

Our Mission

-A family of God growing in Christ, empowered to serve -

**Worship
April 29, 2018
8:30 a.m.**

*For the kingdom of God is not just a lot of talk;
it is living by God's power. I Corinthians 4:20*

Gathering

Greetings and Announcements

Prayer

Prelude *Crown Him with Many Crowns* arr. J. Carter
Celebrating the Light of Christ among us

Call to Worship

*Singing – **If you are able, please stand when instructed to do so.**
Praise to the Lord, the Almighty #1
Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah #82

Scripture Reading John 15:1-8 NRSV

Hymn *The Solid Rock* #511

Prayer for the Family

Offering

(Please print your name on the attendance register. If you are a guest, please include your address and/or telephone number.)

Offertory *Still, Still with Thee* arr. R. Lau

*Response *Doxology* #668

*Prayer of Dedication

Our young worshippers, ages Pre-K-thru 5th grade, may now go to the church narthex for Children's Church.

Special Music Cody and Ali Toms

Meditation *The Power of Family* Pastor Joel

*Sending *Awesome God* #63
Taking the light of Christ into the world

*Responsive Benediction
One: We came to worship.
All: We go now to serve.
One: We have been given the light.
All: We go now to let it shine.
One: We are empowered by God's love.
All: We go now to serve.
One: Remain in Jesus this week and be His disciples.

*Postlude *Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart* arr. M. Burkhardt

Greeters Vivian Fisher
Linda Steck

Ushers Bo Frazer, Harold Yeager
Galen Yeager and Terry Gibbons

Thank you to all who serve us in worship today:
Worship Leadership Annette Lehman
Bringing/Taking the Light Philip and Megan Rotz
Music Leadership Elizabeth Thorpe
Organist Pamela Wert

PERK Worship

10:45am

Praise God through song and dance for he is worthy of our praise!

*Psalm 150:1-2, 6
Praise the Lord. Praise God in his sanctuary; praise him in his mighty heavens...Let everything that has breath praise the Lord.*

Engage in worship through different styles of prayer, skits, videos, and offering.

*Matthew 7:7-8
Ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock and it will be opened to you.*

Reflect on the living Word and how it speaks to your life.

*Psalm 119:105
Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path.*

Koinonia: Spend time in community with fellow believers.

*Romans 12:4-5
For as in one body we have many members and the members do not all have the same function, so we, though many, are one body in Christ, and individually members one of another.*

Thank you to all who serve us in worship today:

Music Leaders Praise Team
Greeters/Ushers Nicholas and Samuel Wingert

Schedule of Events and Activities

Today, April 29
Childcare is available for infants thru age 3 in the Crib Room during the 8:30 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. worship services.

Monday, April 30
6:30 p.m. – Pickleball – BLC

Tuesday, May 1
8:15 a.m. – Searchers Class Trip to Sight & Sound
10:00 a.m. – Ladies of Strength Training – BLC
6:30 p.m. – Worship & Music Commission Meeting - CR

Wednesday, May 2

8:30 a.m. – Pickleball – BLC
5:30 p.m. – Mid-Week Connection - BLC
6:00 p.m. – Hand Bell Rehearsal
6:00 p.m. – Revolution
7:15 p.m. – Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, May 3

10:00 a.m. – Ladies of Strength Training – BLC
6:30 p.m. – Christian Education Commission Meeting – CR
6:30 p.m. – Properties Commission Meeting - Library

Please take Note

Next Week Sermon Topic = *Family Style – A Brethren Understanding*

Join us for Mid-Week Connection, Wednesday, May 2, 2018.

Dinner at 5:30 p.m. and a movie to follow.

The Chambersburg Congregation Church of the Brethren will hold TWO special Council Meetings on Sunday, May 6, 2018 as part of the 8:30 a.m. & 10:45 a.m. Worship services. A Congregational vote will be taken to call Elizabeth Thorpe to the ordained ministry of the church. Please plan to attend one of these.

