have not talked to in a long time just to say hello and see how they are doing.

Mark 7: Ecclesial Health: Volunteer to serve on a committee/work on a project/join Bible Study so that your ideas/efforts become part of the strength of the church (in person or on Zoom).

Let's make a commitment to do at least one of these (or one of your choosing) in October --- just think of the 'vitality' that will be part of our church. **[Ruth Andes]**

2021 Stewardship During the Storm

Most of what we have done over the last two hundred years involves **getting together** with other people; **getting together** for worship, for Sunday School and youth activities, for prayers, for meals, for music. Out of those gatherings arise friendships, learning and growing, dreams and visions. So the pandemic that has affected our church during the last six months has hit us squarely at what we do best - **getting together**. So everything we have done during the last six months is to try to maintain that spirit of **getting together**, even when we can't do so very easily, even when we have to develop new skills with Zoom technology. The result is that we are not back where we started, but we have held together and we continue to move forward in mission and ministry.

Our Stewardship & Finance Committee has not been able to meet, so our plans for October Stewardship are not as extensive as we would like. But that's OK, because our stewardship efforts in recent years have been very successful, allowing us to weather the unanticipated storms of pandemic uncertainty. This is a year that we had already planned to keep simple, so that is our plan for 2021!

Speaking of "storms", our stewardship theme is based upon the Old Testament story of Noah and the Ark. Of course, it is a very familiar story, but we think it also parallels the experiences we have struggled through during 2020.

We will take the story in three parts during October, with a fourth part as an "epilogue" on the first Sunday of November. There is "**Preparing for the Storm**", "**In the Storm**", and "**Surviving the Storm**". The "**After the Storm**" epilogue focuses on lessons from that long-ago storm and any storms we may be facing today.



We could ask you to bring raincoats, umbrellas and boots each Sunday during the month to demonstrate your appreciation for Noah's story, but, no, we plan to keep it simple, just focus on a key verse in the story: "**Noah was a righteous man, blameless among the people of his time, and he walked faithfully with God.**" And that becomes our stewardship theme: "**We Walk Faithfully with God**".

Walking Faithfully with God ... one insight is that we don't have to find God, God is already walking with us, and all we have to do is notice that, and respond with joy and praise. It seems so simple, but for some it takes a long time to understand, perhaps as long as "40 days and 40 nights". God is already here! Have you noticed? We hope and pray so!

Walking faithfully with God also means that we learn new ways to move forward, instead of being lost or becoming stuck in old dead-ends, because God shows us ways ahead we had not seen before.

Walking faithfully with God imagines our church as an Ark, on a vital journey through the storms of life: pandemics, wars, strife and poverty. Sometimes the storms are so strong we feel ourselves sliding across the deck about to be hurled into the troubled waters. But with God's help in Jesus Christ we find a way to hold on, and when we reach the dry land after months of storm the first thing we do is offer praise and thanksgiving to the one who has been with us the entire way. That's what stewardship is! **[Stewardship & Finance Committee]**

Church Information

Sunday Worship & Sunday School: 9:45 AM
 Sunday School is currently on hold.

Church Office: 548-2800 [office@byronfpc.org]

Church Web Page: www.byronfpc.org

Facebook: Byron First Presbyterian Church

Church Wi-Fi Password:
 (the "2G" option works best)

Pastor: James Renfrew (548-2800 office)
 [jim.renfrew@gmail.org]

