

FIRST CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

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Prelude

Choir

Meditation Fear not for the Lord is with you!

Welcome & Announcements

***Call to Worship**

2 Corinthians 5:17

“Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation.
The old has passed away; behold, the new has come.”

***Invocation**

Responsive Reading

L: This is the day that the Lord has made.

P: We will be glad and rejoice in it.

L: This is the year that the Lord has begun.

P: We will rejoice and be glad in it.

L: Because of the Lord's great love we are not consumed, for
his compassions never fail. They are new every morning.

P: Great is your faithfulness.

L: The Lord is good to those whose hope is in him, to those
who seek him.

P: Great is your faithfulness, O Lord.

Offertory Meditation

Psalms 100:4

“Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise!
Give thanks to him; bless his name!”

Giving our Tithes and Offerings

***Doxology and Prayer of Blessing**

Children's Story

Jessica Villanueva

***Hymn of Praise**

(Brown) #85

"Breathe on Me, Breath of God"

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Prayer

Scripture

Psalm 147:12-20

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Special Music

"10,000 Reasons"

Choir

Message

"God's Gift of Scripture"

Pastor Ed

Moment of Silence

***Invitational Hymn**

(Brown) #73

"Jesus is the Answer"

***Benediction**

***Sending Hymn**

(Brown) #73

"Jesus is the Answer"

(Refrain)

(* - Rise as able in body and spirit)

"Our hope is not in the new year,
but in the One who makes all things new."

—Unknown