

First Church of the Brethren Roaring Spring, PA October 23, 2022

Lifted by the hand of Jesus, wrapped in divine love and empowered by the Holy Spirit, let us worship!

Prelude

Welcome, Announcements & Greeting

Enter the Light of Christ *Spirit of Life*

Call to Worship

One: God has called our daughters and sons to gather,
old and young alike

All: We are here to answer God's call.

One: Let us rejoice in the many gifts God has provided

All: We are here to praise God's goodness.

One: Let us worship and praise God with all our might.

Hymn # 311 vs.1,2,4 *The Church's One Foundation*

Children's Story Bethann Frederick
*(Children ages Pre-K through 5th Grade are invited to attend
Children's Church in room 201.)*

Chancel Choir Anthem *Filled With the Glory*

Sharing of Joys & Concerns
Congregational Prayer

Praise Through Video *Thy Word*

Scripture Luke 18:9-14

Sermon Rev. Dr. Dave Crumrine

Do What I Say, Not What I Do

Offertory Thought
Organ Offertory
*Doxology
*Offertory Prayer

*Hymn # 306 *In Christ There is No East or West*

*Benediction

*Organ Postlude

*Those who are able are invited to stand.
Bold indicates congregational response.

The bulletins are given in loving memory of Ron Snyder by his sister Krista Snyder.

The Christian Life Candle is lit in honor of the birth of Rocco Rufus Richards on October 17, 2022, son of Jacob & Alexis (Petre) Richards, great grandson of Rufus & Cathy Petre.

Some parts of this service were adopted from The Abingdon Worship Annual.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please include in your prayers: Dan Hershberger, Barbara Roush, Bill Grubb, Fred Beers, John Coates, Dorothy Holsinger, J M Thompson, Tom Sell, Gertie Johnson, Dave Albright, Eric Thompson, Jim Bassler, Shirley Smith, first responders, those affected by natural disasters and those grieving.

Please sign the Friendship Attendance Register located at the end of each pew. We encourage members and regular attenders to include any **changes** to address, email or telephone numbers.



We will be having soups at our 5th Sunday Fellowship Meal on October 30th. Please sign up at the Welcome Center if you are willing to bring a soup or other suggested items. Drinks provided.

Ham and Swiss sandwiches that were ordered from the fundraiser for the Village at Morrisons Cove can be picked up on Thursday, October 27 - at the Welcome Center between 9:00 - 11:00 am. Contact Darlene Wyland with any questions.

	Serving Today	Serving Next Sunday
Candlelighter	Deacons	Deacons
Organist	Barb Wineland	Cathy Petre
Pianist	Cathy Neal	Terry Hershberger
Storyteller	Bethann Frederick	Sandy Norris
Children's Church	MaryAnn Meetze	Amy Nooyen
Welcome Center	Darlene Wyland	Darlene Wyland
Worship Leader		Kaye Russell
Nursery	Open 9 am -11:45 am	Open 9 am -11:45 am
Greeters	Sandy Burket & Bobbi Beers	Sandy Burket & Bobbi Beers
Deacon Greeters	Don Bookhammer	Don Bookhammer
Parking Lot Greeters	Guy Forshey	Don Bookhammer
Head Ushers: Pat Frazier, Dave Brumbaugh, J D Barry		
Chancel Choir Accompanist: Cathy Petre		
Minister: Rev. Dr. David A. Crumrine		



Trunk or Treat is an activity we are holding in our parking lot from 6 – 8 pm, Thursday, October 27th for the community trick or treat night. Please sign up to participate by either donating candy or having your own “trunk” and handing out candy. Mindy Wagner would be happy to answer any questions.

A Fall Bash will be held for children in 5th grade and under on Wednesday, November 23rd. A sign-up sheet will be available at the Welcome Center (for planning purposes) soon. Kids will want to join us for food, fun, crafts and games!

The Women's Fellowship, also known as the quilting ladies, invite you go join them as they fellowship and quilt on Wednesday mornings from about 9 am to 11 or noon. No experience required.

You can access our Facebook page from our website. Many changes have occurred so please be patient as we navigate these changes and do our best to promote our activities and events.

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.

Stewardship Report 10/16/2022

Worship Attendance 99 Sunday School
 Worship Offering \$ Sunday School Offering \$



For those 65 and older
 Sunday, November 6th after Sunday School
 Sign up sheet at the welcome center no later than 10/30/22

Roaring Spring First Church of The Brethren is doing a website refresh. We ask every group to write new or updated text for the website. Some programs lack proper exposure in promoting programs that we have to offer our church and our community.

We ask every group from Recharge, Sr Youth, 5th Quarter, Mentor Mentee program, MUM's, JOY, Choir, Women's Fellowship, and many, many more to do a written program summary and find program pictures. Please send all material to the Church Office via email at churchoffice@rsfirstchurch.org. Please send this in as soon as you can.

We are excited about promoting all the good will our church is doing in a way that can easily reach all those who might be interested in attending Roaring Spring First Church Of The Brethren.



HYMN SING IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20TH

6:30 PM

Christmas music will in included.
Light refreshments will be available

October 23 - 30, 2022

Today	9:25 am	Worship
	10:45 am	Sunday School
Tuesday	9:30 am	Bible Study
Wednesday	9 am	Ladies Aid Quilting
	1 pm	Prayer Shawl Ministry in Parlor
	5:45 pm	ReCharge!
	6:15 pm	Virtual Bible Study
	6:30 pm	Chancel Choir Practice
Thursday	9 am	Bulletin Announcement Deadline
	9 am	Breakfast Fellowship/Spring House
	5 pm	Set Up Trunk or Treat
	6-8 pm	Trunk or Treat
	6:30 pm	Knitting group in Parlor
Friday	9 pm	5 th Quarter
Sunday	9:25 am	Worship
	10:45 am	Sunday School
	11:45 am	5 th Sunday Fellowship Meal

2022- 2023 Sunday School

Pre-k	Sharon Hammel and Pat Dick
Grades 1-2	Julie Dick
Grades 3-5	Mindy Wagner
Jr & Sr high	Travis Wagner/Dave Crumrine
Generation Hope	Betsy Garach and Becky Bianconi
Genesis	Dave Crumrine
Mr. and Mrs.	Terry Hershberger
Alpha class	Sandy Norris and Pattie Conlon

Calling of Deacons

The Church of the Brethren considers Deacons to be a set-apart ministry, whereby the congregation recognizing the gifts of specific individuals invites them to a position of spiritual leadership. The term of office for Deacons in the First Church of the Brethren, Roaring Spring is for a period of ten years.

The names on the Deacon Call Ballot come from a list that was compiled from an Open Ballot by the congregation, nominating persons for the office of Deacon. Since these names come from a congregational calling process, no names will be removed from the presented list at this time.

Today you are asked to select from the presented list those whom you believe could serve the congregation as Deacons.

There is no specific number you must select.

The names have been arranged alphabetically.

Those persons who receive 51% or more affirmations will be contacted and asked to serve. Those accepting the call of the congregation will be announced to the congregation and properly installed as Deacons.

Deacon Calling

After prayerful consideration, I affirm the following persons to serve as Deacons.

Choose as many as you wish.

_____ Mike & Becky Bianconi

_____ Dave & Valerie Smith

_____ Paul & Julie Witkovsky