
MYERSTOWN CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

51 West Stoever Ave., Myerstown, PA 17067

7 Since the days of our fathers to this day we have been very guilty, and for our iniquities we, our kings, and our priests have been delivered into the hand of the kings of the lands, to the sword, to captivity, to plunder, and to humiliation, as it is this day. 8 And now for a little while grace has been shown from the Lord our God, to leave us a remnant to escape, and to give us a peg in His holy place, that our God may enlighten our eyes and give us a measure of revival in our bondage.

Ezra 9:7-8

Sunday, the Lord's Day

October 7, 2018

Sunday School - 9:00 a.m.

Worship Service - 10:00 a.m.

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Prelude

Welcome

***Opening Hymn – “There Is a Fountain”**

#88 BR

***Call to Worship**

The Lord says to us, “A new heart I will give to you, a new Spirit I will put within you; and I will take out of your flesh the heart of stone...and will put My Spirit within you.”

**We come to worship to open our hearts
to receive the Living God!**

“If you confess with your lips that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved. For man believes with his heart and so is justified, and he confesses with his lips and so is saved.”

**Lord, here are our hearts, heal, renew,
refresh, enliven us from within. Make our
hearts Your home.**

“Blessed are the pure in heart for they shall
see God.” Purity of heart is to will one thing.
Our chief end is to glorify God and enjoy Him
forever.

***Invocation Prayer**

Children’s Story

Senior Choir – “Remember Me”

Offertory Thought and Prayer

*Dear God, as we dedicate our commitment to
you, we dedicate our lives to you, we dedicate
our trust in you, we dedicate our time to you,
and we dedicate our money to you. Help us to
know that you will always provide for our needs.
Forgive us for not trusting you. We give our
commitment card to you this day. Thank you for
being our God. AMEN*

Offering

Children’s Church Dismissal - 4 years old to 5th grade

***Offertory Hymn – “Victory in Jesus”**

#415 BR

Senior Choir – “Are You Dressed for the Wedding”

Scripture – John 5:1-16

Message – “Taking the Plunge”

***Closing Hymn – “Let Us Break Bread Together”**

#184 BR

Benediction

REFRIGERATOR NEWS
October 7 - 14, 2018

Sunday	Chime Choir Practice	8:30 a.m.
	Sunday School	9:00 a.m.
	Worship Service	10:00 a.m.
	Love Feast	6:30 p.m.
Monday	Pumpkin Roll Baking	8:00 a.m.
	Pumpkin Roll Filling	5:30 p.m.
	Spiritual Renewal	7:00 p.m.
Tuesday	PIZZA HUT DAY	
	Spiritual Renewal	7:00 p.m.
Wednesday	Spiritual Renewal	7:00 p.m.
Thursday	Bible Study	6:00 p.m.
Sunday	Chime Choir	8:30 a.m.
	Sunday School	9:00 a.m.
	Worship Service	10:00 a.m.

Deacons for the month of October are Dale and JoAnn Houtz

***Stand if you are able**

Please remember the following people in your prayers this week:

Betty Jane Berger
Raymond Brown
Bud Brubaker
Trent Charles – Friend of Leslie Fuhrman
Mara Fulk – Sister-in-law of Derek Fulk
Mary Ann Gobble
Al Harding – Friend of Dave and Janet Dubble
Jan Klink – Friend of JoAnn Houtz
Mary Lineweaver
Tom Louwerse – Friend of Nettie Krall
Dennis Palm – Brother-in-law of Dale Houtz
Tony Resh – Friend of Lindsey Dimond
Bonnie Rittle – Sister-in-law of Raymond and Dorothy Brown
Walter Sattazahn
Joyce Shott – Friend of JoAnn Houtz
Brenda Weierbach
Grace Ziegler

STATISTICS FOR **SUNDAY, September 30, 2018**

ATTENDANCE: Sunday School 50 Worship 131

Follow our year-to-date progress in your copy of the Church Board Minutes.

