

Lewis Lake Covenant Church

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May 9, 1981

1949-1977

To the Many Friends of the
Bethlehem Covenant Church
Warren, Pennsylvania

Dear Friends:

"Be glad in the Lord, and rejoice,
ye righteous: and shout for joy,
all ye that are upright in heart."

Psalm 32:11

Another "mile-stone" has been reached at the Bethlehem Covenant Church of Warren, Pennsylvania! Your ~~Ninetieth~~ Church Anniversary. You are to be congratulated!

How well we do remember the nearly eight years we served as your pastor. We began our ministry in the "old" church building on Market Street and concluded our ministry in the new location - at 673 Pleasant Drive! It was a joy working together building the new building and then seeing it "grow."

And just Ten years ago, we were celebrating the Eightieth Anniversary. Of a truth, every Anniversary brings beautiful and pleasant memories. We have many beautiful memories of our days at the Bethlehem Covenant Church as well as the Warren area! We came to love both.

Now as you begin the next Ten years, heading toward your Centennial Year, may they be exciting and fulfilling years. May the Lord Jesus Christ give you untold blessings and opportunities.

God bless you as you celebrate this, your Ninetieth Anniversary.

Yours in The Christ we service

Pastor Paul and Marie Webster



The Evangelical Covenant Church of America

May 5, 1981

The Reverend Randall A. Surey
Bethlehem Covenant Church
673 Pleasant Drive
Warren, Pennsylvania 16365

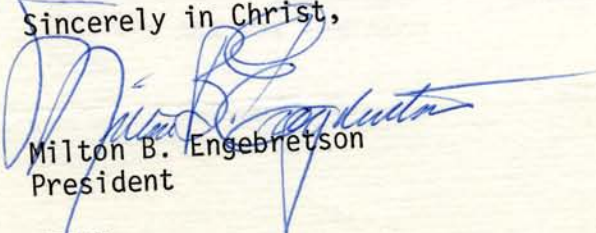
Dear Pastor Surey:

The entire Covenant joins with me in congratulating you and the members and friends of Bethlehem Covenant Church as you celebrate 90 years of gospel proclamation and Christian witness to your community.

As you reflect on the past and evaluate the present, we pray that God will give you a vision of the future and its significance for your church and its ministry in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

The Evangelical Covenant Church of America salutes the Bethlehem Covenant Church in Warren, and prays God's blessing on you today and in the years to come.

Sincerely in Christ,



Milton B. Engebretson
President

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May 5, 1981

Bethlehem Covenant Church
Pastor Randall A. Surey
673 Pleasant Drive
Warren, Pennsylvania 16365

Dear Members and Friends of My Home Church:

Blanche and I join together in extending warm Christian congratulations to you on this your 90th Anniversary. It would be a great experience to be present for the banquet and to enjoy the fellowship with the old friends once more. But distance sort of prohibits this. Never-the-less our thoughts will often be with you during these days of your celebration.

Though you have moved to a new location and into a new church facility since my last visit back in Warren - from the old church on Market Street I will always cherish deep memories of many of the dear people of the congregation at that time, the spiritual impact upon my life by its pastors and faithful lay leaders. I am today to a very large degree what I am by the impact of old Bethlehem upon my growing and molding years.

May God continue to bless and use Bethlehem for many years to come. Perhaps, if Christ tarries in His return, it will be our privilege to visit with you again.

Sincerely in the Bond of Christian Love,

Blanche and Dan Anderson

Blanche and Dan Anderson

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First Covenant Church

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May 13, 1981.

Bethlehem Covenant Church
% Mr. James McCauley, Chairman
1106 Conewango Avenue
Warren, PA. 16365

Dear Friends of Bethlehem Covenant Church:

We, here at First Covenant in Cleveland, Ohio share with you the great joy of your 90th Anniversary in Warren, Pa. We had the pleasure of celebrating our 90th Anniversary August 26th, 1979, and can vividly recall the **thrill** of having old friends renew their acquaintance with us after having been gone out of the area for several years.

