

**The First Church of the Brethren
Roaring Spring, PA
November 8, 2020**

Friends in Christ, it's a joy to be with you today for worship!
Please welcome one another with a sign of Christ's peace.

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Enter the Light of Christ

Hymn # 349

Spirit of the Living God

Call to Worship

One: Our ancestors have led us here.

All: We have benefited from their faith and we now witness to it.

One: Wisdom shows us the blessings that come from faith.

All: The choice to follow God lies behind us AND before us. We have decided to follow Jesus.

*Hymn

I Have Decided to Follow Jesus

Children's Story

Dave Crumrine

(Children ages Pre-K through 5th Grade are invited to attend Children's Church in the stage area of the Fellowship Hall.)

Hymn # 389 vs. 1,2,5

Take My Life

Joys & Prayer Requests

Congregational Prayer

Offering Presentation

New Doxology

Sermon

If you come to a fork in the road.....

*Hymn # 402

Christian Let Your Burning Light

Benediction

Postlude

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

The Christian Life Candle is lit in memory of Russell Johnson who went home to his Lord and Savior on November 1, 2020.

The bulletins are given in memory of Alfred Hoover by daughter Linda Steele.

Please include in your prayers: Eugene McKinney, Dorothy Holsinger, Jodi Pheasant, John Coates, Carl Hoover, Barbara Roush, Tom Sell, Kay Lingenfelter, Greg Smith, Lynea Davis, George Hershberger, Doug Detwiler, Stephen Grubb, Sandy Norris, Bob & Darlene Ash, Rufus Petre, family of Russell Johnson, essential workers and first responders.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please notify Pastor Dave if you or someone living in your household have been in contact with a person who tested positive for Covid-19.

We strongly encourage you to wear your mask and keep it on during the service. If you are not feeling well, please watch the live stream of the service on our Facebook page or our website. A DVD or CD of the service is available upon request.



A Blue Christmas Worship Service will be held at 2 pm on Sunday, November 15th. It is designed for those suffering a loss, to give comfort and peace as we head into the holiday season.

Our **Fall Forum** will be held following worship on November 15, 2020. All members are asked to attend. Packets including reports and the proposed 2021 Budget are available at the Welcome Center.

The Junior Youth will gather in the Fellowship Hall on Sunday, November 15th, from 6:30 to 8 pm. Fun and games along with light refreshments will be provided.

Hanging of the Greens is on November 22nd.

If you are in need of a kitchen table and 4 chairs, please contact Rom and Darlene Eicher.

Advent Books will be available for each family in the Overflow Room in the next couple weeks. We opted to use up the extra books from previous years instead of purchasing new ones. 2020 Devotionals can be ordered for \$4 each plus shipping from Brethren Press.

Memorial Church of the Brethren is having a fundraiser for National Junior Youth Conference on November 14th from 1 – 5 pm. TM Photography is offering mini sessions of 15 minutes for \$50. Contact Taylor at 814.515.0063 to schedule your session.

Virtual Heritage Fair Update

To date you have donated \$20,080.00 towards the ministries of Middle PA District & Camp Blue Diamond. We are \$4,920.00 away from our goal of \$25,000.00! If you would like to donate, please send to Middle PA District (Memo: Heritage Fair), 1113 Mount Vernon Ave. Huntingdon, PA 16652.

November 8 - 15, 2020

Sunday	9:30 am	Worship
	10:30 am	Sunday School
Monday	6:30 pm	Deacon Executive Meeting
	7 pm	Middle PA Disaster Response
Tuesday	9:30 am	Bible Study in Alpha Classroom
	7 pm	Good Grief
Wednesday		Office Closed
	9 am	Ladies Aid Quilting
	1 pm	Prayer Shawl Ministry in Parlor
	6:30 pm	Virtual Bible Study
Thursday	9 am	Bulletin Announcement Deadline
	9 am	Breakfast Fellowship
	6:30 pm	Knitting in Parlor
Sunday	9:30 am	Worship
	10:30 am	Sunday School
	10:45 am	Fall Forum
	11:30 am	Deacon Prayer
	12 pm	Deacon Meeting
	2 pm	Blue Christmas Service
	6:30-8 pm	Jr Youth Gathering

Stewardship Report 11/01/2020

Offering	\$ 4,090.00	Sunday School Offering	\$ 46.00
Worship Attendance	85	Sunday School Attendance	31

	Serving Today	Next Sunday
Candlelighter	Sr High Youth	Sr High Youth
Organist	Barb Wineland	Barb Wineland
Pianist	Cathy Neal	Brenda Fluke-Garber
Storyteller	Pastor Dave	Gary Wineland
Nursery	Not open	Not open
Welcome Center	Carol Emerick	Willow Miller
Worship Leader		
Children's Church		
Rear Door Greeters	Pete & Carol Imler	Pete & Carol Imler
Deacon Greeters	Mark & Betsy Garach	Mark & Betsy Garach
Head Ushers: Pat Frazier, Dave Brumbaugh, Earl Bryson		
Chancel Choir Accompanist: Cathy Petre		

Virtual Bible Study 6:30 pm Wednesdays. Please follow these instructions. The link will be the same each week.

If you have a computer, please click the link below.

<https://zoom.us/j/837184785>

If you do not have a computer, or encounter problems with the above link, and would like to participate in the discussion, please call the number below and follow the prompts.

Phone: 312-626-6799

Meeting ID: 837 184 785

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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.