



**The First Church of the Brethren  
Roaring Spring, PA  
November 25, 2018**

What a blessing that in Christ,  
we can approach God's throne in confidence and find grace.

Prelude *All the Way My Savior Leads Me* Robert Lowry

Welcome, Announcements and \*Greeting

Enter the Light of Christ

\*Call To Worship Bethann Frederick and Jake Yingling  
Leader: We come together to worship.

**People: In a spirit of love, and with the hope of  
transformation**

Leader: God, you loved us first,

**People: so that we could be your hands and feet.**

Leader: Transform our hearts

**People: so that we may have the strength and grace to  
love all.**

**All: Amen**

From: Emily Tyler, Church of the Brethren Service Sunday Resources

\*Invocation

\*Hymn # 393 *A Charge to Keep*

Children's Story Betsy Garach

Anthem *Jesus* Arr. Kingsmore

Sharing of Joys and Concerns  
Congregational Prayer

Hymn # 416 *For Christ and the Church*

Offertory Thought  
Offertory *God Be Merciful* Donald Callender

\*Doxology

\*Offertory Prayer

Scripture Matthew 25:34-40

Sermon **Be Very Servicefull**

\*Hymn # 307 *Will You Let Me Be Your Servant*

\*Benediction

\*Postlude *Savior Again* Hopkins

\*Those who are able are invited to stand.

**Bold print indicates congregational response**

The Altar Flowers are given in loving memory of Brielle Harmon by her family.

The bulletins are given in memory of Janet Reasy by her family.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**A congregational forum** will be held on Sunday December 2 immediately following service. The forum will include the 2019 slate being presented, 2019 Budget Vote, and a vote to start raising funds for a Capital Campaign. Please contact Finance & Facility team chair, Bryce Nooyen at 717.979.6800 or [bryce@nooyen.us](mailto:bryce@nooyen.us) with any questions.

Budgets are available in the welcome center

Potential Projects for Capital Campaign: (all costs are educated estimates, and not actual quotes)

- Projector and screen(2019)(\$15,000-\$20,000)
- Roof(2020)(\$120,000-\$140,000)
- Sound System(2022)(\$20,000-30,000)
- Water Softener(2023) (\$7,000-\$15,000)
- Electrical Wiring(2024)(\$40,000-\$80,000)
- Boiler (2025)(\$20,000-\$40,000)
- Replace stained plexiglass over stained glass windows(2026)(\$15,000-\$30,000)
- Other? Please make suggestions for projects you would like to see included.

	Serving Today	Serving next week
Audio	Travis Russell	Travis Russell
Acolyte		Mentoring Team
Organist	Darlene Wyland	Cathy Petre
Pianist	Marcia Fleck	Marcia Fleck
Storyteller	Betsy Garach	Linda Steele
Nursery		Pat Dick, Signe Dellinger
Welcome Center	Arlene Beers	Jane Brumbaugh
Worship Leader	Bethann Frederick	Worship Team
Parking Lot Greeters	Earl Bryson Matt May	Paul Witkovsky Dave Imes
Greeters		
Rear Door	Janis & Dave Loucks	Maureen & Doug Detwiler
Front Door		Rufus Petre
Deacon Greeters	Gary & Jane Thompson	Mitch & Bethann Frederick
Head Ushers: Pat Frazier, Dave Brumbaugh, Earl Bryson		
Chancel Choir Accompanist: Cathy Petre		

**Please include in your prayers:** Carl Hoover, Russell Johnson, Paul Longenecker, Gladys Dodson, Matt Price (deployed), Tommy & Sandy Smith, Patrick Dennis, Rick McCoy, Barbara Roush, Linda Steele, Brenda Yingling, John Flamish and Erika Smith.

Any two-year-old through fifth grader is invited to participate in the upcoming **children's Christmas program on** December 16th. The program will be held during the morning worship service. If your child would like to participate, please contact Sandy Norris at 224-2860 by December 2nd. If interested in participating, please indicate if your child would like a speaking or non-speaking part. Practices are scheduled to be held on 12/8 and 12/15 from 10:00 am- 11:30 am.

**A Hoss's Fundraiser** is being held at the Duncansville location on December 2<sup>nd</sup> to benefit the youth, to replenish the NYC fund. Please show this when placing your order. Group #104713.

**We will be providing a dozen cookies**, one for each child from the Angel Tree located at the Roaring Spring True Value. Please sign up with how many dozen cookies you can provide at the Welcome Center. We need approximately 90-100 dozen.

**Please sign the Attendance Register** during the offering. Visitors are encouraged to share their address.

<b>Sunday School Classes</b>			
<b>10:45 am – 11:30 am</b>			
Class	Room	Class	Room
Nursery	202	Generation Hope	405
Pre-k – 2 <sup>nd</sup> Gr	201	Genesis	406
3 <sup>rd</sup> -5 <sup>th</sup> Grade	506	Alpha	402
Jr High	504	Mr & Mrs	301
Sr High	502		

### 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.

**November 25 - December 2, 2018**

Today	9 am	Mentoring Team Pictures
	9:25 am	Worship
	10:45 am	Sunday School
Tuesday	9:30 am	Bible Study
	6:30 pm	Leadership Team
Wednesday	9 am	Ladies Aid Quilting
	1 pm	Prayer Shawl Ministry in Parlor
	6 pm	Sr Youth Gathering
	6 pm	Venture Club
Thursday	6:30 pm	Chancel Choir Practice
	<b>9 am</b>	<b>Bulletin Announcement Deadline</b>
	9 am	Breakfast at Spring House Grille
Sunday	6:30 pm	Knitting Group in Parlor
		Hoss's Fundraiser
	9:25 am	Worship / Hanging of the Greens
	10:30 am	Congregational Forum
	10:45 am	Sunday School

**SENIOR YOUTH NEWS**

Wednesday Night Bible Study will continue on December 5 (we're helping Venture Club with Christmas cookies) and December 12 with The Garber's.

We are playing an activity for December - watch and listen for details.

We will be putting together Fruit Baskets and Home Bag on Friday, December 14th.

Looking Ahead:

Bible Study will start again January 9.  
 Sunday, February 3 is SOUPER BOWL SUNDAY  
 Volleyball will start Sunday February 10  
 Volleyball Tournament is Saturday, March 16

**Stewardship Report 11/18/2018**

Worship Attendance	140	Sunday School	78
Worship Offering	\$4,419.00	Sunday School Offering	\$51.25



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