

STATISTICS for July 23, 2023

Received for General Fund	\$ 5,294.00
DESIGNATED FUND	
Memorial Fund.....	300.00
Global Food Initiative.....	320.00
Sunday Flowers	35.00
Kits.....	20.00
Key Fob.....	15.00
Disaster Relief (7/16/23).....	500.00
Food Bank (7/16/23).....	50.00

Worship: 90

THIS WEEK

- Today: 12:00 p.m. – Un Nuevo Renacer, Sanctuary
- Mon: 6:00 p.m. – Un Nuevo Renacer, Sanctuary
- Tues: 6:00 p.m. – Un Nuevo Renacer, Fellowship Hall, Rms. 100, 101
7:00 p.m. - Scripture Chat, Rm. 102 & Zoom
- Wed: 7:00 p.m. – Un Nuevo Renacer, Rms. 100, 102
- Thurs: 2:45 p.m. – Power Packs
6:00 p.m. – Un Nuevo Renacer, Rms. 101, 102
7:00 p.m. – Education Ministry Team, Hospitality Room
- Sat: 6:00 a.m. – Un Nuevo Renacer, Rms. 100, 102

Next Sunday, August 6, 2023

Summer Children’s Worship

Children meet in room 124 at 10 a.m. See announcement for details.

10:15 a.m. We gather to worship God.

Next Sunday Pastor Angela shares “In God Alone” from Psalm 62:5-12. Kathy Long is the worship leader and Angela Finet provides special music.

FRIDAYS ARE PASTOR ANGELA’S SABBATH

Friday’s prayer concerns should be directed to deacons Cathy Funderwhite and Karen Strine. If you want to leave a non-urgent message for Pastor Angela on Fridays or any day after 9:00 p.m., please send an email rather than a text. She keeps her phone on 24/7 for emergencies.

Mountville Church of the Brethren



July 30, 2023

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.*

July 30, 2023 10:15 a.m.

**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.**

GATHERING

GATHERING MUSIC

CHIMES

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE *Prelude in G Minor*

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*CALL TO WORSHIP[^]

This is none other than the house of God.

This is nothing less than the gate of heaven.

Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place.

God hems us in, behind and before,
and lays hands of blessing upon us.

Such knowledge is too wonderful for us.

It is so high we cannot attain it.

Rest in the majesty of our God.

Give thanks and sing of God's glory.

Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place.

*HYMN *Surely the presence* (overhead)

*INVOCATION^{^^}

RECEIVING

SCRIPTURE READING Psalm 139:1-18 OT 577

SPECIAL MUSIC *Hymn of Heaven* Phil Wickham

*Children from 4 years through 5th grade are invited
to worship downstairs.*

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

HYMN *You have searched me, Lord, and known me* (overhead)

RESPONDING

INVITATION TO GIVE^{^^^}

OFFERTORY *Partito Sopra di Spagna* Pasquini

*DOXOLOGY *Praise God from Whom* 119 (v.2)

*PRAYER OF BLESSING^{^^^}

PROCLAIMING

SERMON *Where Can I Go?* Rev. Angela Finet

PARTING

*HYMN *I sing the mighty power of God* 46

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE *Chaconne in G Minor* Couperin

[^]Beu, B.J. *The Abingdon Worship Annual 2023*. (Abingdon Press: Nashville, TN, 2022). Pg 135.

^{^^}McFee, Dr. Marcia. *God is Holding your Life*. (Worship Design Studio: Kansas City, MO, 2021).

^{^^^}Torigian, Michelle L. *The Abingdon Worship Annual 2021*. (Abingdon Press: Nashville, TN, 2020). Pg. 153. Adapted..

Please Remember to Sign the Attendance Pads.

In God's Service Today

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Pastor	Rev. Angela Finet
Music Director	John Hess
Worship Leader	Bill Kepner
Special Music	Bill Kepner
Ushers	Wendy Allshouse, Bob Keller, Joel Musser, Daryl Strine
Children's Ministry	Joyce Kerns, Alexa Taylor, Gina Bautista
Nursery	Joan Boshnaugle
Greeters	Bob & Heidi Keller, Sarah Repkoe, Mark Yoh
Prayer Chain	Cathy Funderwhite, Karen Strine
Security	Harry Light
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The flowers in the worship center are given to the glory and honor of God.

SCRIPTURE CHAT

We will gather by Zoom and in room 102 each Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. for Scripture Chat. This week's scripture is Psalm 62:5-12. The link will be sent each Tuesday morning. Everyone is welcome. All you need to bring is a Bible.

BRETHREN BELIEFS CLASS

Would you like to know more about the Church of the Brethren globally, and Mountville Church of the Brethren specifically? Since 1708, Brethren have had a unique way of engaging with God and neighbor, and a rich history of service to each other, and to the world! Join Pastor Angela for conversation around these topics as well as the history and structure of the Mountville congregation on Saturday, September 16 from 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 in the fellowship hall. This is a no pressure opportunity to expand your knowledge. Please RSVP to Angela so she can prepare enough materials. We will be receiving new members into our family of faith on September 24.

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

The Hempfield Area Food Bank receives our July Food Cart items, located in the lower entrance by the elevator, and monetary donations. Please remember no perishables, glass, or outdated items.

Prayer Ministry Update

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

Please add the following people to your prayer list:

- Continue to pray for George Schwert, John Graham, Jim Long, Dottie Light, Wendy, the Fitze family, and Nick Cyr.
- Continue to pray for our congregation as we discern together Core Values, and how they undergird our mission and ministry. Pray that all we do is for love of God and neighbors.
- Pray for all who are grieving violence. Christ have mercy.
- Please pray for Joe Buohl as he discerns his call to ministry.
- Please pray for peace to prevail in Ukraine, Nigeria, Haiti, Sudan, and around the world.
- District Prayers: Today we are praying for Mechanic Grove COB, Quarryville. Amwell COB, New Jersey is praying for us.

SAVE THE DATE FOR THESE SPECIAL MOMENTS IN THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH.

- August 20, 11:15 a.m.: Blessings of the Students/Teachers. Pizza Party
- August 27, 11:15 a.m.: Joe Buohl's Commission Service
- September 16, 9:00 a.m.: Brethren Beliefs Class
- September 24, 11:15 a.m.: Receiving New Members / Reception

SUMMER CHILDREN'S WORSHIP

The children gather downstairs in the children's room at 10:00 a.m. At 10:10, we will go up to the sanctuary to worship with our church family. The children may join us at 10:00 a.m. downstairs or if it is more convenient, they may join us in the front pew in the sanctuary at the beginning of worship or join us as we are returning downstairs to continue our children's worship time together. We look forward to a summer of rest and reflection as we continue to gather together to praise our God.

Purpose Statement
 In joyful community, we follow Jesus to embody God's love with all our neighbors.