Schedules

10/20/24

Worship Leader: Gayle Denk **Acolyte:** Lyric Abbott

Gayle & Scott Denk **Greeters:**

*Denny Hoffman, Bill Creager **Ushers:**

Zach Denk, Jim Hoffman

10/27/24

Worship Leader: Paul Banjak **Acolyte: Emmet Murchie** Amy & Jim O'Hara **Greeters:**

*Kevin Kiser, *Jeff Deyarmin Ushers:

Joe Boratko, Patrick Hoffman

11/3/24

Morning Worship

Worship Leader: Brett Hoffman **Acolyte: Emmet Murchie Greeters:** Janet & Bill Hoffman

*Brett Hoffman, Scott Denk **Ushers:**

Brian Weaver, Lionel Berkebile

LAST WEEK'S October 6 **STATISTICS** Offerings Attendance Online Views \$34.00 Sunday School 20 57 17 \$2,684.00

Weekly Amount Needed to meet Budget - \$2,935.⁶⁷

Thank you for joining us today! See you next week!



COVENANT BRETHREN CHURCH Sunday, October 13th, 2024

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PARTICIPANTS in WORSHIP TODAY

Worship Leader: Chuck Madera **Acolyte:** Piper Hoffman

Mary Lou & Lionel Berkebile **Greeters:** *Nathan Hoffman, Mike Hasse **Ushers:**

Joe Denk, Dave Oatman

Norma Creager Musician:

Linking Young and Old Together in Service to Christ and One Another

Ordinary Time

October 13th, 2024

10:30 A.M.

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

Prelude

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

We welcome your presence.

Feel free at this time to share any announcements.

OPENING PRAYER

**Hymn #318 "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

Responsive Reading: (Psalm 34:11-17)

Leader: "Come, my children, listen to me; I will teach you the fear of the Lord.

People: Whoever of you loves life and desires to see many good days.

Leader: Keep your tongue from evil and your lips from speaking lies.

People: Turn from evil and do good; seek peace and pursue it.

Leader: The eyes of the Lord are on the righteous and His ears are attentive to their cry;

People: The righteous cry out, and the Lord hears them; He delivers them from all their troubles.

ALL: The Lord is close to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit."

Scripture Reading—Ephesians 2:1-10

**Hymn #621 "Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus"

MOMENTS FOR PRAYER

You are invited to share any spoken joys, testimonies, concerns and requests for prayer at this time.

Instrumental Call to Prayer

Morning Prayer

Worship with Tithes and Offerings

Call to offering (leader only)

"But seek first His kingdom and His righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well." (Mathew 6:33)

Offertory

**Hymn of Dedication #382

"Doxology"

(At this time children age 3 thru 2nd grade are invited to leave for <u>Children's Church</u> and there also will be an attendant in the <u>Nursery</u> for infants to age 3)

Scripture Reading—Psalm 22

Message

"GOD WORKS THROUGH STRUGGLE"

**Closing Hymn #622 "O How He Loves You and Me"

**Benediction

**Closing refrain #234 "He is Lord"

He is Lord, He is Lord

He is risen from the dead and He is Lord

Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess

That Jesus Christ is Lord

**Postlude

PRAYER CONCERNS

I MITTER CONCERNS		
SHORT TERM	LONG TERM –CANCER:	
Baby Noah	Terry Berkebile	
Diane Briesmiester	Bryan Custer	
Doug Bruce	Dale	
Richard Burkett	Teresa Freeboy	
Gerry Bush	Jess Harclerode	
Joe Cannoni	Jack	
Aubrey Cook	Jodi	
Gary Caputo	John – Amy Berkey's uncle	
Bryan Custer	Joni	
Mary Dorich	Jim Kormanik	
Baby Evelyn	Mike	
Karen Fluder	Delene Pluta	
Donna Johnson	Diane Podolak	
Kasey Kick	Bev & Tom Pomroy	
Dolores Kish	Ryan Pritt	
Carol Kohler	Rick Roman	
Dawn Miller	Debbie Shoemaker	
Hilda Miller	Susan Simmonds	
Isaac Miller	Pastor Val	
David Oatman		
Kathleen Otto	MISSION WORK	
Tammy Plows	Ben & Jessi Bock & Family,	
Chris Shuster	Spain	
Bev Stein		
Jakeson Utz	Andrew Metcalfe,	
Thomas Wade	Samaritan's Purse	
Matt Wilson – deployed		
Pat Yates family	Rumbavu CBC, Rwanda,	
	Africa	

CALENDAR

TODAY 10/13/24	Sunday School Morning Worship Acts 29 Youth @ Rummel	9:15am 10:30am 6:00-8:00pm
MONDAY 10/14/24	Executive Meeting	7:00pm
TUESDAY 10/15/24	Men's Small Group Study	6:00pm
THURSDAY 10/17/24	Fellowship Meal Bible Study - <u>Ecclesiastes</u>	5:00pm 6:00pm
SUNDAY 10/20/24	Sunday School Morning Worship Acts 29 Youth @ Corn Maze	9:15am 10:30am 5:00pm

Upcoming Sermons:

New Series: "No Longer A Caterpillar" – Romans 12 10/20 – "Metamorphosis" – Rom. 12:1-2 10/27 – "New Gifts" – Rom. 12:3-8 11/3 -- "Let Love" -- Rom. 12:9-11 11/10 -- "Enduring Hope" -- Rom. 12:12-16

Thursday Night Fellowship & Bible Study

We will have Bible study @ 6:00 this Thursday evening. Our next meal will be on Thursday Oct. 17th. All are welcome! We are studying the book of Ecclesiastes. Come join us!

