

10:30 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE
JANUARY 29, 2012

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

One: The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

All: And also with you.

PRELUDE

Tintinabulation
Exaltation - Victor Gumma

** CALL TO WORSHIP

Pastor Lohr

One: Jesus, you have come to show us and share with us God's love.

All: You call us to share your love in word and deed.

One: Some of us go far away to share your message while others of us share your presence right where we are.

All: Fill us with your love so that we can share you wherever we are and wherever we go.

* UNISON INVOCATION

Pastor Shreckhise

Amazing God, creator and comforter, open our hearts to hear your voice in unexpected times and places. Appear to us in forms we cannot deny. Challenge us in ways we cannot avoid. Lead us in paths from which we cannot turn back. Guide us that our self-discipline may be strengthened. Inspire us that we may follow in the example of Christ in whose name we pray. Amen.

* HYMN

Praise Him, Praise Him (Love, Serve)

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Katie Haldeman

PRESENTING OUR OFFERINGS

Pastor Lohr

Stewardship Challenge

Offertory *Hymnus – Von Fieltz*

A warm welcome to all who worship with us today! Please sign the attendance sheets in the blue binder at this time. You are invited to share a word of encouragement, thanksgiving or praise in the comments section.

** Doxology, No. 119A

* Prayer of Dedication

HYMN NO. 29 *Like the Murmur of the Dove's Song*

MORNING PRAYER

Pastor Lohr

SCRIPTURE READING

Various Readers

Matthew 28: 18-20, Acts 1:6-8, John 20:19-23

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

Youth Choir

Bless the Broken Road – Hummon/Boyd/Hanna

SERMON

Pastor Shreckhise

“Straight Talk about Mission”

SERVICE OF ANOINTING

The Pastors

** HYMN NO. 478 *Sent Forth by God's Blessing*

* BENEDICTION

Pastor Shreckhise

* POSTLUDE

O For A Thousand Tongues to Sing – arr. Tom Birchwood

* TAKING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST INTO THE WORLD

* GREETING ONE ANOTHER

** Please stand in body or spirit

* Please remain standing in body or spirit

WELCOME

PALMYRA CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

45 N. Chestnut St., Palmyra, PA 17078
January 29, 2012

PASTORAL MINISTRY TEAM

Dennis M. Lohr - Lead Pastor
Dick Shreckhise - Interim Pastor
Carol Dubble - Coordinating Pastor of Visitation
Bethany Clark - Director of Youth Ministries
Missy Thompson - Children's Ministry Mobilizer

MINISTERS

All Members of the Congregation

MUSIC LEADERSHIP TEAM

Betsy Myers - FaithQuest Worship Facilitator
Sue Boyer - Director of Music Ministries &
Director of Youth Choir
Eileen Smith - Organist & Director of Tintinabulation

SERVING TODAY

Acolyte - Liana Smith
Greeter - Steve Hoffer
Ushers - Steve Gottshall, Jason Whitman, Michele Gottshall
Child Care - Steve & Elaine Hoffer

CHURCH OFFICE

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CALENDAR

Sunday, January 29 – Sunday, February 5

TODAY	8:00 a.m.	FaithQuest
	8:45 a.m.	Fellowship
	9:15 a.m.	Sunday school
	10:30 a.m.	Traditional Worship
	12:00 p.m.	Scout Function – Fellowship Hall
	2:00 p.m.	Junior High Bowling
	5:00 p.m.	Brethren Hour: Little Swatara
MONDAY	7:00 p.m.	AA
	7:00 p.m.	AI-Anon
	7:00 p.m.	Search Team
WEDNESDAY	8:00 a.m.	Quilting
	2:45 p.m.	Jr. High Alive
	6:15 p.m.	Tintinabulation
	6:30 p.m.	Scouts
	6:45 p.m.	Youth Choir
	7:00 p.m.	After Hours
	7:15 p.m.	Canticle Bells
THURSDAY	Envoy Deadline	
	6:00 p.m.	Traditional Worship Planning
	6:15 p.m.	FaithQuest Rehearsal
	7:00 p.m.	AA
	7:00 p.m.	Chancel Choir
SATURDAY	10:30 a.m.	Women's AA
SUNDAY	8:00 a.m.	FaithQuest
	8:45 a.m.	Fellowship
	9:15 a.m.	Sunday school
	10:30 a.m.	Traditional Worship
	5:00 p.m.	Brethren Hour: Myerstown CoB



Please hold these individuals and families up to God in prayer this week.

Monday – Daniel & Lori Walmer

Tuesday – Eric Witmer

Wednesday – Fern Beam

Thursday – Marlin & Esther Buck

Friday – Adam & Kay Diebus

Saturday – Sue Gilbert

Sunday – Tim & Linda Heisey

Health concerns: Dolores Bashore, Carol Dubble, Sam Walborn, Thelma Etter

Do you have a concern about the church or a special need that you would like to discuss with someone? This week, Congregational Support Team member, Steve Hoffer will be on call.

Please note correction of spelling. Condolences for the death of Amy Wentling may be forwarded to her daughter, Barbara Tippet, at 3868 Griffin Road, Syracuse, NY 13215

SUMMARY OF JANUARY 22, 2012

Sunday school: 110, FaithQuest: 35, Traditional Service: 183

Unified Giving		Designated Giving	
Operating	\$5,335.11	Operating	\$.00
Outreach	\$1,376.80	Facility Use	\$.00
Bldg. Repair/ Replacement	\$ 172.10	Outreach	\$.00
		Caring Cupboard	\$ 50.00
		Land Acquisition	\$.00
		Youth Fundraising	\$ 240.00
		Third Way Fund	\$ 1,797.00
Total Unified	\$ 6,884.01	Total Designated	\$ 2,087.00

YOUTH ACTIVITIES

All Youth:

Souper Bowl Sunday: February 5

Heart's Party: Saturday, February 11, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

Junior High:

Jr. High Alive: Wednesdays, 2:45 – 4:30 p.m.

