

Our Mission

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

Worship
January 14, 2018
8:30 a.m.

Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that by testing you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect. Romans 12:2 ESV

As We Gather Together

Informal Moments

Prelude *Air* Handel/Kimball
Celebrating the Light of Christ among us

Prayer

*Praise *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise* #56
Praise the Lord, sing hallelujah Insert
fr. #50 Hymnal, A Worship Book ©1992 by Brethren Press

*Meeting and Greeting One Another – Take a moment to greet an old friend and make some new ones. Move about and include those who are less able.

Scripture Reading 1 John 2:15-17 NRSV

Anthem *Knowing You* arr. Mark T. Bovee Chancel Choir

Our Prayers

Our Ministry of Giving
Seed Thought: Dear friends, you are like foreigners and strangers in this world...Live such exemplary lives that those who do not have a faith see the good you do and will give the glory to God on the day Christ returns.

Offering

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

Offertory *I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say* arr. D. Wood

*Response *Make Me a Servant* #381

*Dedication

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

Teaching Colossians 2:6-10, 16-19;3:1-4 NRSV

Meditation *Are We Honoring God and Loving Our Neighbors If We Are Supporting a Secularism that Enables Our Self-Indulgent Nature?* Pastor Joel

*Response *Wonderful, Merciful Savior* #162
Taking the light of Christ into the world

*Benediction

*Postlude *All Glory Be to God on High* arr. T. Albrecht

Greeters Michael and Renee Preso Family
Larry and Lana Bricker

Ushers Robert Deardorff, Robert C. Rotz
Richard Shreiner and Robert Witter

Thank you to all who serve us in worship today:

Worship Leadership Lora Bucher
Bringing/Taking the Light David and Pat McCleary
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 Doug and Alisa Heinbaugh

Schedule of Events and Activities

Today, January 14

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, January 15

5:45 p.m. – Limber Ladies – MFH
6:30 p.m. – Pickleball – BLC
6:30 p.m. – Deacons Commission Meeting - CR

Tuesday, January 16

10:00 a.m. – Ladies of Strength Training – BLC

Wednesday, January 17

8:30 a.m. – Pickleball - BLC
1:00 p.m. – Puzzle & Table Games - BH
6:00 p.m. – Hand Bell Rehearsal

6:00 p.m. - Revolution
7:15 p.m. – Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Friday, January 19

8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. – Church Yard Sale – BLC

Saturday, January 20

8:00 a.m. – 12 Noon – Church Yard Sale – BLC

Please take Note

The Altar Flowers are presented to the Glory of God In Celebration of the 45th Wedding Anniversary of Jere and Debra Stouffer.

Church Board Minutes from the meeting held December 11, 2017 are posted on the bulletin board in the Narthex and BLC Lobby for anyone to view.

Jean and Nelson Wengert are requesting that if you wish to visit them, please call ahead to be sure they are available. Thank you!

Puzzle and Table Games are being held on Wednesdays in the Brethren Haus from 1:00 – 4:00 p.m. Come join the fun!

2018 Church Directory – If you have additions or corrections, please contact the church office or if you are not already included and would like to be included in the 2018 Church Directory.

2018 Flower Chart – A New Flower Chart is posted in the narthex for altar flowers for 8:30 a.m. & 10:45 a.m. worship. Altar arrangements are \$30.00.

Deacons Commission will meet on Monday, January 15, 2018 at 6:30 p.m. in the Conference Room.

Nursery School Committee will meet on Monday, January 22, 2018 at 6:30 p.m. in the Conference Room.

Helping Hand Circle Meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 23, 2018 at 6:30 p.m. in the Mini-Fellowship Hall. We will be re-organizing for the year.

Church Yard Sale 2018 – We have talked and written a lot about the yard sale but now, as they say, it's go time. The sale is January 19th and 20th. You can bring in your items Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday during church office hours; the earlier in the week the better. Place them in the Brethren Life Center along the wall beside the back parking lot. If you need help getting your things to the church, call Don Berger at 717-377-4641 to arrange transportation. Please see the church newsletter for more information about the help we need and the organizations where profits will go this year. Thank You!

“Messenger” – Subscriptions and renewals are due on or before February 11, 2018. An envelope has been placed in your mailbox if your subscription is due this year. Anyone wishing to subscribe for the first time,

envelopes are available for your convenience in the Narthex and BLC lobby. Complete the necessary information on the envelope. Make your check payable to Chambersburg Church of the Brethren - \$14.50 for one year, \$27.00 for two years and return to the church office.

“Soup”er Bowl - Missions and Service Commission will be sponsoring “Soup”er Bowl of Caring. “Soup”er Bowl Sunday is February 4th. Root for your favorite football team by placing your canned food items on your team's table in the BLC Lobby. Help us exceed our collection from last year of 253 cans for the local food pantry!! Watch the Brethren Life Center lobby area for tables to place your canned items on. All items will be delivered after Super Bowl Sunday.

S.O.N. - It's cold outside, but within our church there is a warm feeling as we collect hats, gloves/mittens and scarves for men, women and children

of all ages. During the month of January, we will continue to collect these items and give out at our February 7th Midweek evening. What a great way to warm the hearts of our neighbors!

Needed: Non-perishable food items for the Food Pantry. Place items in the barrels located in the narthex or BLC Lobby. Please check expiration dates on the items as some have been outdated. **Empty egg cartons are no longer needed. Please do not bring them to the church any longer.**

Church Closing Schedule – January – Brian Stoner;
February – Terry Gibbons

January 7, 2018
(U.B. = Unified Budget)
Worship – 151 Sunday School – 68

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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