Clerk of Session: Shannon Thompson

Treasurer: Robin Glazier

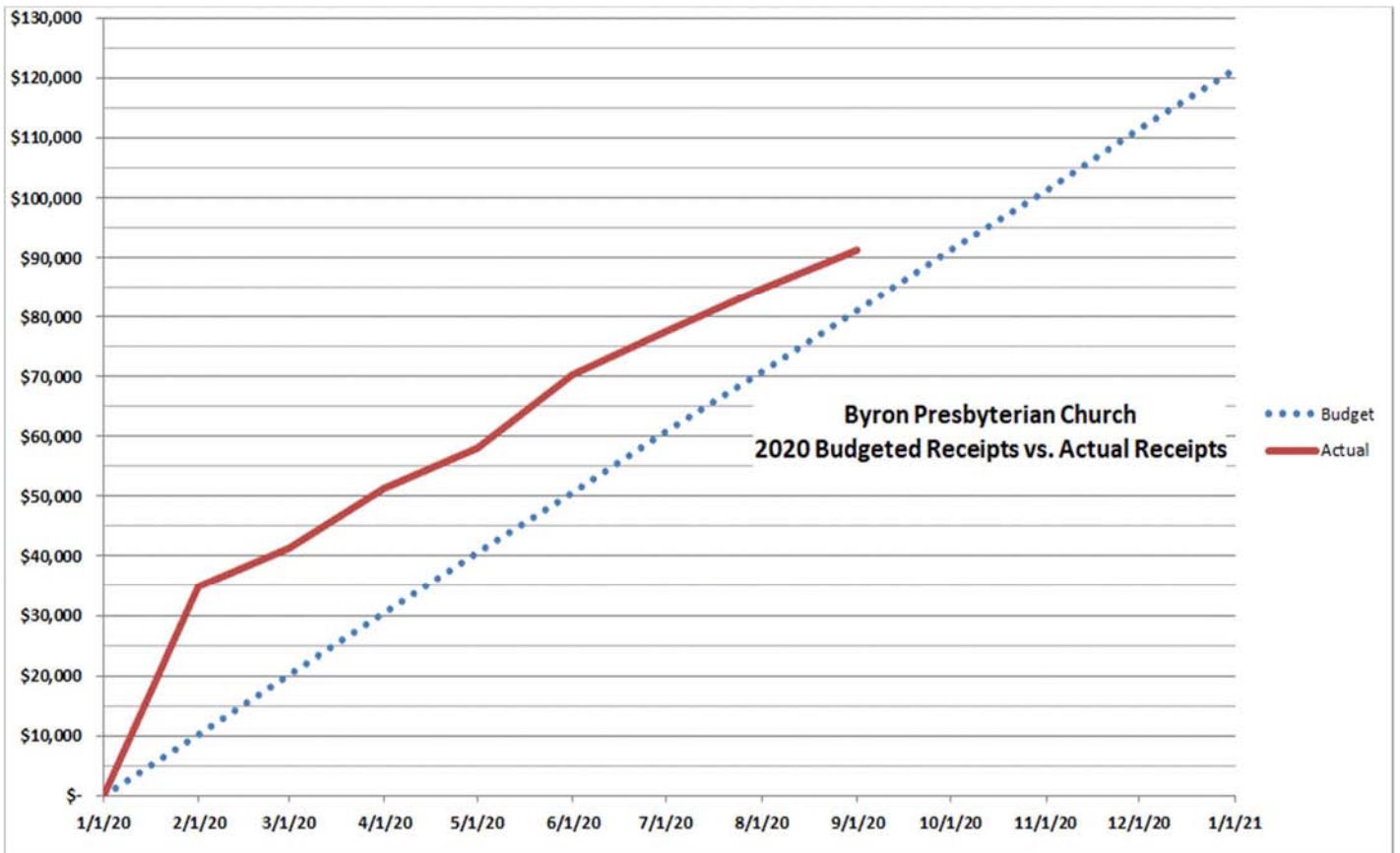
Organist & Choir Director:
 Laurence Tallman

Board of Trustees: Tom Nesbitt

Sexton: Penny Kennett

We have a cupboard full of **Prayer Shawls** that you can share with friends in need of some extra love.

Praying for **students, parents and school staff**, seeking the best path forward for education.



