

MINISTERS - ALL MEMBERS OF THE CONGREGATION

PASTORAL & OFFICE STAFF

Pastor.....Joel Gibbel, pastor@yorkfirst.org
Church Admin. Asst......Karen Bowman, secretary@yorkfirst.org

ASSISTING IN WORSHIP

Music Director.....Rebecca Wolf
Accompanist.....Becca Miller
Worship Leader.....Ruoxia Li
Special Music.....Ethan Liu
Children's Time.....Rebecca Wolf
Audio/Visual.....Dave McCracken, Jay Crist
Ushers.....**Leader – Becky Wenger**, Darrell Gipe
.....Marjorie Schardt, Steve Hoover, Melanie Miller
Worship Center Team.....Judy Yingling, Bev Raney
.....Sheldon & Doris Markel
Today's Greeters.....John & Mary Esther Anderson
Next Week's Greeters.....Sheldon & Doris Markel
Nursery Attendants..... Jen Smart, Bri Herbst

DEACONS are available and their responsibilities include assisting the pastor with the care of the congregation. If you have a need that a deacon may help you with, please contact your deacon or contact the church office or Pastor Joel.

Please see one of our ushers at the entrance to the sanctuary if you need LARGE PRINT bulletins or hymnals. Hearing Assistance Devices are available from the A/V booth in the back of the sanctuary.

Activity bags for children to use during worship are available as you enter the sanctuary. Nursery care is available and the “worship nursery” in the rear of the sanctuary is open for use anytime.

The church issues a weekly e-newsletter each Friday. To subscribe, please email secretary@yorkfirst.org

Worship attendance last Sunday: 82

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

“Called to Speak”

Romans 12:3-8



July 30, 2023



Continuing the work of Jesus
Peacefully
Simply
Together

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FIRST CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

*"To become a community of committed Christians
who Love God, Share Christ, and Serve the World"*

10:30 AM

July 30, 2023

WELCOME AND THE WORK OF THE CHURCH

PRELUDE "You Are Mine" Hayes

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: The invitation is given to every person by Jesus Christ:
"Come to me! Follow me! Be my disciples!"

**People: We come to this place, to this time,
at the invitation of Jesus Christ.**

Leader: In the name of Christ,

People: we accept the invitation to discipleship.

Leader: In the name of Christ,

People: as his disciples, we worship and praise God.

Leader: In the midst of a world where cruelty abounds,

People: we proclaim the God of Compassion.

Leader: In the midst of despair that threatens to swallow up
whole lives, whole peoples,

People: we proclaim the God of Hope.

Leader: In the midst of indifference and apathy,

People: we proclaim the God of Love.

Leader: Come, let us worship together and share our witness
of God's living presence in the world.

***HYMN** "Let's Walk Together" Insert

*INVOCATION PRAYER

CHILDREN'S TIME Rebecca Wolf

SPECIAL MUSIC "Fragrance of Flowers" He Zhang

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

Joys and Concerns
Pastoral Prayer

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Romans 12:3-8 (Page 987)

MESSAGE "Called to Speak"

***HYMN OF RESPONSE** "There are many gifts" #304

GIFTS AND OFFERINGS

Invitation to Giving

Offertory "Here I Am, Lord" Hayes

*Offering Response "Praise God from whom" #119(v1)

*Offering Prayer

***HYMN OF SENDING** "Renew your church" #363

***SENDING PRAYER** #763

***POSTLUDE** "Renew your church"

*Please stand in body or spirit.

This Week at a Glance:

Tues 8/1 4:00 pm Food Pantry Open 4:00 to 5:30 pm

Sun 8/6 9:00 am Sunday School

10:30 am Worship Service – Sanctuary

You may use this QR code
to access our church's online giving

