

EAST FAIRVIEW CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN
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Our Vision:

We invite you to the Gospel of Jesus Christ...
Believe It! Live It! Share It!

Our Mission:

In obedience to Jesus Christ and empowered by the Holy Spirit, we...
Embrace All People Equip Believers Pursue the Lost
Serve the Needs of People...
This we do to the Glory of God!

Daily Devotionals are available. Grow in your faith using OUR DAILY BREAD and/or THE UPPER ROOM devotionals for your personal or family devotions. Pick up your free copy in the pockets by the lobby bulletin board. The UPPER ROOM devotional is also available in large print.

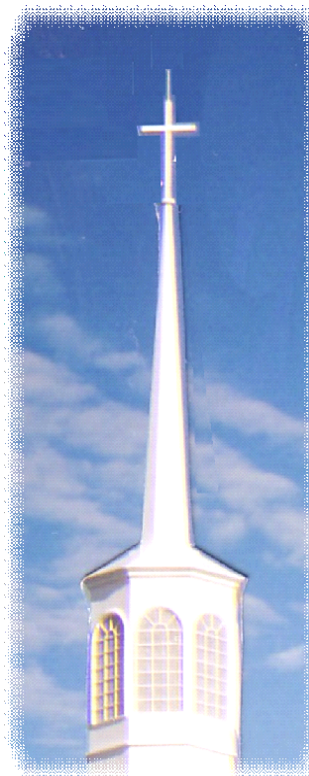
Scripture readings for the week:

Sunday, March 27, 2016	Luke 4:1-13
Monday, March 28, 2016	Luke 9:57-62
Tuesday, March 29, 2016	Luke 14:25-35
Wednesday, March 30, 2016	John 5:16-30
Thursday, March 31, 2016	John 7:25-32
Friday, April 1, 2016	Luke 22:39-46
Saturday, April 2, 2016	Luke 23:26-49



EAST FAIRVIEW

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN



Easter Sunday
March 27, 2016

WELCOME! We're glad you're here and hope you experience a warm welcome. Now relax and worship with us...you're among friends. We hope our fellowship, praise, prayers, and faith will be a blessing to God and an encouragement to you.

Christ the Lord is risen today Alleluia!

March 27, 2016

*“When he had received the drink, Jesus said, ‘It is finished.’
With that, he bowed his head and gave up his spirit.”*

WELCOME

*“For All You’ve Done“
“Christ Arose” (Green 256)
“Cornerstone”*

CHILDREN’S STORY

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

“Crown Him”

GIVING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

(Please print your name in the black attendance folder in your row)

“He Lives” (Green 264)

JOHN 19:30

(Page 1073 in the Worship Bible)

MESSAGE

“Words from the Cross...Victory”

Messenger – Pastor Jimm

“Revelation Song”

BENEDICTION

*Our teachers and others with Sunday School responsibilities are excused during the closing worship song. We are grateful for their dedication and the time they commit to enrich our Sunday mornings.

CALENDAR

SUNDAY *March 27, 2016* Easter Sunday!
 9:00 AM Worship Service
 10:00 AM Café Fellowship Time
 10:20 AM Sunday School Classes

MONDAY 7:00 PM Ladies Bible Study

SUNDAY *April 3, 2016*
 9:00 AM Worship Service
 10:00 AM Café Fellowship Time
 10:20 AM Sunday School Classes

April 9th - Hospitality’s Annual Night of Cards
 April 13th - Explore Church Classes begin
 April 28th - Congregational Business Meeting
 May 7th - SafeChurch Seminar
 May 8th - Mother’s Day
 May 15th - Pentecost Sunday

***We’d like to welcome the following new members to the East Fairview church family...**
 Chuck & Lori Dietz, Leila James, Ann Moyer, Autumn Sauder, Brett Sauder, and Todd Stoltzfus.

ATTENDANCE & STEWARDSHIP FOR LAST SUNDAY
WORSHIP SERVICE - 185 **CHRISTIAN EDUCATION - 124**
 Weekly Budget - \$7,738.00 General Contributions - \$9,936.00
 Designated Giving: Sunday School - Compassion Child - \$15.35
 Building Fund (WOW) - \$50.00 Rental - \$310.00 Ignite - \$100.00
 Missions - \$10.00 One Great Hour of Sharing - \$515.00

The offering is a weekly opportunity for our members and regular attendees to give their tithes and gifts in support of the ministries of East Fairview Church. If you are a first time guest, we’re just glad to worship with you. Please take a moment to record your visit in the black attendance folder located in your row.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

CLASSES BEGIN AT 10:20 AM AND END AT 11:10 AM

ADULTS:

- INSIGHTS ~ Matt Chandler video series - Café
- QUARTERLY ~ Room 112
- BOOK OF EXODUS ~ Room 113
- CONNECTIONS ~ "Ask It" - Conference Room
- NEW YOUNG COUPLES CLASS ~ "Ask It" - Prayer Room
- YOUNG ADULT ~ Room 111

YOUTH:

- Senior High ~ SURGE Room.
- Junior High ~ Room 110

CHILDREN:

- Nursery - Infants - Age 1
- Little Lambs - 2 - 3 Year Olds (across from the nursery)
- God's Garden - 4 Year Olds - Grade 1 (Room 105-downstairs)
- The Bear's Den - Grades 2 - 5 (Room 101-downstairs)

2015 End-of-Year Statements

If you gave offerings by envelope last year and want a year-end statement, please see Paul Bruckhart.