Coffee Hour / Tea Time 4:00 PM on Tuesdays

I don't drink coffee or tea, never have, and I'm fairly sure I never will, but many of the rest of you do! So bring your own cup at 4:00 PM, traditional British Tea Time via Zoom. It's a virtual gathering, just as well because I couldn't brew coffee or boil tea to save my life. Please use this different access code: Password, not the codes used for Sunday worship. Join us! Phone number is **1-929-205-6099**. [Pastor Renfrew]

Ways to Give

There are offering plates at the front and rear of the sanctuary where you can place your offerings as you enter or depart. No plates will be passed. You may send offerings by check to: Byron Presbyterian Church, PO Box 206, Byron, NY 14422-0206. We now have a secure on-line donation feature. Please visit our website at <http://byronfpc.com> and click the big "Give Now" button at the top. We have arranged access to Vanco for on-line contributions through the Presbyterian Foundation.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

October Birthdays

- 4 Austin Quilliam
- 7 Chrystal Britt
- 8 Naylee Robinson
- 9 Robin Shuknecht
- 10 Harley George
- 14 Emery Sue Paine
- 15 Joe White, Jr.
- 16 Nathan Dewey,
Kathleen George
- 19 Shannon Thompson
- 21 Mark Dewey
- 23 Stefanie Platt Resetarits, Don Britt
- 25 Jameson Liles
- 31 Jane Ezard, Jim Johnson



October Anniversaries

- 5 Rev. Bill & Sue Hockey
- 6 Chris & Ashley Haywood
- 11 Dale & Robin Shuknecht
- 15 Bill & Kristen Tyler
- 26 Tom & Melanie Nesbitt

Please let our office know if you have dates and names to add.

Church Leaders

Session: Rev. James R. Renfrew, Moderator
Shannon Thompson, Clerk of Session

<u>Class of 2020</u>	<u>Class of 2021</u>	<u>Class of 2022</u>
Chrystal Britt	Shannon Thompson	Jim Welch
Ruth Andes	Patty Welch	Laura Bestehorn
Mary Ann Blair	Vicky Truax	Ron B. Glazier

Deacons: Faline Tyler & Laura Platt, Co-Moderators
Sara Geissler, Treasurer Elizabeth Shuknecht, Secretary

<u>Class of 2020</u>	<u>Class of 2021</u>	<u>Class of 2022</u>
Laura Platt	Linda Engle	Faline Tyler
Luan Riner	Marilyn Britt	Sara Geissler
Nancy Curran	Sue Hockey	Eliz. Shuknecht

Trustees: Tom Nesbitt, Chair
Robin Shuknecht, Secretary

<u>Class of 2020</u>	<u>Class of 2021</u>	<u>Class of 2022</u>
Marc Kenward	R. Shuknecht	Lee Blair, Jr.
David Keller	Eric George	R. Hillabush Walker
Kim Dewey	Mark Dewey	Tom Nesbitt

Mission Associate: Jordan Sloat

Free Food Distribution

If you have any concerns about food, our neighboring congregation, the North Bergen Presbyterian Church, offers free Foodlink food distribution on 3rd and 4th Wednesdays, 5:30 - 8:00 PM, and 3rd & 4th Saturdays, 9:00 AM - 12:30 PM. North Bergen also welcomes your donations of food and funding. For more information, please call Pastor Dave Fish 290-5487.

Web Site & Facebook Page

Please visit our **Web Page** "Byron Presbyterian Church" and our **Facebook Page** "Byron First Presbyterian Church". We also have **Wi-fi** available in the church building now.

Presbytery News

The next regular Presbytery Gathering will be Saturday, October 31st, 10 AM, via Zoom. The Presbytery offices are closed until at least January 31st, but your calls will be answered at 242-0080.

Preaching Texts

OCT 4	John 10:10	"Abundance"
OCT 11	Genesis 6:11-22	"Prepare for the Storm!"
OCT 18	Genesis 7:11-22	"In the Storm"
OCT 25	Genesis 8	"Surviving the Storm"

Turkey Dinner

Sunday, October 18

11 AM - 2:00 PM

Drive-Through Take-Out Only
Tickets: \$10.00

Keep your eyes peeled for a turkey on a tractor! He will lead the way to our annual Turkey Dinner at the Byron Presbyterian Church.