It is such a great inspiration to the church and to the community to know that you have been faithful for so long.

Our prayers and thoughts are there with you and we are confident the Lord will continue to bless you as He most certainly has in the many years past.

God bless all of you.

Sincerely,

Warren J. Campbell
Pastor Campbell

and
Members and Friends
of

First Covenant Church in
Cleveland, Ohio

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April 28, 1981

Members and Friends of
Bethlehem Covenant Church
Warren, Pennsylvania

1935-1942

Dear Friends:

Greetings as you observe your 90th anniversary as a local Covenant church. God's blessings on you in continued witness for the Risen Christ as you recognize His unfailing faithfulness in the past. May your anniversary hours be rich in joy and fellowship and in feasting on the riches of His grace.

We have vivid memories of working with you to observe your fiftieth. Also on returning to share with you in your seventieth.

Upon leaving you, we served for 26 years in Iowa, first a ten year pastorate in Albert City and then sixteen years as superintendent of the conference. Upon passing the 65 year retirement year, we served interim pastorates at St. Paul Minnesota and Montclair New Jersey. Tahn followed a ten year ministry as temporary supply in the Kerkhoven Minnesota United Presbyterian church.

On January 1, this year we moved into Covenant Manor, one of the Covenant retirement projects. I serve part time as chaplain here for the residents of the 95 apartments.

Our oldest daughter Debby, who celebrated her second birthday the day we arrived in Warren lives in Auburn, Maine. We were out there last month for the wedding of her oldest daughter. She and her husband, Edward Dwyer have a younger daughter at home. Lois and her four daughters live on the edge of Omaha. Her husband is chairman of the Covenant church there. Mary and her three daughters and one son live at Haxtun, Colorado with her husband Curtis Ruch. Eunice and two girls live with her husband at Dassel, Minn. Ruth and two girls and husband Philip Peterson are the closest to us living across the twin cities at St. Paul.

God bless you all.

Sincerely,

John C. Bengtson
John and Tena Bengtson

530 South 32nd Street,
South Bend, Indiana 46615,
May 2, 1981.

1947-1953

Bethlehem Covenant Church,
673 Pleasant Drive,
Warren, Pennsylvania,
Randall A. Surey, Pastor.

Dear Co-Workers for Christ:

We hereby extend our congratulations to you on this occasion of celebrating your 90th anniversary as a church. It is a time of joy and thanksgiving for you as you reflect on the ways in which God has blessed and used your congregation throughout these years and look forward to added opportunities to serve our Lord in your community as well as further afield.

We thank God upon every remembrance of you, and are most grateful to Him for allowing us to be part of your fellowship and history during our six years in Warren. Those were happy years for us as we sought, together with you, to further the cause of Jesus Christ our Savior and Lord. Many who labored together with us have been called to higher service for Him. Others have followed in their steps. And the work of the Lord has continued to prosper in your midst. We praise the Lord for this way of His ongoing work.

You are still remembered in our prayers daily. And we shall continue to pray for you, that even greater days may be ahead for you, with many opportunities to strengthen believers in their faith, and to reach out to win others for our Lord.

"Therefore, my beloved brethren, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that in the Lord your labor is not in vain."
1 Corinthians 15:58

Yours in Christ,

David & Myrtle Carlson

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THINKING OF YOU ALL ON YOUR 90TH ANNIVERSARY. MAY GOD'S BLESSING REST
UPON YOU IN YOUR SERVICE FOR HIM IN FUTURE YEARS. PSALM 32:8.

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CONGRATULATIONS ON YOUR 90TH ANNIVERSARY. WISH WE COULD SHARE THE
CELEBRATION WITH YOU. MAY GOD RICHLY BLESS YOU AS YOU REFLECT ON
SPECIAL MEMORIES AND LOOK FORWARD TO A GREAT FUTURE TOGETHER WITH
HIM. OUR PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU. PHIL. 1:2-6

ALAN KAREN DAVID & TIM HEARL

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