

Mountville Church of the Brethren



Lenten Journey of the Stones

April 10, 2022

Worship 10:15 a.m.

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MOUNTVILLE CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN



*Fostering growth in faith,
growth in community, and growth in service.*

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**Hearing assistance devices are available at the sound booth.
Large print bulletins and hymnals are available in the narthex.
*Congregation stands in body or spirit.**

GATHER

GATHERING MUSIC

CHIMES

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE *Jerusalem Entry* MacDonald

*CALL TO WORSHIP^

Sing glory to God in the highest heaven.

Hosanna in the highest!

Even if we keep silent, the rocks will shout it out.

Shout alleluia!

Jesus has come to show us the greatness of God's love.

Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.

*HYMN *Hosanna, loud hosanna* 238

*INVOCATION^

RECEIVE

ANTHEM *Hosanna in the Highest* Tuttle

SCRIPTURE *Luke 19:29-40* NT 83

HYMN *Come, we that love the Lord* 14

RESPOND

INVITATION TO GIVE ^^

OFFERTORY *Sing Hosanna to the King* Smith

*DOXOLOGY 119A

*PRAYER OF BLESSING^^

REFLECT

ANTHEM *Jerusalem, Behold Your King* Barrett

SERMON *Crying Stones* Rev. Angela Finet

SILENT REFLECTION

RELEASE

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

*SONG OF RECOMMITMENT Overhead

GO

*HYMN *I Love to Tell the Story* 398

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE *Sonatina* Bach

^Beu, B.J. *The Abingdon Worship Annual 2022*. (Abingdon Press: Nashville, TN, 2021). Pgs 88-89. Used with permission. Adapted.

^^Scifres, Mary J. *The Abingdon Worship Annual 2017*. (Abingdon Press: Nashville, TN, 2016). Pg 82. Used with permission.

STATISTICS for April 3, 2022

Received for General Fund\$ 6,000.00

DESIGNATED FUNDS

Global Food Initiative.....145.00
 Building Maintenance.....10.00
 Sunday Flowers.....147.00
 Kits.....25.00
 Food Bank.....100.00
 Hands Across the Street.....10.00
 Building Use: UNR.....300.00

Sunday School: 29 Worship: 108

THIS WEEK

Today: 12:30 p.m. – Un Nuevo Renacer, Sanctuary & Fellowship Hall
 Mon: 6:00 p.m. – Un Nuevo Renacer, Sanctuary
 Tues: 6:00 p.m. – Un Nuevo Renacer, Fellowship Hall
 7:00 p.m. – Scripture Chat via Zoom or Rm. 102
 Wed: 10:00 a.m. – Loss Support Group, Hospitality Room
 6:00 p.m. – Outreach Ministry Team, Lower Narthex
 7:00 p.m. – Chancel Choir, Sanctuary
 7:00 p.m. – Un Nuevo Renacer Men’s Group, Rm. 102
 Thurs: 6:00 p.m. – Un Nuevo Renacer, Rms. 100, 101
 7:00 p.m. – Love Feast
 Fri: Good Friday – office closed

Next Sunday, April 17, 2022 Easter

9:00-9:50 a.m. Christian Education for all ages
 • Birth through pre-K meet in the nursery, room 122.
 • Elementary class for grades K-6 meet in room 123.
 • Adults and Youth, please join us in the fellowship hall as Bill Kepner leads us in a discussion entitled, **Hope of the Resurrection**, from the series on Hope by N.T. Wright.

10:15 a.m. We gather to worship God. Lent
 Pastor Angela will share “Rolled Away” from John 20:1-8. Forrest Collier will be the Worship Leader. The Chancel Choir will sing.

In God’s Service Today

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Pastor	Angela Finet
Music Director	John Hess
Organist	Gloria Hess
Worship Leader	Steve Hess
Anthem	Chancel Choir
Acolyte	Children’s Sunday School
Ushers	Steve Hess, Bob Keller, Harry Light, John Musser
Children’s Ministry	Family Worship
Nursery	Margie Musser
Greeters	Bob & Heidi Keller, Pat Landis, Joel Musser
Prayer Chain	Mary Finkbiner, 717-581-5767 Linda Bushong, 717-898-3330
Security	John Musser

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The flowers in the worship center are given to celebrate Pastor Carolina Izquierdo’s ordination.

