

FIRST CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

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**WE ARE CALLED TO BE A CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY
SHARING THE LOVE OF GOD**

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Welcome/Announcements

Worship Leader: Pat Tritt

Preparing for Worship: *“He who demands mercy and shows none ruins the bridge over which he himself is to pass.” - Thomas Adams*

Prelude: “We Are One Body” Carlisle Church of the Brethren Youth Praise Team – 2001 Annual Conf. Words and Music by Dana Scallon

***Call to Worship:**

Leader: Having been abundantly blessed with God’s mercy,

Congregation: do we stand in judgment of others?

Leader: The idea is ludicrous, but nearly all of us are guilty. But Jesus patiently reminds us

Congregation: “Blessed are the merciful, for they shall be shown mercy.”

Leader: Lord, mold our hearts to mirror the mercy found in yours,

All: and as the tax collector prayed, we humbly pray “Have mercy on me, a sinner.”

***Opening Prayer:** Pat Tritt

Music Video: “All Hail the Power of Jesus Name”
(Humming encouraged)

Lifting Joys and Concerns in Prayer

Worship in Music: “Halle Halle Halle” Carlisle Church of the Brethren Youth Praise Team - 2001 Annual Conf. Traditional Caribbean Song

Sharing Offerings of Praise: *Therefore, by Him let us continually offer the sacrifice of praise to God, that is the fruit of our lips, giving thanks to His name...for with such sacrifices God is well pleased.* Hebrews 13:15-16

Testimony of Praise: Paula Detwiler

Doxology: Pat Tritt

Scripture: Jonah 3:5 through 4:4 Pat Tritt

Message: “Messengers of Mercy” Pastor Jerry

Music Video: “Mighty To Save” *(Humming encouraged)*

Closing Prayer and Benediction: Pat Tritt

Postlude: “Spirit Song” Carlisle Church of the Brethren Youth Praise Team – 2001 Annual Conf. Words and Music by John Wimber

Dismissal: Beginning with the back pews, ushers dismissing attendees one pew at a time

***Stand as you are able**