

**The First Church of the Brethren
Roaring Spring, PA
May 26, 2019**

“My peace I give you,” says Jesus. “ ... Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid” (John 14:27, NIV). As we enter into worship, I invite you to share the peace of Christ with one another.

Prelude *Battle Hymn of the Republic* Steffe/Wilson

Welcome, Announcements and *Greeting

Enter the Light of Christ

Spirit of the Living God Chancel Choir

Call to Worship Psalm 100 Linda Steele

Leader: Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the lands!

Serve the LORD with gladness!

Come into his presence with singing!

Know that the LORD is God!

It is he that made us, and we are his;

we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.

ALL: Enter his gates with thanksgiving,

and his courts with praise!

Give thanks to him, bless his name!

For the LORD is good;

his steadfast love endures for ever,

and his faithfulness to all generations.

Invocation

Anthem *Magnify* Arr. Barker

Children's Story Rufus Petre

(Children ages Pre-K through 5th Grade are invited to attend

Children's Church in the stage area of the Fellowship Hall.)

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Memorial Day Remembrance

Call to Prayer *Hear Our Prayer O Lord* Chancel Choir

Congregational Prayer

Favorite Hymns of the Chancel Choir

Offertory Thought

Offertory *Sortie on “National Hymn”* Warren/Smith

New Doxology

Offertory Prayer

Anthem *Lamb Of God* Paris/Rhodes

Scripture:

Sermon:

*Hymn # 143 v. 1, 2, 6 *Amazing Grace*

*Benediction

*Choral Response *Now Unto Him* Burgess

*Postlude *The Light From on High* Paxton

*Those who are able are invited to stand.

Bold print indicates congregational response

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please include in your prayers: Gladys Dodson, Russell Johnson, Carl Hoover, Paul Longenecker, Patrick Dennis, Barbara Roush, Brad & Joy Smith.

Please sign the Attendance Register during the offering. Visitors are encouraged to share their address. Members and regular attenders can note change of address or phone number.

Please remember to close both doors of the elevator upon exiting, or someone on another floor cannot call for it.

Our Relay for Life Team is selling chances on a quilt, \$2 each or 3 for \$5. The quilt was made and donated by Anna Jewell, Sandy Norris's mother. See Janet Imes for tickets in the Overflow Room.

Middle PA Disaster Response Fundraiser Dinner - Turkey & Waffles on June 8th from 4-7 pm at First Church. Tickets are available from Janet Imes and Terry Hershberger for a donation of \$10 for adults and \$5 for ages 5-12.

	Serving Today	Serving next week
Audio	John Coates	Travis Wagner
Candlelighter	Men's Fellowship	
Organist	Cathy Petre	Darlene Wyland
Pianist	Marcia Fleck	Brenda Fluke Garber
Storyteller	Rufus Petre	Bethann Frederick
Nursery	Emma & Mitchell Frederick	
Welcome Center	Arlene Beers	Jane Brumbaugh
Worship Leader	Linda Steele	Pete & Carol Imler
Children's Church	Mindy Wagner Deb Delozier	
Parking Lot Greeters		Dave Imes
Greeters		
Rear Door	Harry and Randy Keith	Guy & Nancy Forshey
Front Door	Ethel Burket	Nancy Musselman
Deacon Greeters	Kaye Russell	Mark & Betsy Garach
Head Ushers: Pat Frazier, Dave Brumbaugh, Earl Bryson		
Chancel Choir Accompanist: Cathy Petre		

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Living out our Faith

Vision Being the hands and feet of Jesus,
serving with open minds and hearts.

Mission We exist to be a community of welcome
and worship where people find peace,
purpose, and power through Jesus Christ.

Friday is the deadline! Scholarship applications for those continuing their education are available at the Welcome Center. Return completed applications to the office.

Today is the last day to RSVP to Valerie Smith if graduates and their families will be attending the Graduate Breakfast.

A sign-up sheet can be found at the welcome center for the church picnic at Canoe Creek on June 9th. Hot dogs/rolls/drinks will be provided. Please bring covered dish to share.

Camp Blue Diamond is having a **Hoss's** fundraiser **Sunday June 9th**. There are "coupons" at the Welcome Center or use the one that will be in the bulletin the next 2 weeks. Group # 117442.

Pittsburgh Pirates Bus Trip – We will be heading to a day game this year. The cost is \$73 per person. Mark July 25th on your calendar. More details as they are confirmed.

The Youth Groups are selling a \$13.00 coupon for DRAGON'S DEN which you can use one of four ways - any large PIZZA, any 2 - 12" SUBS, any 2 STROMBOLI'S or any 2 SALADS. There is a sign-up sheet at the Welcome Center to order coupons. Each youth member is asked to sell 5 coupons by taking orders. Please contact The Garber's with any questions.

A brief **Congregational Forum** will be held **June 9th** in the fellowship hall during the discussion time of our Second Sunday Fellowship. The main business item will be a proposed constitutional change to the way the slates prepared by the Discernment Team and Leadership Team are presented in the fall. The change will update it to bring it into line with our current discernment process and streamline the affirmation process.

Just Older Youth - **J OY** will gather at Slick's for lunch at noon on Sunday, June 23rd. Mark your calendar!

Hearing devices are available from the Ushers. Please return to the Narthex at the end of the service.

Stewardship Report 05/19/2019

Worship Attendance	141	Sunday School	81
Worship Offering	\$ 4,692.00	Sunday School Offering	\$ 67.05

May 26 - June 2, 2019

Today	9:25 am	Worship
	10:45 am	Sunday School
Monday		Memorial Day – Office Closed
Tuesday	9:30 am	Bible Study
	6:30 pm	Leadership Team Meeting
Wednesday	9 am	Ladies Aid Quilting
	1 pm	Prayer Shawl Ministry in Parlor
Thursday	9 am	Bulletin Announcement Deadline
	9 am	Breakfast at Spring House Grille
	6:15 pm	Exercise group
	6:30 pm	Knitting Group in Parlor
Sunday	8:30 am	Graduate Breakfast
	9:25 am	Worship
	10:45 am	Sunday School



2019 Vacation Bible School
July 8-12
 at Shawnee
 Ages 2 years through 5th grade
 6 – 8:30 pm

Register before June 23rd to receive a sheriff's badge. Forms can be found and returned to the Welcome Center.

Items Needs: regular sized tin cans, rick-rack, yarn, buttons, fabric scraps, tissue paper, empty soda cans, old sheets.



June 2	Graduate Breakfast
June 8	Middle PA Disaster Dinner Fundraiser
June 9	Church Picnic at Canoe Creek CBD Hoss's fundraiser
June 23	J O Y to Slick's for Lunch
June 30	Family Ministry 5 th Sunday Luncheon