Drive Thru Only – follow the turkey signs!! Turn down Terry Street. Turn onto Mae Street. Turn onto Pauline Street and enter the driveway. Your order will be taken. Pay for your dinner. Proceed to receive your dinner! Never leave the comfort of your vehicle. Voila!

We will still need volunteers for preparation of the food and packaging of the meals. We will need people to take orders and fill orders. If you have questions or can help, please contact Robin Glazier or Kim Dewey .

Just because we can't sit at a table together doesn't mean we can't still "Gobble 'til we Wobble"!! Mark your calendars now!

Trustees Report

After a relatively quiet Summer the church has been slowly beginning to show signs of life again. The mowing will soon be wrapped up as most of the grass has been idled by the continued dry spell. The new grass around the sidewalk has gotten off to a good start. The furnaces will have new filters and are waking up for some cool Fall mornings. We will be starting to update the electrical system shortly. This will be an ongoing project addressing a prioritized list of needs throughout the building. This will also allow us to spread out the cost of the project. We plan on trimming or removing some of the trees that are near adjacent buildings on the North side of the property. I would expect there will be some wood available. We will keep you posted and always appreciate extra help. If you have any comments or concerns feel free to contact any of the Trustees. **[Tom Nesbitt]**

Bible Study

We are fortunate to have a team of Bible Study leaders available for each month's Bible Study. At this writing our Tuesday, October 27th 7:00 PM session will be led by Elder Ruth Andes or Rev. Bill Hockey. Trustee Eric George will take a turn in November. It's all on Zoom,

Congregational Learning Days

The Office of Christian Formation of the PC (U.S.A.) has been examining the role of "Sabbath practices" in intergenerational faith formation. Sabbath practices give us a common language and a common way to connect with God and with each other. By sharing practices and building toward intergenerational ministries sharing these practices together, we begin to rebuild the community that is our congregation—our church. The five Sabbath practices include: Hospitality, Prayer, Retreat, Service and Storytelling.

This workshop explores the roots of the Sabbath practice philosophy and will walk through how to access and use this new, FREE curriculum for your congregation or ministry as well as discuss how these practices can strengthen your communities during this unprecedented time in our congregations and our world.

Presenters: **Elder Lea Kone**, director of Camp Whitman, 2020-21 moderator elect for the Presbytery of Genesee Valley, and part of a team of Christian educators that developed the "Faith Practices Toolkit" with the Office of Christian Formation. **Becky D'Angelo-Veitch**, director of faith formation at Third Presbyterian Church and a member of the team that developed the "Faith Practices Toolkit"

There will be a Q&A time after the presentation. Please register in advance for this course on the Presbytery web site. After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting via Zoom.

There is also a workshop that will certify elders to serve home communion, Thursday, October 15, 1-3 PM, and Saturday, October 17, 10 AM-Noon. There is registration information on the Presbytery web site. Presenters: Elder Susan Orr and Rev. Kathryn Griffis.

Christian Education and Worship Committee

We continue to have in person worship at 9:45am on Sunday mornings! Masks are still mandatory for entering and leaving the sanctuary. We are now bringing back congregational singing and unison readings and prayers. For these we do a quick “mask up” but when we are sitting quietly, listening we can bring them down again! Baby steps of progress! We also continue to include those who prefer to attend virtually with a Zoom feature so everyone can be part of the service.

Twenty-seven boxes were sent out to our Sunday School students and their families! The boxes contained a story for kids as well as some flash cards they can hang up and or discuss with their families as worries and misgivings about the new school rules and in general coping with life, virus or not. There is muffin mix for a Sunday morning treat. Tea for the adults to relax and savor. We also included a short survey for parents/caregivers of our kids to find out how the church family might be a source of support for our parents and students and to let everyone know we plan to begin in person Sunday School at the end of October, the 25th to be exact. A reminder will be sent to families closer to the date. We will hold our class downstairs in the fellowship hall to provide enough space for social distancing. We are excited to see our kids again!

