

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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+Stand as you are able

Welcome

Thought: "If your desires be endless, your cares and fears will be so, too." Thomas Fuller

Prelude:

+Call to Worship:

One: May your love and mercy be upon us today, O Lord.

**ALL: CLEANSE AND REFRESH US FROM EVERY
TRANSGRESSION.**

One: Let your joy and gladness dawn in our spirits,

**ALL: AND THE RECREATING POWER OF YOUR SPIRIT
MAKE US NEW.**

One: Have mercy upon us O God,

**ALL: AND LET YOUR SPIRIT LEAD US IN TRUTH AND
RIGHTEOUSNESS. AMEN.***

+Hymnal: My Faith Looks Up to Thee No. 565

+Prayer

Scripture: Psalm 51: 1-9

Silent Reflection

Choir: "Bring back the springtime."

Words/Music, Kurt Kaiser, arr. John Purfoy

Sharing our Tithes and Offerings: "Each of you must give as you have made up your mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver." (2 Corinthians 9:7)

Offertory

+Songbook: More Love to Thee
+Prayer

No 46, vs. 1

Scripture: 2 Sam. 11:1-5, 26-27, 12: 1-9

Songbook: Change My heart O God

No.10

Juniors dismissed to Junior Worship

Message: Consequences of Coveting
Pastor Marla

+Hymnal: Have Thine Own Way

No. 504

Congregational Sharing

Announcements
Joys and Concerns
Prayer
The Lord's Prayer

Benediction (John Birch)

The peace of God be in your heart
The grace of God be in your words
The love of God be in your hands
The joy of God be in your soul
and in the song that your life sings.**

Postlude

*website. <http://www.lectionarysermons.com/>

**http://www.faithandworship.com/blessings_and_benedictions.html#ixzz5UCQC9HEQ

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sadler Health Center is sponsoring a new group meeting called GRANDS; a confidential and safe environment to provide support for family members raising children due to the impact of the Opioid Crisis. These meetings are being held the 1st Tuesday of each month from 6:00 to 7:00 pm at the YWCA, 301 G Street in Carlisle, starting October 2nd. Reservations are not required but are encouraged. For more information, call (717) 243-3818 or info@ywcacarlisle.org.

When you shop at Giant be sure to save all your food and gas receipts dated between October 1-31. Giant will then donate \$1 for each receipt, up to \$5,000, to enable Project SHARE to "Nourish Our Community..."

November 1st in the Nicarry Meetinghouse, the Friends of Cross Keys will have a Paparazzi Jewelry Sale from 8am to 3pm.

There is a Veteran's Day service on Nov. 8 at 6 PM at the Army Heritage Center, co-sponsored by CARC.

There is a copy of Hymns of Praise on the table in the back of the lobby if anyone would like to take it home.

Special event for caregivers, see bulletin board.

Saint Patrick Church is offering a 3 part series on Battling Addiction. The focus is on the family, friends, co-workers, community and churches affected by the addiction crisis as a whole and how it impacts relationships. Each part stands alone.

- **It's All in Your Brain** November 7 - 6:45-8:30 pm
Understand Addiction and its effects
- **I Want You Back** November 14 - 6:45-8:30 pm
Using science and Gospel to help family members

- **All's Quiet** November 28th 6:45-8:30 pm
Finding long term resources and support

These sessions are presented by Rick Gross, Licensed Clinical Social Worker and Certified Addictions Counselor, a parishioner at St. Patrick's Parish. He currently works for the Army as a prevention specialist and continues to do counseling in a private practice setting. Flyer is on bulletin board.

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

TODAY

- 9:00 am Sunday School
- 10:15 am Worship Service

MONDAY October 22

- 7:00 pm Wampler Bible Study

TUESDAY, October 23

- 9:00 am Quilting
- 6:30 SOPA Executive Com. Mtg.

WEDNESDAY, October 24

- 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, October 25

- 6:30 Dist. Ministry Com.

SUNDAY, October 28

- 9:00 am Sunday School
- 10:15 am Worship Service

Jim and Marla Abe are on vacation 10/23 through 10/30-
Please see Deacons for needs