Glen R. Bushong wishes to thank his church family for all the “Get Well” cards, phone calls, meals and flowers he has received during his medical issues. Thanks so much!

To my amazing Church Family,
 Gene and I always enjoyed the beautiful birthday, anniversary, Christmas, get well cards, and Valentine card signatures from forever and new friends. Now you have given our family the gifts of time and talents to ensure that the Celebration of Gene’s life service and luncheon was accomplished smoothly and lovingly. My appreciation to Pastor Angela for the meaningful anointing of Gene in the hospital and for calming my anxieties. Gene and I were blessed by your kindness. “The Lord be gracious unto you.” - Barbara.

PALM SUNDAY PALMS

Although palms are not featured in our worship service today, a limited number of palms are available in the narthex after the service for those wishing to take one home.

Prayer Ministry Update

The prayer of the righteous is powerful and effective. (James 5:16b)

Please add the following people to your prayer list:

- Please continue to pray for Shirley Smith and her family as they mourn the loss of her grandson.
- Please pray for peace to prevail in Ukraine.
- District Prayers: Today we are praying for Ephrata COB. Little Swatara COB, Bethel is praying for us.

LOVE FEAST

Please plan to attend this meaningful service to remember the Last Supper on Thursday, April 14 at 7:00 p.m. Together, we will share in a time of preparation, foot washing, a simple meal, and communion. All are welcome.

EASTER FLOWER PURCHASE

The flowers in the sanctuary on Easter Sunday will be available for purchase on a first-come basis after our worship service. Payment will be by free-will offering. A basket will be set-up in the narthex to receive your offering for the flowers. A variety of lilies, tulips, and daffodils will be available.

The COLUMBIA FOOD BANK receives our April Food Cart and monetary donations. Please remember no outdated, glass items or perishables, i.e. bread, rolls, etc. Thank you!

SAVE THE DATE!

The Ephrata Cloister Chorus will provide a concert of original 18th Century music from the historic Ephrata Cloister, plus early American Shaker tunes, African-American spirituals, as well as more modern selections on Sunday, May 15 at 7:00 pm in our sanctuary. Sponsored by the Richard Ott Memorial Fund, the program is free and open to the public. Bring a friend!

SCRIPTURE CHAT

We will gather by Zoom and in room 102 each Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. for Scripture Chat. The link will be sent each Tuesday morning.

IT'S TIME FOR FELLOWSHIP, FOOD, AND FUN!

The ANE 55+ Older Adult Spring Luncheon is back! Join us on May 11, 2022, 12:00 p.m. at Yoder's Restaurant, New Holland, PA. The Menu: broasted chicken OR ham loaf; gourmet red mashed potatoes, green beans and baby carrots; tossed salad, dressings, rolls; butter, jelly, hot and cold beverages; vanilla or chocolate ice cream. Vegetarian lasagna is also available. Entertainment provided by Terry Gehman who is a local musician with over 30 years of experience playing all kinds of music. Cost is \$22 per person. Registration deadline is May 4. See Dottie Light with questions. Registration is available on-line.

FLOWER SIGN-UP REMINDER

When signing up to provide flowers for the worship center, please remember to write **V** (vases) or **A** (arrangement) on the flower chart and on the order form. Also, please remember to have payment for the flowers to the office during the first week of the month in which you are sponsoring the flowers. Thank you.

ARTICLES for the May *NEW VISION* are due in the church office today. Thank you!

AED TRAINING

A basic review of how to use the AED (automated external defibrillator) will be lead by Scott Ryno, head of Ryno Public Safety Solutions on Tuesday, April 26 from 6:00-7:00 p.m. for anyone interested. This is not a certification course, and no prior training is required, but sign up is requested. The sign-up sheet is posted on the board outside of the Fellowship Hall. Please meet in the upper narthex by 5:50 p.m., as the class will start promptly at 6:00 p.m. and end promptly at 7:00 p.m.! Any questions, contact Margie Musser.

Mission Statement

The Mountville Church of the Brethren invites all children, youth, and adults to connect with Jesus Christ through meaningful worship, engaging spiritual growth opportunities, caring fellowship, practical peace-making, and compassionate service to local and and global neighbors.