

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

Worship
March 24, 2024
9:30 a.m.

Palm Sunday

Anthem *Ain't No Rock Gonna Shout for Me* Chancel Choir
by J. Paul Williams and Lloyd Larson

Sermon *Faces in the Crowd* Pastor Mark

Offering Prayer

Welcome and Informal Moments

Offertory *Hosanna, Loud Hosanna* arr. L. Leatherman

Prelude *Ride On, King Jesus* arr. D. Kidwell

*Presentation of Gifts *Jesus Paid It All*

Anthem *Lift High the Palms* Chancel Choir
by Joseph M. Martin

*Pastoral Prayer

Call to Worship

*Sending *Strong, righteous man of Galilee* (insert)

*Praise *Hosanna, Loud Hosanna* (#221)
Hosanna (Praise Is Rising)

*Benediction

*Prayer *Postlude *Were You There?* arr. C. Hamlin

(*All who are able, please stand.)

Teaching Scripture Luke 19:37-42, 45-48 (NLT)

Thank you to all who serve us in worship today:
Organist Pamela Wert
Music Leadership Elizabeth Thorpe
Worship Leadership Ali Toms

Today, March 24th

Palm Sunday Worship
9:30 a.m. in the Sanctuary

(Childcare is available for infants thru age 4 in the Crib Room during the 9:30 a.m. worship service)

NO Sunday School

Immediately following Worship
LOVE FEAST AND COMMUNION
in our Brethren Life Center

Our Deacons invite all to come as we eat a simple meal together, serve one another through the washing of hands or feet, and celebrate his death and resurrection with the traditional bread and juice of holy communion.

The Love Feast will be family friendly with children, ages 5 and older welcome to participate.
***Childcare for younger children will be provided.**

The Palms on the Altar are available after the service for children to take or for anyone who would like one.

The Altar Flowers are presented to the Glory of God in Honor of V. Darlene Kelso's Birthday, given by her Children.

The Rose Vase to the front is presented to the Glory of God in Celebration of Dorothy Blough's 102nd Birthday on March 30th, given by her Family.

Deadline for April Pastor's Pen is TODAY. Please submit all information to the church office.

Missions and Service Commission is conducting an Easter Food Drive today. The drive will be for Easter dinner related non-perishable items. Items needed include canned hams, Stove Top stuffing, scalloped or au gratin potatoes, granola bars, single pudding cups, single fruit cups, cake and brownie mixes. All donations will be taken to SCCAP following the collection. Items will be collected in the Brethren Life Center Lobby.

Calling all Men....interested in singing in a male choir? Contact Robin Faust-Hambright at 717-860-4721 and let her know your interest.

Please Take Note.... Plasterer's Florist is closing at the end of March. We have contracted with Everlasting Love Florist to provide our altar flowers. The cost of an altar arrangement will cost \$45.00.

Smart Cookies Preschool Committee will meet on Monday, March 25, 2024, at 3:30 p.m. in the Conference Room.

Worship and Music Commission will meet on Tuesday, March 26, 2024, at 6:30 p.m. via Zoom.

Thank you to everyone who supported our Gertrude Hawk Candy fundraiser. We raised \$576.90 for our Smart Cookies program. Orders can be picked up TODAY in the Library. Please check your orders and contact Mimi Kelly at 717-816-4384 ASAP if you have any issues with your order. ---**The Smart Cookies Preschool Committee**

The Church Office will be closed on Monday, April 1, 2024, in observance of Easter Monday.

Mid-Week to Go.....plan to join us on Wednesday, April 3rd between 5:30 p.m. - 6:15 p.m. for a meal delivered to your car! First come-first served basis.

We currently have a vacancy for Assistant Preschool Teacher for the Smart Cookies program starting this fall. Send resumes to 4th Street Church of the Brethren, 260 South Fourth Street, Chambersburg, PA 17201.

We currently have an open position for a Director of Youth Ministries. For more information and/or to apply visit the church website: www.chambcob.org or Facebook page.

The Annual Commemorative YMCA Good Friday program, titled “*The Suffering Servant*” will be held on Friday, March 29, 2024, beginning at 8:00 a.m. at Menno Haven Life Center Event Center, 300 Ridgeview, Chambersburg. No cost for the program. Breakfast may be purchased at the Menno Haven Grill or Café.

The United Churches of Chambersburg invites you to Easter Sunrise Service. The service will be held at John Wesley AME Zion Church, 155 West Catherine Street, Chambersburg, PA on Easter Sunday March 31, 2024, at 6:30 am. Plan to attend before our Easter Worship at 9:30 a.m. in the Sanctuary.

Men’s Outdoorsman Day – Co-sponsored by Camp Eder & SO PA District Nurture Commission will be held Saturday, April 6, 2024 at Camp Eder beginning at 8:30 a.m. until 3:00 pm. It will be a day filled with devotional time, clay shooting and fishing. To register, contact Camp Eder at 717-642-8256 or campeder.org/registration.

Table Games are held every Wednesday in the Brethren Haus from 1-4. All are welcome for this fellowship. We decide what to play once gathered. If you wish you may bring a game. Snacks are welcome, but not necessary.

Southern PA District Women’s Spring Luncheon will be held on Saturday, April 20, 2024, at West Shore Church of the Brethren, 6921 Wertzville Road, Enola, PA beginning at 9:00 a.m. Speaker is Kirsten Keys, Public Relations Coordinator for the Harrisburg City School District. The cost is \$10 per person. Brochures with registration forms are available in the Brethren Life Center Lobby area and Narthex. Deadline for reservations to the District is April 13th.

Free Food Handler Class, sponsored by the Brough of Chambersburg will be held on Monday, April 15, 2024, from 9:00 -11:00 a.m. or Tuesday, April 23, 2024, 7:00-9:30 p.m. It will be held at the Borough of Chambersburg Community Room, 100 S. Second St. The purpose of this class is to offer food safety information and training for volunteers, to be provided by staff from the Borough of Chambersburg’s Retail Food Facility Licensing Program. Please contact the church office if you are interested in attending.

Needed: Non-perishable food items for the Food Pantry. Place items in the barrel located in the Brethren Life Center Lobby. Please check expiration dates on the items as some have been outdated.

Church Closing Schedule – March – Don Lehman;
April – Luke Preso

To give online, please scan



March 17, 2024

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Unified Budget Needed to Date	\$ 91,654.78
Actual Income through 2/29/24	\$ 58,918.94
Actual Expenses through 2/29/24	\$ 62,074.07
Net as of 2/29/24	\$ -3,155.13

Senior Pastor: Mark Baliles
Pastor of Music and Spiritual Formation: Elizabeth Thorpe
Administrative Assistant: Carol Wingert
Sunday Worship – 9:30 AM - Sunday School – 10:30 AM
Office Hours 8:00 AM – 3:30 PM - Monday – Thursday– Lunch 12:30 – 1:00 p.m.
Friday – 8:00 a.m. until 12 Noon
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