

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

Worship
May 12, 2019
8:30 a.m.

Mother's day

Can a mother forget her nursing child? Never!
Can she feel no love for the child she has borne?
But even if that were possible, I would not forget you!
See, I have written your name on the palms of my hands. Isaiah 49:15-16 NLT

We Gather Together...

Informal Moments for Greeting and Sharing

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

Call to Worship

Leader: Lift up your hearts!
People: *We lift them up to you, Lord!*
Leader: Lord, open our eyes!
People: *If only we could see one another as you see us!*
Leader: Lord, open our lips to songs of praise!
People: *Can blessing and cursing come out of the same mouth?*
Leader: Open our minds! Make our tired spirits new again!
People: *Then we will be filled with the blessing and nature of God and this will be a day which truly is pleasing to him!*

Hymn *Open My Eyes, That I May See* #443

Prayer for the Family

Please stand if you are able.

*Praise

Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine #446
Praise, I will praise you, Lord (from the Brethren Hymnal) see insert

You may be seated.

Seed Thought

Offering

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

Offertory *Gavotte* S. Wesley

*Response *Doxology* #668

*Dedication

Anthem *Every Time I Feel the Spirit* arr. Greg Gilpin
Chancel Choir

Scripture Lesson Luke 19:1-10 The Message

Message *Sometimes I Feel Like a Motherless Child* Pastor Joel

Prayer and Benediction

*Postlude *Easter Fanfare* R. Powell

Greeters David and Joanne Meyers
Donald and Annette Lehman

Ushers Robert Deardorff, Terry Rodgers
Richard Shreiner and Robert Witter

Thank you to all who serve us in worship today:

Worship Leadership Megan and Renee Preso
Bringing/Taking the Light Ray and Linda Burkholder
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 Allen, Emily and Remy Bishop

Schedule of Events and Activities

Today, May 12

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, May 13

6:30 p.m. – Pickleball – BLC
6:30 p.m. – Church Board Meeting - CR

Tuesday, May 14

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

Wednesday, May 15

9:00 a.m. – Pickleball – BLC

6:00 p.m. – Revolution - Sanctuary

7:15 p.m. – Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, May 16

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

12 Noon – Loving Hearts at Bonanza

Please take Note

The Altar Flowers are presented to the Glory of God in Celebration of the 67th Wedding Anniversary of Raymond and June Hawbaker, given by their children and grandchildren.

The Flowers to the Front are presented to the Glory of God In Loving Memory of Sam Fitz, given by Debbie Fitz.

Be our guest! If you are with us this morning for the first time, you are a special blessing to us. We have a green bag of nice gifts and information about our ministries that we'd like to share with you. They are on the Welcome Table in our narthex or in our lobby. Please take one home with you.

Church Board will meet on Monday, May 13, 2019 at 6:30 p.m. in the Conference Room (open to church members).

Potato Ricers needed for Preschool Spaghetti Ice Day – If you have a potato ricer that Preschool can borrow for one day, please bring to the church office by May 13th. Label your potato ricer with your name.

Loving Hearts will meet on Thursday, May 16th-12:00 Lunch at Bonanza followed by Bingo. Please RSVP to Vivian or Vonnie by **May 13th**. (Vivian-717-809-0521 or Vonnie Black-717-263-3975).

Deadline for June Pastor's Pen is Sunday, May 19th. Please submit all information to the church office.

Deacons Commission will meet on Monday, May 20, 2019 at 6:30 p.m. in the Conference Room.

Smart Cookies Preschool Committee will meet on Monday, May 20, 2019 at 6:30 p.m. in the Library.

Helping Hands Circle will meet on Tuesday, May 21, 2019 at 6:30 p.m. in the Mini-Fellowship Hall. We will be knotting comforts and assembling gifts for our shut-ins.

Mid-Week Connection Planning Committee will meet on Tuesday, May 21, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. in the Conference Room.

Graduate Sunday: We will be honoring our graduates on Sunday, June 9th. We will have a special reception in the Brethren Life Center Lobby. If you wish to be recognized, please see the church office for the Graduate Information Form. All forms must be returned by Sunday, May 19th.

Help Us Serve! - The Youth here at the COB will be partnering with "The Chambersburg Project Youth Missions Trip" this July! It is a week-long local mission trip right here in town. During the week, youth from area churches renovate and repair homes for residents of Franklin County

who are unable to make the repairs themselves due to physical limitations or financial circumstances. The youth spend the week at a local school, sleeping overnight in supervised "dorms", and are served full breakfast and dinner daily. Packed lunches and snacks are provided. The teens work during the day throughout Franklin County and in the evening, they join together for devotions, guest speakers, and praise and worship. We are asking for your help! This event is \$200 per student and we would like to make it more affordable for our teens to serve. Located in the Narthex and BLC are "The Giving Wall" boards. There are envelopes ranging from \$5 - \$125 donations. If you are interested in donating, please put your donation into the correct envelop that corresponds with your contribution. After each service these donations will be collected. Each week for the next 4 weeks you will have the opportunity to help us raise the funds for us to serve here in Chambersburg! Thank you for your support!

Join us for...Vacation Bible School the week of June 10-14th from 9:00 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. Preschoolers (4 years old) thru 5th Grade. We will be learning that Life is Wild and God is Good! Registration forms are available in the Brethren Life Center Lobby at the VBS Display.

All are Invited to Our Community Pool Party on Saturday, June 15, 2019 from 8:00 p.m. until 10:00 p.m. at the Chambersburg Aquatic Center, 1 Memorial Drive, Chambersburg. Join us for a night of swimming, fun and snacks! This event is free! **In the next 3 weeks, we are asking for donations of individual-sized bags of snacks & bottles of water to give to our guests that evening.**

18th Annual Don Gordon Memorial Golf Outing, Saturday, June 8th. There will be a shotgun start at 8:30 am at Caledonia Golf Club, 9515 Golf Course Road Fayetteville, PA 17222 (Please note new location this year) The cost is \$40 per person payable that day. Lunch will be served following golf. Please sign up in the narthex.

Church Closing Schedule –May – Rick Shreiner; June – Terry Gibbons

May 5, 2019
U.B. = Unified Budget)
Worship – 196 Sunday School – 77

Senior Pastor: Joel Nogle
Minister of Music and Congregational Life: Elizabeth Thorpe
Director of Christian Ed and Youth: Jamie Rhodes
Administrative Assistant: Carol Wingert
*Sunday Worship – 8:30 AM * PERK – 10:45 AM*
Sunday School – 9:35 AM

Office Hours 8:00 AM – 3:30 PM - Monday – Friday – Lunch 12:30 – 1:00 p.m.

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