

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

Worship
August 7, 2022
8:30 a.m.

“Why did you seek me? Did you not know that I must be about My Father’s business?”

Luke 2:49 NKJV

*Dear younger me, where do I start?
If I could tell you everything that I have learned so far, then you would be one step ahead of all the painful memories still running thru my head.*

*I wonder how much different things would be?
Dear younger me.....@2014 MERCYME MUSIC*

As We Gather Together

Welcome and Informal Moments

Bro. Harold Yeager

Prelude

Amazing Grace

arr. C. Harmon

Call to Worship

An Exuberant Declaration of Faith
Psalm 27:1-6 NKJV

*Praise and Worship

Victory in Jesus (#499)

There Is Power in the Blood (#225)

Screen

Screen

Prayer

Response

Oh, How I Love Jesus (#560)

Screen

Testimony in Music

He Touched Me by Bill Gaither
Robin Hockenberry

Teaching

Luke 2:41-52 NKJV

Message

I Approve This Message

Joel Nogle

Our Prayers

*Sending

Just a Closer Walk with Thee (#473)

Screen

*Benediction

*Postlude

Toccata

arr. M. Walicke

(*All who are able, please stand.)

Thank you to all who serve us in worship today:

Organist

Pamela Wert

Music Leadership

Elizabeth Thorpe

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

Today, August 7th

Today begins our last month of combined Sunday School.

In June, we learned about the amazing gift of Hope in the Way, the Truth, and the Life. In July, we examined ourselves and how to use the tools God gave us to increase the Hope in our lives. And now, we focus on how to share that hope and love with others in a deeper, more meaningful way. Join us in the Mini-Fellowship Hall. Inspiration is waiting for you!

Childcare for infant thru 3-year-olds will be provided during our Sunday School hour and 10:45 a.m. service **only.**

Pickleball every Monday - 6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m. Come join the fun!

The Altar Vases are presented to the Glory of God in Honor of the 70th Wedding Anniversary of Donald and Louise Blattenberger on August 10, 2022 and the 32nd Wedding Anniversary of Bryan and Mary Jo Stevenson on August 11, 2022.

The Altar Flowers are presented to the Glory of God in Celebration of the 50th Wedding Anniversary of Larry and Lana Bricker, given by Alison and Adam and their Families.

Missions and Service Commission is asking for donations from the congregation for the following: The Local United Way of Franklin County is having a food fund challenge. Local businesses will match the funds raised up to \$100,000. All proceeds from United Against Hunger will stay local, benefiting local food pantries, home-delivered meals, backpack programs, fresh food distributions, food delivery to those living in food deserts, and many food-related programs. You may use the Special Offering Envelopes in the pews or mark donations for United Against Hunger and place in the offering plate. Make checks payable to Chambersburg Church of the Brethren. Donations are due TODAY.

Mid-Week Connection Planning Committee will meet on Monday, August 8, 2022 at 6:30 p.m. in the Conference Room.

The Youth Group Leadership Team will have a short preview meeting on AUGUST 9th at 5:45 p.m. to discuss the plan for the fall. If you are a volunteer for Wednesday night Youth Group, please attend!

Church Board will meet on Tuesday, August 9, 2022 at 6:30 p.m. in the Mini-Fellowship Hall (open to church members).

Stewardship Commission will meet on Thursday, August 18, 2022 at 6:30 p.m. in the Conference Room.

Deadline for September Pastor's Pen is Sunday, August 21st. Please submit all information to the church office.

Sunday, August 21st during both services we will be **BLESSING BOOKBAGS** for all our students returning to school. Please have your student bring their bookbag to the service so that we can bless their new year of learning!

The Camp Eder Golf Outing is coming up. This is a major fundraiser for Camp and was rescheduled from May to August 19. We are looking for sponsors and golfers for this event. Flyers are in the BLC lobby with more information on registering and a list of sponsorship opportunities. If you know a business that would like to be a sponsor, please ask them. And, if you're a golfer, please register.

Don't Miss the Church Picnic.....September 11th at Twin Bridges Campground! Please sign up in the Lobby or Narthex with your name, the number of persons attending and what dish you will bring. We will again play "Crazy Bingo" just like last year and a good time will be had by all! Good food and good fellowship!

A Service of Baptism will be held on Sunday, August 28, 2022 at 8:30 a.m. worship. If you've ever considered being baptized into the Body of Christ or re-baptized OR if you've thought about bringing your church membership to 4th Street, this would be a great opportunity for you and a final opportunity for me as your pastor. Please speak with me ASAP. I will be happy to meet with you, explain the biblical precedent for baptism and/or membership, and reserve your spot for the service.

Ladies of Strength Training will begin a 12-week class on Tuesday, August 30, 2022, through Thursday, November 17, 2022, from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. The class includes the use of leg and arm weights along with stretching and balancing. You will need your own weights, a towel, and a bottle of water. A fee will be collected to support church maintenance. Contact Karen Wagner for additional information: call or text 717-504-3949 or email rkwagn@comcast.net.

Saturday, August 13, 2022 is the Annual Car Show and Chicken Barbecue for The Friends of Cross Keys Village The Brethren Home Community. The car show is from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Rain or Shine. Chicken BBQ will be available from 10:30 a.m. till Sold-Out. Each dinner includes ½ chicken, baked potato, roll and applesauce. Cost is \$11 per dinner. Pre-ordering is recommended. Order online at www.crosskeysvillage.org/chicken, check the bulletin boards or contact the church office for an order form.

Summer Office Hours - Beginning on Friday, June 3rd and for each Friday thereafter our church office will close at 12 noon. Regular Friday hours will resume on Friday, September 9th.

Church Closing Schedule - August – Terry Gibbons;
September – Brian Deardorff

July 31, 2022

U.B. = Unified Budget)
Worship – 149 Sunday School - 34

Senior Pastor: Joel Nogle
Minister of Music and Congregational Life: Elizabeth Thorpe
Administrative Assistant: Carol Wingert
Director of Christian Education and Youth Ministries: Gretchen Sortzi
*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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