ACTS 29 Youth Group

We are meeting tonight from 6:00-8:00 @ Rummel. Bring a friend!! Next week we will be going to the Corn Maze at Weakland Farms.

Men's Small Group Study this Fall: Tuesday Nights, 6:00

All men are invited to join our men's fall bible study every Tuesday from 6:00-7:30 in the fellowship hall and will continue through Nov. 5. We are doing the study, *Play the Man*, a series by Mark Batterson. Join us on Tuesday's!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome Visitors!!

We invite you to take a visitors pamphlet located on the stand in the lobby. Please fill out a visitor card so that we can contact you and get to know you. You can place the visitor card in the offering plates! Thanks for being with us today!

Treat or Treat

TREAT-or-TREAT Treat or treat will be held on Thursday, October 31st from 6-8pm. There is a candy donation bucket outside of the office.

Bella Gift Cards

Bella gift cards are available to purchase as a fundraiser for the United Churches of Windber. Please contact Mary Lou Berkebile (814-467-5206), Carol Caputo (814-467-9048) or Pastor Mark (814-467-8460)

EMPTY CAKE MIX BOXES

We are still in need of about **30 EMPTY CAKE MIX BOXES** to complete the "Books of the Bible" project for the children's Sunday School class. Empty boxes can be put in the bag in the library. Thank you so much!

Congregational Business Meeting & Constitution Approval

There will be Congregational Business Meeting on Sunday Nov. 3 following worship with a luncheon to follow afterwards. At the meeting, we will be voting for new church officers, the 2025 budget and also voting to approve the revised and updated Constitution. Copies of the constitution are in the lobby for you to look through and review. You are welcome to ask Pastor Mark or Board Chair Zach Denk any questions about the constitution or bring them up at the meeting. Thank you!

SAVE THE DATE:

Sign up NOW for the Soup & Salad luncheon after the Congregational Meeting on Sunday NOVEMBER 3.

NURSERY

The NURSERY will be staffed during the second half of the morning worship service should any parent of infants to 3 years old wish to drop off their child. Also, if anyone is interested in volunteering to help with this ministry, please see Emily Hoffman for more information.

KINDNESS CHALLENGE

Remember to pick up your October Kindness Challenge, "The Forgotten Note" in the lobby. Feel free to share this challenge with your family and others as we thank someone for a kindness they have shown to us.



The Deacons are sponsoring a diaper/baby wipes collection for AUTUMN RAYNE BORATKO born September 16, 2024, (6 lbs. 10 oz.) to Joe & Lacy Boratko. Celebrate with our church family as we are blessed with another "gift from God" by placing donations in the small crib in the foyer during the month of October. Thank you!

College Student of the Month

Our College Student for the month of October is Joe Denk. He is the son of Gayle and Scott Denk. Joe graduated from Windber Area High School in 2021 and is currently a senior at UPJ majoring in Computer Engineering. He enjoys traveling, going to events on campus and of course computers. Joe is serving on our church board and is the Stewards Commission chairperson. We ask you to lift him up in prayer and encourage him in some special way for the month of October. He address is: 510 Sugar Maple Drive Windber, PA 15963

TREASURES

The Women's Fellowship along with the Nurture Commission have uncovered some "TREASURES" which were found stored in the Aide Room. Please feel free to visit the Fellowship Hall THIS SUNDAY 10/13 and NEXT SUNDAY 10/20 and help yourselves to ANYTHING that you, your family, or a friend may be able to use!

Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Child

This fall, as a church family we will be looking to fill as a goal 50 shoeboxes through Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Child. Each shoebox we fill will be sent to a child somewhere in the world who would not normally receive a gift. With each shoebox goes the message of the gospel.

Here is how it works: First, pray and ask the Lord what He is calling you to do. Then go to the table in the lobby and:

- 1) Pick up a shoebox (you are welcome to do more than 1),
- 2) grab a "how to pack a shoepack" pamphlet which comes with a shoebox label -- grab 1 pamphlet per box you pack,
- 3) choose the age range and gender of the child you will pack for
- 4) begin to get the items for your box.
- 5) return your box(es) with your label taped to it to the church by Sunday Nov. 3rd. We will take time in the service to pray over the boxes and then we will deliver them to a pick-up site. Pray throughout the process for the child that will receive your box! If you have any questions, you can contact Pastor Mark.
- 6) In addition to filling each shoebox, there is a \$10 shipping fee per box. The church is able and willing to pay the shipping cost for each box. But, if you are willing to pay the fee for your shoeboxes, please take an offering envelope from the shoeboxes table, enclose your donation, and put it in the offering plate. Or if you would rather pay the fee online at the Samaritan's Purse website, please let the church office or Pastor Mark know. Thanks!

Pastor Appreciation Month

October is Pastor Appreciation Month, so why not express your gratitude and appreciation for Pastor Mark by sending him a note, keeping him and his family in prayer, and just say thanks for being there for all of us. Pastor Mark Murchie, Ashley, Anne, Carl, Emmet, and Clara 404 Cambria Ave. Windber, PA 15963

Mark your calendars NOW for....

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 16 11:00am- 3:00pm (3 years old thru 5th grade)