***Our expenses continue in your absence.
Please include the church in your giving each week.***

Our appreciation to John and Jen Zimmerman for being greeters.

The Brethren Hour will be broadcast from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. on WLBR 1270 AM will be from Myerstown Church of the Brethren.

Gift cards – The gift card order will be processed today. Don't forget, you don't have to buy gift cards for a gift, you can use them yourself. Make sure you look over the list of businesses, as new ones have been added.

This week we are praying for Little Swatara Church of the Brethren and Providence Church of the Brethren is praying for us.

Pumpkin Roll orders are due to Dottie Nagle today.

2019 Directory - Any changes in the Church Directory for 2019, notify Toni or a Mission & Fellowship commission member.

Save the Date - Women's Fellowship Christmas Breakfast will be Dec. 8th from 9:00 – 11:00 a.m. at Cedar Grill Restaurant. This year we are doing something a bit different. Everyone will be ordering from the menu and paying themselves. Bring a \$1.00 gift for our gift exchange. For more information contact Jess Singer.

Fall Children's Consignment Sale – Oct. 20th from 8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Large selection of gently used infant and children's clothing, shoes, toys, games and much much more. Various vendors will also be on-site, as well as our youth selling baked goods.

Pot Pie Dinner - We are having a pot pie dinner on November 10th from 5:00 – 7:00 pm. Cost is \$10 for adult and \$5.00 for children 6-12, under 6 is free. Proceeds will benefit the Youth and the General Fund. Tickets are due back Oct. 28th.

Love Feast this evening at 6:30 p.m. Jim Myer will be conducting this service.

Camp Swatara - On Friday, November 2nd, we will be having the contributor's dinner. We will need 20 to 25 servers for the evening. Servers will need to be at camp at 5:00 PM and will be needed until about 10:00 PM for clean-up. Servers should wear black bottoms and white tops. Please email rbiddle@campswatara.org or call 717-933-8510 if there are any questions. Please respond on or before Friday, October 12th. Thanks for your service, Chef Bob

Baked Goods - The youth are selling baked goods at the Women's Fellowship Consignment Sale on October 20th. If you would like to donate some baked goods, please contact Karen Sanchez or Lindsey Dimond.

Babysitting – There will be babysitting for Love Feast this evening.

Secret Sister – Don't forget to remember your Secret Sister!

Piercing Word will be presenting "Sermon on the Mount" on Oct. 21st at 7:00 p.m. at Myerstown Church of the Brethren. The mission of Piercing Word is to ignite passion for the Word of God in the heart of the church. This is done by performing scripture word for word in compelling dramatic presentations, challenging and encouraging people to memorize God's Word. Sermon on the Mount: the Musical puts Matthew 5-7, Jesus' most famous sermon to original music. Hear His words as he explains the Old Testament laws and how although man looks on the outward appearance, the Lord looks at the heart. A free will offering will be taken.

Trunk or Treat - Join us for Myerstown Church of the Brethren's TRUNK OR TREAT at Myerstown Church of the Brethren, Lower Parking Lot/Fellowship Hall on Saturday, October 27, 2018 from 4:00 – 6:00 P.M. We are bringing Halloween to our parking lot where kids can go from car to car and get candy in a safe environment. Get creative and sign up to decorate your car and be part of the fun! Games, hot dogs, and prizes will be provided. Please consider signing up in The Gathering Place to help by:

- Decorating your car,
- Helping with food and games, and/or
- Donating needed items

If you have any questions about this event, contact Rachel Moyer, Kim Horn, or any member of the Missions and Fellowship Commission.

Spiritual Renewal Services with Jim Myer "Change Lives" – 2 Corinthians 5:17

Monday, Oct. 8 – 7:00 P.M.

"Why George Goes to Church" – 1 Corinthians 16:1-15

Tuesday, Oct. 9 – 7:00 P.M.

"How Changed Lives Affect the Home" – Ephesians 5:17-25

Wednesday, Oct. 10 – 7:00 P.M.

"How the Bible Changes Lives" – Psalms 119:81-105