

Mill Creek Church of the Brethren

February 9, 2025

10:00 a.m.



Music as We Gather

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude *"Holy, Holy, Holy"* Arr. Joseph Prentiss

Bringing in the Light of Christ

*Call to Worship

One: The voice of God is calling:
"Whom shall I send?"

All: We are here to answer God's call.

One: The voice of Christ is calling:
"Who will be my faithful disciples?"

All: We are here to answer Christ's call.

One: The voice of Spirit is calling:
"Who will be a light to the nations?"

All: We are here. Send us, we pray!

***Hymn** *"Holy, Holy, Holy"* Blue 120
(Children may leave for Children's Church)

*Invocation

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Morning Prayer

Hymn *"God of Grace and God of Glory"* Blue 366

Scripture Isaiah 6:1-13

Blessing of Offering

*Doxology (Blue 119A)

*Prayer of Dedication

Anthem *"I Wouldn't Miss Heaven for the World"* Chancel Choir

Message *"Known by the Holy One"*

***Hymn** *"Open My Eyes, that I May See"* Blue 517

***Responsive Benediction** Blue 755

***Postlude** *"Majestic Postlude"* Mark L. Williams

*Those who are able are invited to stand.

MINI CHILDREN'S CHURCH – AGES 3 THRU KINDERGARTEN (Sanctuary Basement)
TEACHER: Layla Sheets **HELPER:** Angie Somma
CHILDREN'S CHURCH – 1ST- 5TH GRADES (Sanctuary Basement)
TEACHER: Josh Bollinger **HELPER:** Andrew Bollinger

Assisting in Worship

MORNING MESSAGE: Pastor Glenn Bollinger
WORSHIP LEADER: Maggie Prevatt **CHORISTER:** Sally Halterman
ORGANIST: Kaye Cline **PIANIST:** Bethany Prevatt
ACOLYTE: Ruby Ann Good
CHOIR: Chancel Choir – **DIRECTOR:** Jean Andrews
NURSERY: Blair Hoffman, Tara Nicholson **AUDIO/VISUAL:** Jon Wenger
USHERS: Dick Blackburn, Neil Sacra **HEAD USHER:** Gary Cline
LIVESTREAM: Jamin Engel, Dick Halterman, Ben Martin, Brant Somma

Today – February 9, 2025

8:30 a.m. Handbells
10:00 a.m. Worship Service, Children's Church,
Livestream worship (9:50 prelude)
10 a.m.-12 noon Youth Worship in Chapel & Social Hall (Jr. & Sr. Highs)
11:00 a.m. Sunday School
Youth "Souperbowl of Caring" (see announcement)

Children, ages 2-4 & grades K-5 attending Sunday School, may be picked up in the Sanctuary at noon, after Sunday School is over.

This Week

February 9, 10:00 a.m. Bible Study in Choir Rm./Bethany Classroom
February 9 – Wednesday Evening Activities
5:30-6:30 p.m. Fellowship Meal in Social Hall
Menu served by Bethany Class
(Friends and neighbors welcome to attend)
Lasagna, toss salad, applesauce, garlic bread and assorted cakes
6:30-7:00 p.m. Mill Creek Kids in the Chapel
7:00-7:30 p.m. Little Angels, Kingdom Kidz Club
6:30-7:30 p.m. Youth Hang Time – Sr. Highs, Sr. High Room;
Jr. Highs, Jr. High Room
6:30-7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir
6:30-7:30 p.m. Women's Bible Study in New Covenant Classroom
7:45-8:45 p.m. Praise Team

Scripture Readings – Jeremiah 17:5-10, Psalm 1,
I Corinthians 15:12-20, Luke 6:17-26

Next Sunday – February 16, 2025

10:00 a.m. Worship Service, Livestream worship (9:50 prelude)
11:00 a.m. Sunday School

Last Sunday – February 2, 2025

Worship: 229

Sunday School: 133

General Offering: \$15,177.00

Special Services: \$280.00

Cash Budget: \$281.00

Envelopes: \$10.00

Mark Your Calendar

February 17, 7:00 p.m.	Worship & Music Commission in Library
February 23, 8:30 a.m.	Church Council Breakfast
February 23, 11:00 a.m.	Church Council
February 24, 7:00 p.m.	Nurture Commission in Chapel
February 24, 7:00 p.m.	Personnel & Nominating Commission in Library
February 24, 7:00 p.m.	Missions & Service Commission in Board Room

