

First Church of the Brethren Roaring Spring, Pennsylvania May 31, 2026

Community Greeting

Announcements

Enter the Light of Christ Hymn #87 *Great Is The Lord*

Call to Worship Bobbi Beers

One: Open your ears, dear friends.

All: We are listening, Lord.

One: Open your eyes, dear friends.

All: We want to see, Lord.

One: Open your hearts, dear friends.

All: We welcome the vulnerable, Lord.

One: In Christ, you are invited to explore and try new things, rooted in the Holy Scriptures.

All: Let us worship together this day, knowing the God calls us to plant seeds and grow.

Praise Through Video: Camp Blue Diamond (The Jesus Way – Phil Wickham)

Children's Story Betsy Garach (*Children ages Pre-K through 5th Grade are invited to attend Children's Church*)

Graduate and Teacher Recognition

Sharing of Joys & Concerns
Congregational Prayer

Hymn: #6 *Here In This Place*

Scripture: 1 Peter 2:5-9

Sermon: Let's Grow the Kingdom!

Offertory Thought

Offertory

*Doxology

*Offertory Prayer

*Closing Hymn # 226 *You Are Salt For The Earth*

*Benediction

* Postlude

*Those who are able are invited to stand.

Bold print indicates congregational response.

Some parts of this service were adopted from The Abingdon Worship Annual

Please include in your prayers: Dave Hagstrom, Gary Speck, Audrey Smith, Don Peters, Hank & Mary Ann Meetze, Jane Brumbaugh, Beth Burns, Jane Thompson, Bobbi Beers, Elaine Frazier, Bob Delozier, Nevin Dell, Dan & Carol Emerick, Signe Dellinger, Arlene & Fred Beers, Bill & Carolyn Grubb, Tom Thompson, Tommy Smith, Karen Long, Gary & Connie Fluke, Jim Hoover, Pete & Carol Imler, Eric Thompson, Dorothy Holsinger, Sharlene Wood, Barbara Roush, Betty Estep, first responders, Camp Blue Diamond, those affected by natural disasters, our church family.

Please sign the Friendship Attendance Register located on each pew, including any **changes** of information.

New attenders are encouraged to share their information when they are comfortable with doing so.



Today's Bulletins are in Honor of Abe Russell & Mike Burns

The Christian Life Candle is lit today to celebrate the wedding of Natalie Hershberger to Dan Wright today in State College.

Serving Today	Serving Next Sunday	
Candlelighter		
Organist	Cathy Petre	Cathy Neal
Pianist	Marcia Fleck	Cathy Petre
Worship Leader	Bobbi Beers	Lois Lynn
Storyteller	Betsy Garach	Bethann Frederick
Children's Church	Amy Nooyen	Jodie & Bella Dellinger
Welcome Center	Darlene Wyland	Darlene Wyland
Parking Lot		Don Bookhammer
Greeter	Sandy Burket & John Holsinger	
Deacon Greeters	Travis & Angie Russell	JD Barry
Head Ushers: John Holsinger J D Barry, Pat Frazier, Bill Evans Worship Coordinator & Choir Director: Terry Hershberger Chancel Choir Accompanist: Cathy Petre Secretary: Courtney Whitfield		
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Stewardship Report for May 24, 2026

Worship attendance	124
Weekly Budget Offering	\$ 5,931.37
Weekly Offering	\$ 4,887.00
YTD Budget Income	\$ 124,558.82
Year to date Income	\$ 133,273.92
Year-to-date Expenses	\$ 124,792.63

There is a colorful New Balance light jacket that was left in the overflow room and is now outside the office. If this is yours, that's where you can collect it!

Nancy Lewis would like to **remind** everyone that they are invited to attend a Celebration of Life in honor of her mother, Nancy Musselman, Saturday, June 6th at 1 pm here at the church.

Children's Church leaders needed: July 12th & Sept. 13th

May 31- June 7, 2026

Today	9:25 am	Worship
	10:30 am	Sunday School
	Following SS	Graduate Luncheon
Tuesday	9:30 am	Bible Study
	6:00 pm	Leadership Team Mtg.
Wednesday	9:00 am	Quilting
	1:00 pm	Prayer Shawl
	6:15 pm	Virtual Bible Study
	6:30 pm	Chancel Choir
Thursday	9:00 am	Bulletin Deadline
	9:00 am	Breakfast Fellowship
	6:00 pm	Christian Education Mtg.
	6:00 pm	Cove Cause for Cancer Mtg.
	6:30 pm	Knitting
	Saturday	1:00 pm
Sunday	9:25 am	Worship
	10:30 am	Sunday School
	Following SS	Deacon Prayer Gathering

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Offering plates are at the back of the church and at the Welcome Center for anyone who wishes to offer financial support to the work of the Susquehanna Valley Ministry Center.

Volunteers are needed to assist with food and baked goods on Saturday, July 18th from 10 am – 2pm for the Annual Craft Show. Please see a member of the Hospitality Committee if you're able to help!

Don & Diana Bookhammer would like to thank the church family for all the prayers and support during Don's recent knee surgery. Your concern was appreciated!

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Dave Imes – Assistant Sunday School Superintendent

Teachers/Helpers:

Julia Griffith	Karen Eicher
Chad Crumrine	Tori Crumrine
Karen Cottle	Tammy Fluke
Julie Dick	Tom Dick
Mindy Wagner	Sue Fahr
Bobbi Beers	Pastor Dave
Terry Dellinger	Travis Wagner
Betsy Garach	Becky Bianconi
Sandy Norris	Dan Hammel
Keith Hall	Sharon Snider
Terry Hershberger	Shirley Lingenfelter
Marlys Hershberger	Julie Witkovsky

ReCharge – Wednesday evening program held weekly October-March. During summer months, there are monthly meetings at various locations.

Angie Russell – Coordinator

Teachers/Helpers:

Tori Crumrine	Chad Crumrine
Kassidy Snyder	Dana Avvampato
Beth Gore	Julie Dick
Traci Totillo	Amy Nooyen
Dawn Crumrine	Janie Myers
Tammy Carter	

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