Please feel free to contact any one of our committee members if you have an idea for Sunday School, worship changes, or would like more information. Committee members include Mary Ann Blair, Chrystal Britt, Kim Dewey, Helen Hulburt, Shari Schuck, Laurence Tallman, Faline Tyler, Patty Welch and Rev. Jim Renfrew. **[Kim Dewey, CE/Worship Committee]**

“Singing Safely”

It’s no trick and all treat: our church is going back to singing on Sundays! However, with singing comes great responsibility during the Age of Covid-19! We ask that you do the following:

- ** Remain seated during all singing opportunities.
- ** Remain appropriately socially distanced at all times in church.
- ** Sing with your mask on! (Masks should remain on whenever one speaks in church as well... otherwise, masks can be relaxed during the sermon or other times when the congregation is not directly responding).
- ** Sing gently, without pressing the sound.
- ** When done with the hymn books, place them back exactly where they were.

I am happy to announce our choir will be modeling these protocols as we begin to develop creative ways to do our monthly anthems! And speaking of choir...if you are interested in joining the choir, please email me and let me know in advance so I can prepare music for you! Even during these daunting times, there is ALWAYS room for another singer in the choir!

A special **THANK YOU** to Elizabeth Weber for filling in for me on October 4th! We look forward to surprising you with more musical treats during this fall season! As the weather turns chillier, we will be there to warm your hearts with the Lord’s music!

CHOIR REHEARSALS: All rehearsals are Wednesday nights at 7:00 PM. October 7,14,21 & 28.

[Laurence Tallman, Music Director]

Mission Committee

I have had several communications with the school district, working to figure out the details on how best to continue on with the Backpack Program in light of the current pandemic situation. The school district is offering different options this year for hybrid with alternate day scheduling, to fully remote learning, to every day in school for younger students that are not remote. With these various options, we are trying to work out the details for the best way to meet the needs of any students with food insecurity issues.

While I do not yet have all of the details worked out with the school, Session has approved the use of space at church to store food and bags. I am working out the details concerning delivery to school and distribution. This will allow as little interaction within the school space for those involved in packing and delivering the bags. Hopefully we will have further updates to share soon! **[Pam Kenward, Mission Committee]**

October 4: World Communion Sunday PCUSA Special Offering for Peacemaking & Global Witness

God-planted seeds now germinate
A tree of life, an orchard bearing fruit
Such is nature, abundant life budding,
And Jesus sets the table, invites us to dine.
Water into wine, land where bread is born,
A people on the path of perfect communion.



Although we cannot physically approach the table as one body because of health precautions, we can easily do so in Spirit. And, of course, it is not our table in Byron that we approach, it is the table of the world, and the invitation is offered by Jesus Christ. This Spirit is mighty indeed!

On World Communion Sunday we participate in the Special Offering for Peacemaking and Global Witness of the Presbyterian Church (USA). The offering supports peace and justice at home and around the world.

Twenty-five percent of the offerings that we receive in Byron may be designated by Session for local peace and justice mission. Our elders have designated the North Bergen Presbyterian Church Food Pantry for this purpose. The Food Pantry of this small congregation has taken on a larger-than-life presence in the community by serving emergency food supplies to those in need. The impact of Covid-19 on the economy most often affects the families at “the bottom”, so North Bergen Presbyterian is meeting a vital community need. We are pleased to offer our support!

There will be special offering envelopes available at worship in the church on October 4th. On request, we can send one of these offering envelopes through the mail to your home, or you can send a check made out to “Byron Presbyterian Church” with “Peace and Global Witness Offering” in the notation.



“**Mask Central**” is how Patty Iamon describes the sewing room in her home. Patty and others in our sewing group have created hundreds and hundreds of face masks, most recently for school children in Byron-Bergen. If you need a mask, please contact Faline Tyler.