February Worship Schedule

- 1st Sunday – Coffee Hour, Children’s Choir, Handbells
2nd Sunday – Chancel Choir, Youth Worship, Children’s Church
3rd Sunday – Praise Team
4th Sunday – Chancel Choir, Children’s Church
5th Sunday – Praise Team, Puppets
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Announcements

A special “Thank you” to everyone for their prayers, phone calls, cards, texts and food I have received when I had foot surgery. Please continue to keep me in your prayers as I continue my healing process. Thanks! ~Renee Morris

TODAY, FEB. 9, THE YOUTH WILL BE SPONSORING A “SOUPERBOWL OF CARING!” We invite the congregation to bring either Easy Mac Bowls or a donation toward the backpack ministry fund. These contributions all go to the Peak View Elementary School backpack ministry. Thanks for your generosity!

CHURCH COUNCIL, FEBRUARY 3, 2025 - Our regular Church Council Meeting will be held Sunday, February 23, in the sanctuary immediately following worship during the Sunday School hour. Childcare will be provided in the chapel/social hall for all kids through 5th grade. The youth will be serving a *Breakfast Buffet Fundraiser* from 8:30-10am. The menu includes make-your-own waffles and omelet stations. *Please sign-up in your Sunday School class or the Gathering Area.*

Along with reports and updates on several projects, the church board recommends the following nominations:

Church Board Youth Representative - Kathryn Landes

2025 Annual Conference Delegate - Ryan McAllister

2025 District Conference Delegate - Ryan McAllister

Annual Conference Alternates for 2025 and Delegates for 2026 -
Jeff and Cathy Patterson

District Conference Alternates for 2025 and Delegates for 2026 –
Nolan and Mary Lieu Cline

Church Council packets with the agenda and reports will be available in the gathering on Sunday, February 16.

Women’s Luncheon, Prayer Requests, Bible Day Camp, & More →

ALL PRAYER REQUESTS FROM FEBRUARY 7-23 need to be directed to Dolores Hottinger.

SAVE THE DATE FOR BIBLE DAY CAMP! Our 2025 Bible Day Camp "Jesus Trek" will be held from June 17-20. Registration will be available online starting April 1st. We can't wait to see you there!

NEEDED FOR NURSERY - Molly Harper is looking for a person to fill a block of spots in the nursery for 2025. If you can help us, please reach out to Molly at hokiemolly@yahoo.com or (540) 290-8951. These are the actual dates below for the block we need filled: Mar 9, May 11, Jul 13, Sept 14, Nov 9

WEDNESDAY EVENING MEAL HELP REQUEST FOR 2025! We are looking for any individuals or groups that might be interested in helping to prepare a meal. If you are interested or would like more information, please contact the church office.



POWER OF THE PAUSE! On Sunday, March 23 at 12:30 p.m. the Women's Ministry will be hosting a luncheon with guest speaker, Angela Kohl, who will share a message on the importance of the PAUSE. This free event will be held in the social hall for women, high school and up. Lunch will include a taco bar and Klines Dairy Bar ice cream. Please register in your Sunday School class or online at millcreekcob.org



NEEDED: QUILTERS – Please join us for quilting Tuesdays, 9:30 a.m. until, starting January 7. Bring a bagged lunch. No school, no quilting.

A CLIPBOARD ON WHICH TO LIST MAINTENANCE NEEDS REQUESTS is posted on the end of the mailboxes.

A DAYTIME BIBLE STUDY IS BEING HELD ON WEDNESDAYS through April 16, 10-11 a.m.--"Jesus, Disciples, & Apostles". Meet in the Choir Room/Bethany Classroom. If questions, contact Carlyle Cline or Leona Raines Wyrick. All are welcome! Info sheets are on the Hospitality Desk and the table outside the church office.

TO HELP BROTHERN DISASTER MINISTRIES FINANCIALLY, donations can be made by using this QR-code to navigate through our secure online giving site or by making a donation to the church (mark your check memo line "Brethren Disaster Ministries" and if using an envelope, please also mark the envelope). Donations may be placed in an offering box, dropped by the office, or mailed to the church.



IN CASE OF INCLEMENT WEATHER, check WHSV-TV 3 for announcements of church-related delays, postponements, or cancellations. Cancellations will also be announced through the Mill Creek Connections email list.



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