This is the Last Sunday to participate in the Texas Roadhouse

fundraiser to support the *Smart Cookies* Nursery School program. Please consider eating at Texas Roadhouse **today**. Just show them the flyer located in the Narthex or Brethren Life Center Lobby or your church bulletin for a portion of your check to return to the church.

Reminder to all going to Sight and Sound to see the Production of “Jesus” on Tuesday, May 1st, please be at the church parking lot no later than 8:15 a.m. We should return approximately by 5:30 p.m.

Worship & Music Commission will meet on Tuesday, May 1, 2018 at 6:30 p.m. in the Conference Room.

Christian Education Commission will meet on Thursday, May 3, 2018 at 6:30 p.m. in the Conference Room.

Properties Commission will meet on Thursday, May 3, 2018 at 6:30 p.m. in the Library.

KidNecton: For Children Pre-K (age 4) thru 5th grade. Come and join us on Thursday, May 10th, for our **LAST KidNecton before the summer begins**. We will be meeting in the BLC for Worship, Bible Story, Games and a Craft!!

Mid-Week Connection Planning Committee will meet on Tuesday, May 8, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. in the Conference Room.

Fellowship & Recreation Commission will meet on Wednesday, May 9, 2018 at 6:00 p.m. in the Conference Room.

Pastor’s Bible Study Coming in May/June - Six Wednesdays in a row starting May 16th from 6:30-7:30 in the Mini-Fellowship Hall. We will be

studying the New Testament books of James and Jude. Registration will begin TODAY in the Narthex and Brethren Life Center Lobby.

Camp Eder Service Day: On Saturday, May 12th we will be heading to Camp Eder for a Work Day. We will be helping the staff at Camp Eder to get ready for the campers this summer. We will be meeting at the church at 7am and will be coming back at the church by 3pm. Lunch will be included and we will have a time to do a prayer walk through the campus. Youth, please fill out the permission slip and Church Members please add your name to the Sign-Up sheet in the Narthex and BLC Lobby.

Chambersburg COB Women’s Retreat May 18-19, 2018 at Camp Eder. Brochures with cost and registration information are available in the Narthex and Brethren Life Center Lobby. Deadline to register is May 1st.

“Then Sings My Soul,” Sunday, May 6, 2018 at 3:00 p.m. Chambersburg Church of the Brethren Sanctuary. Come join us for an afternoon of celebrating music that inspires the soul to sing! Featuring the musicians of the Chambersburg Church of the Brethren with selections from the hand bells, Chancel Choir, 4th Street Brass, organ/piano duets, and hymns for all to sing. Admission to the program is free. A freewill offering will be taken to support the ministries of the Salvation Army. Following the celebration of music will be a time of fellowship and refreshment.

Camp Eder Scholarships. There are a limited number of camper scholarships available through our church for Camp Eder this summer. If interested in applying, please contact the church office, and know which camp you would like to attend. Deadline to apply is June 1st.

New York City Bus Trip – Saturday, June 2, 2018. A day on your own in New York. Full bus cost is \$61 per person plus tip for bus driver (full bus is 56 people). Less than 56 people, cost will be higher. Tickets also available for The National 9/11 Memorial & Museum (2-hour tour). Payment is needed at time of sign-up to Rhonda Deshong. Sign-up sheets are available in Narthex and Brethren Life Center Lobby!

Church Board Minutes from the meeting held March 12, 2018 are posted on the bulletin board in the Narthex and BLC Lobby for anyone to view.

Church Closing Schedule – April 29 – Judy Witter

April 22, 2018
(U.B. = Unified Budget)
Worship – 177 Sunday School – 74

Senior Pastor: Joel Nogle
Director of Christian Ed and Youth: Jamie Rhodes
Director of Music: Elizabeth Thorpe
Administrative Assistant: Carol Wingert
*Sunday Worship – 8:30 AM * PERK – 10:45 AM*
*Children’s Church – 9:00 AM * Sunday School – 9:35 AM*
Office Hours 8:00 AM – 3:30 PM - Monday - Friday
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