Jean Roda's 99th Birthday



Unfortunately, we could not go inside and Jean could not come outside, due to Covid-19, so we met at the window to offer cupcakes and gifts to honor Jean's birthday. Jean's church friends were Linda Johnson, Luan Riner, Marilyn Britt, Barb Read, Dorie Hilla-bush, and Rev. Jim Renfrew.

"God Bless you, and Happy Birthday, Jean! We love you!"



Christian Women's Connection

We started a conversation about our Christian Women's Connection group. I was reading through some of the old minute books prior to writing this article. There are many references to meals and fund raising but the thing that struck me was the continual outreach for mission and raising awareness of the needs of people in the wider world. There were several references to hosting speakers familiar with issues of the time.

One of the mission projects the women's group held was the Fellowship of the Least Coin. At each regular meeting of the local Women's Organization, each woman would contribute the "least" or smallest coin in her wallet. The money was collected throughout the year and then sent to the national Presbyterian women's organization for use in funding special projects to promote peace and justice.

The tradition was begun in 1956 by Shanti Solomon, a woman originally from India. Her thought was for women to contribute the least coin of their country. This was the foundation for women from all over the world to join together to make a difference.

The tradition continues in churches with active women's groups and Presbyterian Women / Presbyterian Church U.S.A. As we start to

like in the Byron church, I would suggest that this is an old tradition worth keeping and nurturing.

In coming months, May Breakfast, knitting bandages, Turkey Supper, quilting! **[Kim Dewey]**

Deacons

Deacons will meet following worship on Sunday, October 4th. It's time to begin planning for the Thanksgiving and Christmas seasons!

Deacons helped with Jean Roda's birthday by bringing cup cakes and small gifts. Well done, friends!

We continue to gather food contributions for the emergency food distribution by Genesee County Churches United at the Salvation Army building in Batavia. Place items in the food cart at the side entrance to the church and we will make sure that they get to Batavia.



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 7:00 PM Town Park Committee at the Town Park	2	3
4 9:45 World Communion (live and on Zoom) 10:45 AM - Deacons meet	5	6 4:00 PM Zoom Coffee Hour 7:00 PM Stewardship and Finance	7 5:30 PM T.O.P.S. 7:00 PM Choir 7:30 PM - AA meets	8 7:00 PM on Zoom Congregational Learning Event on "Sabbath Keeping & Faith Formation"	9	10
11 9:00 AM Choir 9:45 AM Worship with Baptism & Choir (live and on Zoom)	12	13 4:00 PM .Zoom Coffee Hour 7:30 PM - Trustees meet	14 5:00 PM T.O.P.S. 7:00 PM Choir 7:30 PM AA meets	15 1 PM - 3:00 PM Certification for Elders to Serve Communion 6:30 PM. Session meets	16	17 9:00 AM - Noon North Bergen Food Pantry 10 AM - Noon Certification for Elders to serve communion
18 9:45 AM Worship (live and on Zoom) TURKEY DINNER 11 AM - 2 PM Drive Through Take-Out	19	20 4:00 PM Zoom Coffee Hour	21 5:00 PM T.O.P.S 5:30 PM N.Bergen Pantry 7:00 PM Choir 7:30 PM AA meets	22	23	24 9:00 AM - Noon North Bergen Food Pantry
25 9:45 AM Worship (live and on Zoom) Sunday School returns! (in the Dining Room)	26	27 4:00 PM Zoom Coffee Hour 7:00 PM Bible Study With Ruth Andes or Rev. Bill Hockey	28 5:00 PM T. O. P. S. 5:30 PM N.Bergen Pantry 7:00 PM Choir 7:30 PM AA meets	29	30	31 10:00 AM Presbytery meets on Zoom Happy Halloween!

ANNUAL TURKEY DINNER

BYRON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

6293 West Main Street, Byron

**DRIVE-THRU &
TAKE-OUT ONLY**

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 18

11:00 AM - 2:00 PM

\$10 per dinner



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