

Summit Church of the Brethren

November 17, 2024

Sunday School 10:00 AM Worship 11:00 AM
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“There is no one holy like the LORD; there is no Rock like our God.” – I Samuel 2:2

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING PRAYER

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP – Psalm 16:5-11

*HYMN: *"We Gather Together"* #17 B

BLESSING OF SHOEBOXES

CHILDREN'S STORY Craver Family

PRESENTING OUR OFFERINGS

 Invitation to Give – Psalm 16:1-2
 Offertory
 Prayer of Thanksgiving & Dedication

READING – Psalm 118:1-7 Lori Gravely

*HYMN: *"For the Beauty of the Earth"* #89 B

MESSAGE: "The Way Home"
 John 14:1-6

*HYMN: *"When We All Get to Heaven"* #501 G

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

*Indicates standing for those who are able.

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Welcome to all who have come to worship our 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: Cindy Farrish.....Judy Stoddard
Pianist: Brenda Showalter.....Cindy Farrish
Greeters Today: Joe & Ellen Shank
Greeters Next Sunday: Greg & Jolene Farrar
Nursery: Anne McGuigan.....Anne McGuigan
Offering Counter: Joe & Ellen.....Marilyn & Clooney
Altar: Altar Committee.....Altar Committee

Deacon of the Month: Clooney Rodeffer

PRAYER LIST: Orlando Bergdoll, Carol Bercher, Martin Cline, Betty Cramer, Midge Craun, Jack Earman, Roger Eutsler, the situation in Israel, Darlena Knicely, Anna Knicely, Greg and Kim Meadows, Margaret Monk, Chad Pettit, Wilma Fifer Ryman, Buck and Barb Schuckman, Charles Schultz, Ellen Shank, Marilyn Wright Shoemaker, Sandra Shull, and Carey Twyman.

Happy Birthday to Cara Price, Lynn Slaven, Jolene Farrar, Nancy Knight, and Ruth Fifer!

Happy Anniversary to Joe & Ellen Shank!

Shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child are due today. Thank you for filling a shoebox!

Bible Study will meet on Thursday at 7 pm in the library.

Thanksgiving Eve Service will be held on November 27th at 7 pm. We will receive a collection of non-perishable food, hygiene items, clothing, cleaning supplies, office supplies, and/or money for Valley Mission. A list of items they can use is posted on the bulletin board. Refreshments and Advent decorating will follow the service. Please join us as we pause to give thanks to God for His many blessings!

Christmas Family Meal will be held December 1st following the worship service. It will be a carry-in meal with drinks provided. Please plan to join us for this special Christmas gathering with our church family!

There is a signup sheet on the bulletin board for anyone who would be willing to provide a children's story on an upcoming Sunday. We appreciate all who are willing to help!

It is that time of year again! Our Christmas Poinsettias will be red and the cost is \$9.50. Orders will be taken through next Sunday. If you would like to order, please place your money in one of the envelopes found on the table in the narthex, write the name on the front of the envelope (in memory/honor of) and give to Jolene. The poinsettias will be in the sanctuary December 15th and 22nd and can be taken home after worship on the 22nd.

The Women's Fellowship will collect gifts for Operation Santa Project for Western State Hospital patients through December 15th. A list of gifts needed is posted on the bulletin board. Donations can be placed in the box under the coat rack in the vestibule. Items need to be new and unwrapped. Thank you!

Summit Directory: It is that time of year again. I will be doing updates to the Summit directory and if you have changed addresses, phone numbers, emails, etc., please let Brenda Showalter or I know. My phone number is 540 237 4897 or email is slschuckman@aol.com. Any committee or commission that has changes, please let me know. Thanks for your assistance. – Susan Schuckman

Nursery volunteers are needed for 2025. Please use the pink sheet on the bulletin board outside of Pastor Tim's office to sign up for a month or months you are willing to provide nursery coverage during worship. For 2025, we are asking for two volunteers each month and ask that the two of you work out nursery coverage during your month. Thank you! If you have questions, see Anita Shank.

Offering for November 10th: \$4,021.70

Weekly amount needed to make budget: \$2,885

Bulletin information can be given to Pastor Tim at 540-828-6262 or you can email tcraver01@gmail.com. Please have information to him by Friday morning.