Bowling: Today, 1:45 – 4:15 p.m.

Lock-In: March 2 – 3

Senior High:

After Hours: Wednesdays, 7:00 p.m.

Roundtable: March 16 -18

C.C.S: April 14 – 19

COMING NEXT SUNDAY: February 5

Scout Sunday

Souper Bowl Sunday

Preaching: Pastor Lohr

Theme: "Straight Talk about Straight Talk"

Participants

Acolyte - Jamie Walmer

Greeter - Don Kensinger

Ushers - George Bell, Dennis Runkle, George Shearer

Flowers - Non-designated

Childcare - Brenda Heisey & Tara Garber

ANNOUNCEMENTS

A **memorial video** is being planned. Those who have lost a loved one this past year are invited to submit a picture of the person to Heidi Neiswender for placement in our annual PCOB memorial video. Please include the name of the person and their relationship to you. Feel free to include a favorite quote, poem, etc. to accompany their picture. Digital pictures are preferred; send to- imfled2@comcast.net. However, if submitting an actual photo, please include your name so it can be returned to you. Contact Robin Granzow, 838-3438, with questions.



The annual **Hearts Party** will be on Saturday, February 11 from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Come and enjoy a Yahtzee-type game, snacks and dessert. All generations will have a great time!

All-Church Appreciation Sunday is February 12. This is a special time set aside to express appreciation to one another for the many acts of service that are the heart of the Palmyra Church of the Brethren. During our times of worship, persons nominated by each team will receive special recognition. The Fellowship time will also be in celebration of all who contribute time and talent to the work of our congregation.



A **Souper Bowl** offering will be taken on Sunday, February 5th. The youth will place large soup bowls at the exit doors of the sanctuary. Everyone is asked to place at least one dollar and/or a non-perishable food item into these offering kettles. This year's offering will be given to the Caring Cupboard.

Fellowship time this morning will be in honor of **Sarandon Smith's 16th birthday**. We have been so blessed by her arrival 16 years ago! Love, Mom and Dad

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Could we take advantage of you, your time, your volunteer spirit? The up-coming **Renovare' Conference** on April 21st will include a book store. Individuals willing to staff the store at various times during the day are needed. If you are attending the conference, could you spare a bit of time and take one of the "shifts" at the store? If you are not attending the conference, might you still consider spending a few hours of your day in the beautiful Leffler Chapel on the campus of Elizabethtown College? Contact Bonnie at 838-4148 or rroadsb@nbn.net or speak with Wendy Arndt.



Kid's Klub is coming! Children grades 1-4 are invited on Tuesdays, February 7, 14, 21, and 28, from 3:45 to 5:30 p.m. to enjoy recreation, crafts, games, stories and dinner. Registration brochures have been sent with extra copies available in the church office.

Attention Sr. Adults! Come and enjoy breakfast and the play "Crazy for You" at Lower Dauphin High School. We leave from the church at 7:30 a.m., breakfast will be at 8:00 a.m. and the play will begin at 9:00 a.m. There is no charge and transportation will be available. A sign-up sheet is at the mail slot.

The **Harmonizers** will present a program at the Lebanon Valley Brethren Home in the DiMatteo Worship Center on February 19, at 7:00 p.m. Everyone is invited!

Caring Cupboard needs this week include potatoes, pasta sauce, tuna, paper products, bags of fresh fruit. Drop-off hours are Mondays 9 - 11 a.m. and 2 - 6 p.m., Wednesdays 9 a.m. - noon and 5:30 - 7 p.m., Fridays noon - 2 p.m.



8:00 A.M. FaithQuest Service
JANUARY 29, 2012



GOOD MORNING - WELCOME TO OUR SERVICE!

PRAISE SONGS

*Come Thou Fount
Jesus, Lover of My Soul*

WELCOME

WORSHIP THROUGH OUR OFFERINGS

SCRIPTURE Matthew 28:18-20, Acts 1:6-8, John 20:19-23

MESSAGE Pastor Shreckhise

“Straight Talk about Mission”

A TIME FOR REFLECTION AND ANOINTING

PRAYER Pastor Shreckhise

PRAISE SONG *If We Are the Body*

OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

Please sign the attendance sheets in the blue binder at this time.

PRAISE SONG *Yes and Amen*

Robin Granzow, Worship Leader

Meditation:

If we have no peace it is because we have forgotten that we
belong to each other.

—Mother Theresa

Join Us For A Conversation With Stan...

Church leaders and members are invited to join Stan Dueck on Saturday, February 18th from 9 – 11 a.m., in the board room of the Lebanon Valley Brethren Home for a conversation about our church. Stan serves as the Church of the Brethren’s Director of Transformational Practices, which is part of the Congregational Life Ministries office. We know Stan more personally, however, through his work with our Wellness Team, his leadership at our January 2011 Board Retreat and his time with us this past August as one of our guest preachers. Pastor Lohr and Board Chair, Charlie Runkle recently met with Stan to update him on our journey as a congregation over the past year and to discuss future directions for our ministry and mission. We are opening up this conversation to anyone in the congregation that would like to participate. Come prepared to share in telling the story of the past year, to think creatively about our present and future, to listen to one another, and to draw upon Stan's knowledge and experiences.