

Creekside Church of the Brethren

December 30, 2018, 9:30 a.m.

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GATHERING TO REJOICE AND SING:

1 Renew

"O come, let us adore Him"

7 Renew

"Praise the name of Jesus"

WELCOME

Karen Lewallen

OPENING PRAYER

*CALL TO WORSHIP: (responsive) *on screen*

*OPENING HYMN: *on screen*

"Go tell it on the mountain"

*INVOCATION: (unison) *on screen*

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Becky Miller

(Sing *"Jesus loves me"* as children come forward.)

Nursery care available for preschool age and younger.

JOYS AND CONCERNS

CALL TO PRAYER: 592 Blue

"Love divine, all loves excelling"

MORNING PRAYER

INVITATION TO OFFERING

Offertory

*Offertory Response: 136 Renew, vv. 1, 2, 4

"Alleluia"

*Prayer of Dedication

HYMN: *on screen*

"He came down"

SCRIPTURE READING: Luke 2:41-52

MESSAGE: *"Mother and Child"*

Betty Kelsey

*CLOSING HYMN: 189 Blue

"To us a child of hope is born"

*BENEDICTION

*Please stand as you are able

Hearing assistance devices are available on the Ushers' table.

Sunday School 11:00-11:45am

Nursery Room 505, Preschool-Kindergarten Room 506,

Grades 1-5 Room 405, Jr. High Room 203, Senior High Room 301

Thee Seekers Room 303: Ragamuffin Gospel book study

Onward Rm 106: There's a Hole in Your Soul Only God Can Fill book study

Overcomers Room 201: My Time with God devotional

Class in Library: Trusting Christ When Your Life Gets Confusing book study

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK OF DECEMBER 30, 2018

Upcoming Events

Tuesday	Jan. 1	Happy New Year! <i>Office closed</i>
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PRAYER REQUESTS:

- Ronnie & Mary Lou Martin
- Jan Birr
- Hassan Dicks and his family
- Cal & Jean Graber
- Lee & Deana Markley
- Michael Downing is home after his asthma attack

CREEKSIDE SHARING:

- Thank you for your generous gifts to the Creekside staff! They were a happy Christmas surprise.
- Thank you for your additional gifts to Creekside at the end of 2018. Those will be counted through today, Dec. 30. God bless you.

Please review our Weather Cancellation Policy in the January Connection. If you have questions, call the office.