

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

Worship
April 19, 2026
9:30 a.m.

Welcome and Informal Moments

Prelude *And Can It Be* arr. C. Hamlin

Call to Worship Sean Scott

Lamentations 3:22-23, Matthew 6:31-33 (NIV)

One: Because of the Lord's great love we are not consumed, for his compassions never fail.

All: They are new every morning; great is your faithfulness.

One: So do not worry, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?' For ... your heavenly Father knows that you need them.

All: But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.

*Hymn *Great Is Thy Faithfulness* (#96)

*Prayer

Anthem *Because He Lives* Chancel Choir
G. Gaither & W. Gaither/arr. J. Schrader

Offering Prayer

Offertory *Jesus Shall Reign* arr. R. Lau

*Sung Response to Offering

His Eye Is on the Sparrow (#93) vs. 1, 2

Pastoral Prayer

Teaching Scripture Philippians 1:1-6, 9-11, 27 (NLT)

Sermon *"Who Will Move the Stone?" – Facing an Unknown Future* Pastor Mark

*Sending *God of Grace and God of Glory* (#115) vs. 1, 3

*Benediction

Church Board Information Session

(*All who are able, please stand.)

Thank you to all who serve us in worship today:
Worship Leadership Sean Scott

Today, April 19th

Childcare is available for infants through Kindergarten during the 9:30 a.m. worship service, as well as during the Sunday School hour. Nursery/Toddlers (age 0-2) are in the crib room off the Narthex. Pre-school/Kindergarten (age 3-5) are in room #6 on the lower level.

Contemporary Worship Service TODAY at 10:45am! "Coffee Corner" will be open 15 minutes prior to that time for fellowship and light refreshment. If you do not attend Sunday School, come join us at 10:45 am in the Brethren Life Center.

Children's Church Today and every Sunday - 9:50 AM-10:30 AM & 10:35 – 11:45 AM. Grades 1st through 8th. Join Jessica Madden, Youth Director, as she leads the Children's Church! Children will be dismissed from the sanctuary before the offering.

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

The Altar Flowers are presented to the Glory of God In Loving Memory of Robert Valentine for his Birthday on April 23rd, given by Janice Valentine.

Women's Bible Study meets each Tuesday morning at 10:00 a.m. downstairs in Sunday School Room 7. We are studying the Book of Ephesians.

Smart Cookies Preschool Committee will meet on Tuesday, April 21, 2026, at 3:00 p.m. in the Conference Room.

The Church Board will meet on Tuesday, April 21, 2026, at 6:30 p.m. in the Conference Room. All church members are welcome to attend. If you have an agenda item for the Board, please contact Marsha Smith one week prior to the meeting.

Table Games are held each week on Wednesdays from 1 to 4PM in the Brethren Haus. YOU are invited to join us. Games played vary but are chosen once we meet. We are always willing to learn a new one if you bring it. Snacks are welcome, but not necessary.

The next 4th Street Kids programming (grades 1-5) will be held Wednesday, April 22nd (not the 3rd Wednesday this month) from 5:30 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. - Students in grades 1-5 are invited to join us for a meal in the BLC, followed by a Bible lesson, activities, and games in the Brethren Haus. See Pastor Mark or Reba if you have questions or interest in helping.

4th Street Youth Group – Wednesday, April 22nd from 5:30 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. Join us for an evening of service as part of Earth Day. Youth will be pulling weeds, picking up trash around the church, and more. Community service hours are available. Contact Jessica Madden for more information.

Church Board Minutes from the meeting held March 24, 2026, are posted on the bulletin board in the Narthex and Brethren Life Center Lobby for anyone to view.

Missions and Service Commission will meet on Sunday, April 26, 2026, at 10:40 a.m. in the Library.

Worship and Music Commission will meet on Tuesday, April 28, 2026 at 7:00 p.m. via Zoom.

Deacons Commission will meet on Tuesday, May 5, 2026, at 6:30 p.m. in the Mini-Fellowship Hall.

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

IMPACT PROJECT: TEACHER BLESSING BASKET – Please help us fill a basket for the teachers/staff at Andrew Buchanan by bringing donations of individually wrapped salty snacks (crackers, chips, pretzels, popcorn), bars, cookies and treats over the next two weeks and placing them in the box labelled for this purpose located in the Brethren Life Center Lobby. They will be delivered along with drinks to stock the fridge in the teachers’ lounge the first week of May which is Teacher Appreciation Week. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Carol Van Horn. Thank you for your anticipated support.

A Special Council Meeting of The Chambersburg Congregation Church of the Brethren will be held on Sunday, May 17, 2026, in the sanctuary following worship. There will be no Sunday School or Contemporary Worship.

The Church has secured group rate tickets for Totem Pole Playhouse on Thursday, June 25, 2026, at 2:00 p.m. for the production of *Come From Away*. Cost is \$45 per person. Payment is due at time of sign-up, payable to Chambersburg Church of the Brethren. Sign-up sheet is in the Brethren Life Center lobby.

Pre-Service Hymn Singing - The second Sunday of each month at 9:15 am. Come ready to request your favorite hymn or contact Robin with your request earlier in the week.

Additional volunteers are needed for our Pre-school/Kindergarten (age 3-5) Sunday morning childcare. If you can help once a month or even once a quarter, please contact Reba Baliles.

We have great news! Chambersburg Church of the Brethren will be hosting a Life Line Screening event on Monday, May 4, 2026 in the Brethren Life Center. Life Line Screening is the premier provider of stroke and cardiovascular disease risk screenings since 1993. Life Line Screening is extending a discounted offer to all Chambersburg Church of the Brethren members. Pre-registration is required. Sign up now by calling toll free 1-800-324-9458. The church office has a few Complimentary Screening Packages available. Please contact Carol in the church office (717-264-6957) if you are interested.

Church Closing Schedule - April – Don Lehman; May – Luke Preso

To give online, please scan



April 12, 2026

Worship – 98 Sunday School - 42

Unified Budget Needed to Date	\$137,726.07
Actual Income through 3/31/26	\$156,745.67
Actual Expenses through 3/31/26	\$131,739.87
Net as of 3/31/26	\$ 25,005.80

Senior Pastor: Mark Baliles
Administrative Assistant: Carol Wingert
Director of Youth Ministry: Jessica Madden
Director of Music and Organist – Pamela Wert
Traditional Worship – 9:30 AM – Contemporary Worship – 10:45 AM
Sunday School – 10:35 AM
Children’s Church - 9:30 AM-10:30 AM & 10:35AM – 11:45 AM.
Office Hours 8:00 AM – 3:30 PM - Monday – Thursday
Friday – 8:00 AM – 12 Noon - Lunch 12:30 – 1:00 p.m.
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