

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 Leaders.....Steve & Nancy Jones
Children's Time.....Rebecca Wolf, Pastor Joel
Audio/Visual.....Jason Wolf, Josh Kovacs
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, Brittney Beckwith

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.

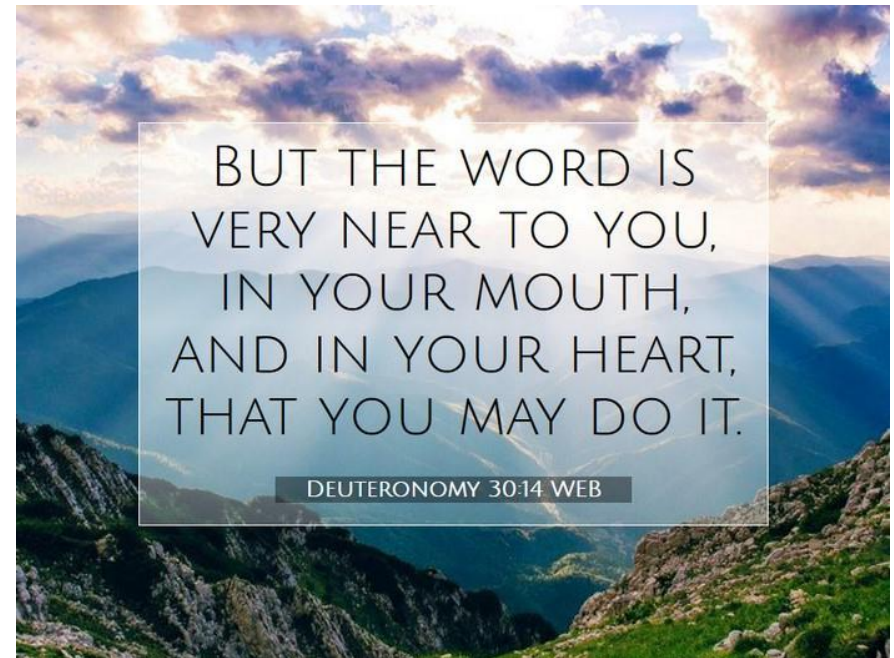
The church issues a weekly e-newsletter each Friday. To subscribe, please email secretary@yorkfirst.org

Worship attendance last Sunday: 87

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

“The Word is Near”

Romans 10:8-13



April 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

April 30, 2023

WELCOME AND THE WORK OF THE CHURCH

PRELUDE *"Blessings"* Keveren

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Let us receive the message of God,
which I have heard and declare unto you.

**People: God is love, and every one that loves
is born of God and knows God.**

Leader: God is light; in God there is not darkness at all.
When we walk in the light,
we have fellowship with one another.

**People: Let us declare the praises of God,
who called us out of darkness
into this wonderful light
and this fellowship of love.**

*HYMN *"They'll Know We Are Christians"* (Insert - CH 429)

*INVOCATION PRAYER

CDC CHOIR ANTHEMS

"He's Got the Whole World in His Hands"
"Father Abraham"

CHILDREN'S TIME Rebecca Wolf and Pastor Joel

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

Joys and Concerns
Pastoral Prayer

CHANCEL CHOIR ANTHEM *"Siyahamba"*

SCRIPTURE LESSON Romans 10:8-13 (Page 985)

MESSAGE

"The Word is Near"

*HYMN OF RESPONSE *"In Christ there is no East or West"* #306

GIFTS AND OFFERINGS

Invitation to Giving

Offertory *"Grace Alone"* Hayes

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

*Offering Prayer

*HYMN OF SENDING *"Sent forth by God's blessing"* #478

*SENDING PRAYER

*POSTLUDE *"Children of the Heavenly Father"* Larson

*Please stand in body or spirit.

A special welcome today to the PreK children's choir from our Child Development Center who are singing in worship today – and all CDC families who have joined us! We are delighted to have you with us and have appreciated the chance to sing with the children this school year. Please be assured that you are welcome among us, and know that activity bags and a nursery space are available if needed. Thank you for joining us for this special time together.

This Week at a Glance:

Tues 5/2	9:30 am	Ladies Bible Study – Anna Mow Room
	4:00 pm	Food Pantry Open 4:00 to 5:30 pm
	6:45 pm	Worship Team – Anna Mow Room
Wed 5/3	9:00 am	Staff Meeting – Multi-purpose Room
Thurs 5/4	7:30 pm	Choir Practice – Sanctuary
Sun 5/7	9:00 am	Sunday School
	10:30 am	Worship Service – Sanctuary

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