MC Food Pantry...This Month's Needs:

The items most needed this month include:

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| *Canned Chicken | *Cereal | *Canned Pineapples |
| *Peanut Butter | *Canned Pasta | *Canned Pears |
| *Saltines | *Crackers | *Applesauce |
| *Paper Towels | *Toilet Paper | |

Happy Birthday to... Last week (cont.)...Andrew

Weaver, Carolyn Ochoa, Marcia Espensen, Jessica Maracci, Luke Bruckhart, and Bill Haupt.

This week...Brenda Chernich, Austin Edris, Nikki Groff, Toby Rohrer, Marlaina Vener, Barb Brandt, Nicholas Nolan, Dalton Pickel, Shaun Rhinier, Fred Atwater, Nate Bires, Bernie Shenk, Jr, Rob Bires, Steve Edris, and Mary Lou Shirk.



Words from the Cross...Victory

Things to remember from today's message...

The church nursery (which is available for children ages 0 - 3) is located back the main hallway, past the restrooms, on the left. Please feel free to entrust your children to us for this hour.

Our Christian Sympathy goes out to...

*Harold Groff and his family upon the death of his mother, Elizabeth Groff, on March 11th.

*Charles Greiner and his family upon the death of his mother, Betty Greiner, on March 18th.

*Norman & Nancy Minnick and their family upon the death of their daughter-in-law, Shelley Bulett, on March 21st.

Ladies Bible Study

Monday, March 28th, 7:00pm in the café.

Carol Kent shares her insights on the first of her life-changing principles, Time Alone With God. She shares Christ's example of His time alone with God and how we can model that in our daily lives. Join us for this insightful study.

Proposed Amendment to By-Laws

An amendment to the East Fairview By-Laws has been drafted and is available at the Welcome Desk. **Please pick up a copy and review it before it is presented at our congregational business meeting in April.**

Ready to sing again?...or maybe for the first time?

Please consider joining us in the choir (open to ages 16 and older) as we prepare a few songs before Summer is here. Rehearsals will be every other Monday from 7-8pm beginning April 4th and ending May 30th. We plan on singing 3 times before the summer break (tentatively May 15, 22, and June 5). Any questions, or if interested in participating, please contact Charity Sauder at 653-8035.

Lancaster Area Senior Adult Spring Banquet

Thursday, April 7th, 12 Noon at Middle Creek COB

Sign up at the Welcome Desk by tomorrow, March 28th!

Annual Night of Cards

April 9th at 6:00 PM in the Café

Join us for this fun, annual night of playing Monte Carlo. This is a terrific way to get to know people. The game is easy to learn, so prior experience is NOT needed. Invite your friends and meet us in the café the evening of April 9th. Bring snacks to share and don't forget to sign up at the Welcome Desk. You may call a Hospitality Team member if you have any questions.

April Newsletters...are available in your mailbox and in the revolving rack in the Narthex. If you don't have a mailbox and would like one, please let Pastor Jimm or Nate Sauder know.

God's Girls Bible Study (3rd-5th Graders)

Girls - Do you ever feel anxious?...Worried?...Peer pressure? You're not alone! God's Girls - a bible study for girls in 3rd - 5th grade - will meet Wednesdays in April from 6:30 - 7:30pm here at East Fairview. Invite a friend & join us! Contact Mandi Stoltzfus, Family Ministries Coordinator, at mandi.stoltzfus@gmail.com or 203-1794 with questions.

Exploring Church Classes

If you have recently joined, or are considering joining East Fairview in the future, you are invited to attend the **Exploring Church** classes on **Wednesday evenings, April 13th, 20th and 27th**. We will be meeting in the library. Please let Pastor Jimm know of your interest.

SafeChurch Update

As part of our partnership with SafeChurch, a second SafeChurch education session will be held for all adult classes in the café during Sunday School on **Sunday, April 10th**. This session is titled, "How Sexual Offenders 'Groom' Children: What Every Adult Needs to Know." It outlines the 5-step grooming process and includes a compelling video, *It's Not Just Jenna*, based on a true story of a teen abused by a family friend. Learn how to identify red flags and how to protect children in the church and beyond.

Ladies Bible Study Social

Monday, April 11 @ 7pm

Ann Moyer's home – 243 Fairview Road, Manheim

Ready to learn and dig deeper into the Bible? Interested in learning how to support and encourage each other through studying God's word? Join us for food, fun and information about the next Bible study topic. For questions or more information, contact Carol Fahnestock at 898-0707 or fahnestock90@gmail.com.

Brethren DRM Service Opportunities

The Church of the Brethren Disaster Relief Mission (BDM) has many opportunities to serve throughout 2016. BDM is known and respected nationally as a disaster relief organization and specifically for first responders of child care for those impacted by disaster and "long term/second" responders for disaster recovery. BDM is currently assisting in S. Carolina and Colorado. The COB Atlantic Northeast District will pay for the majority of travel expenses - so there's no reason not to go! BDM partners with Mennonite first responders as well. If interested in helping or want more info., contact Scott Moyer at 203-0458 or scott.a.moyer@pwc.com.