

**Summit Church of the Brethren**  
**Fifth Sunday of Lent**  
April 2, 2017

Sunday School 10:00 AM  
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Worship 11:00 AM  
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"I wait for the LORD, my soul waits, and in His word I put my hope." – Psalm 130:5

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PRELUDE MUSIC

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING PRAYER

CALL TO WORSHIP

\*HYMN: *"Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart"* #7 G

SERVICE OF LENT

Readers: Jolene Farrar and Randy Senger  
Acolyte: Taysia Howard

ESPECIALLY FOR CHILDREN

Samantha Ritchie

PRESENTING OUR OFFERINGS

Invitation to Give  
Offertory  
Prayer of Thanksgiving and Dedication

\*HYMN: *"Nothing But the Blood"* #138 G

MESSAGE *"The Familiar Story"*  
Matthew 27:27-56

\*HYMN: *"The Old Rugged Cross"* #317 G

\*BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE

\*Indicates standing for those who are able.

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Welcome to all who are here to worship the Lord! We ask our visitors to fill out a visitor card found in the back of the pew and place it in the offering plate. Also, please use these cards for prayer requests.

**SERVING TODAY**

**NEXT WEEK**

Organist: Doris Cline.....Judy Stoddard  
Pianist: Brenda Showalter.....Ruth Fifer  
Chorister: Don Senger.....Jolene Farrar  
Greeters Today: Barbara Bosserman & Nancy Knight  
Greeters Next Sunday: Seth & Samantha Ritchie  
Nursery: Jolene Farrar.....Anita Shank  
Offering Counter: Leroy & Doris.....Greg & Jolene  
Altar: Lent.....Lent

**PRAYER LIST:** Max Craig, Charles Schultz, Bill Cramer, Dot Coffman, Ray Fifer, Don Senger, Nicole Price, Karly Wise, Garold Senger Sr., Geraldine Shifflett, Kenny Moyers, Orven Knicely, and Yana Joshua – the Nigerian girl for whom we pray.

**Attendance** for March 26<sup>th</sup>: Sunday School – 56, Worship – 112

Thank you to Samantha Ritchie for leading us in worship today!

**Happy Anniversary** to Eldon & Sandy Armstrong!

**Bible Study** will not meet this week. We will resume on April 20<sup>th</sup>.

**Choir Practice** will take place next Sunday at 9:15.

The **Deacons** will have a meeting next Sunday to make plans for Love Feast and Communion.

Women's Fellowship will sponsor a **soup and sandwich meal** next Sunday after worship to raise funds for the kitchen remodeling. There will also be a silent auction of "vintage kitchen items." Please plan to stay for good food and fellowship!

**Love Feast** will be held at 7 pm on Thursday, April 13<sup>th</sup> in the fellowship hall. Please plan to join us for this special time!

**Membership Class** will be offered this spring. Please see Pastor Tim if you'd like to attend!

A **luncheon** to benefit the **Bridgewater Home Auxiliary** will be held on Wednesday from 11-1 at Bridgewater CoB. The menu includes ground beef barbecue, mixed kale slaw, barbecue beans, Hawaiian orange pineapple cake, and tea & coffee. The cost is \$6, carry-outs are available.

**Women's Community Prayer Breakfast** will be held at Moscow CoB (866 Nash Rd., Mt. Solon) on Saturday at 8:30 am. A freewill offering will be collected to benefit the North River Community Kids Outreach.

**Summit Community Day** is planned for June 3<sup>rd</sup>. A FREE yard sale is planned so as you do your spring cleaning save what you plan to get rid of and donate it to the Witness Commission. More information to come!

Just a reminder – CD recordings are made of each worship service and are available in the narthex for anyone who would like to take them.

**Bulletin information** for April can be given to Jessie Moyers at 234-9074 or email [jessiemothers@aol.com](mailto:jessiemothers@aol.com).

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*"[The land] will produce thorns and thistles for you..." – Genesis 3:18*

*"If anyone would come after Me, he must deny himself and take up his cross and follow Me." – Matthew 16:24*

*"And so Jesus also suffered outside the city gate to make the people holy through His own blood." – Hebrews 13:12*

*"They put gall in my food and gave me vinegar for my thirst."  
– Psalm 69:21*

*"They divide my garments among them and cast lots for my clothing." – Psalm 22:18*

*"So Moses stretched out his hand toward the sky, and total darkness covered all Egypt for three days." – Exodus 10:22*

*"Let all who live in the land tremble, for the day of the LORD is coming. It is close at hand – a day of darkness and gloom, a day of clouds and blackness." – Joel 2:1-2*

*"'In that day,' declares the Sovereign LORD, 'I will make the sun go down at noon and darken the earth in broad daylight.'" – Amos 8:9*

*"Therefore... we have confidence to enter the Most Holy Place by the blood of Jesus, by a new and living way opened for us through the curtain, that is, His body." – Hebrews 10:19-20*

*"When all the people who had gathered to witness this sight saw what took place, they beat their breasts and went away."  
– Luke 23:48*