"Is It the Same God in the Old and New Testaments?" Jonah 1:1-16

July 14, 2024 9:00 a.m. Worship

Pianist: Geoffrey Zimmerly

Organist: Phyllis Snyder

Welcome

Prelude: "Resplendent Praise" - piano/organ

*Invitation to Worship: If we walk in the light as He is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, And the blood of Jesus Christ His Son cleanses us from all sin.

*Song: "Wonderful Grace of Jesus" page 338

Scripture: Jonah 1:1-16 (page 1436)

Prayer

Ministry in Music: "Fairest Lord Jesus" piano/organ

Special Music: "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring" -Ted Peplowski, trumpet Geoffrey Zimmerly, piano

***Song:** "Grace Greater than Our Sin" page 344 *Children 4-9 years old are released to the back of the sanctuary for Children's Church*

Message: "Is It the Same God in the Old and New Testaments?"

*Song: "Amazing Grace" page 343

*Closing Prayer and Response "Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus" page 340

*If able, please stand

Flowers on the communion table have been given by Craig & Gwen Zimmerly in celebration of the birthdays of Rosalie (7/6) and Geneva (6/9).

SMITHVILLE BRETHREN CHURCH

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First Time @ Smithville Brethren?

Welcome, we are thrilled to have you as our guest today. Here is some information you will find helpful.

First, there is a gift waiting for you at our welcome center in the main lobby. Please stop by so we can give it to you.

Second, we would like you to know that we have two worship services here at Smithville Brethren. We have a 9:00 a.m. service in the Sanctuary with a traditional feel and an 11:30 a.m. service in the Upper Fellowship Hall with a contemporary feel.

Third, we believe that the responsibility to support the church financially rests upon the members and friends of this church and not on you, our guest. Please do not feel obligated to participate in the offering today.

Fourth, during the 9:00 & 11:30 a.m. services we have Jr. church for children ages 4-9. Jr. church begins partway through the service and allows your child a chance to learn about God in a more age appropriate environment. Jr. church is located in the lower level. You will see a slide on the screen that tells when to send your child out for Jr. church, if you desire to do so.

Fifth, we love children here at SBC so we have a nursery which is open for children from birth to 3 years old during the worship services and birth to 2 years old during the Sunday school hour. You may bring your child to the lower level during either of the worship services and Sunday school. Our nursery is staffed by loving people who would enjoy caring for your child. If you desire to keep your child in the service, that is perfectly fine also.

Volunteers for today are: Nursery

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9:00 a.m.	Kelly/Ronan White, Kayla Hartzler
10:15 a.m.	Beth/April Pearce, Sylvia King
11:30 a.m.	Lori/Olivia Cline, Gwen Zimmerly

Children's Church

9:00 a.m.	Debbie Rinehart, Beth Pearce
11:30 a.m.	Chet Underwood, Sarah Bozsik

Weekly Calendar:

Monday, July 15thNoonPrimetime Meal UFHWednesday, July 17th11:30 a.m.Ladies' Luncheon @ The Barn Restaurant6:30 p.m.Prayer Meeting

Wi-Fi: SBC Guest Password: Bashful01

Prayer



Element 412 Events (6th-12th grade)

- Sunday, July 21 VBS Setup after 2nd service lunch provided
- Sunday, August 4 12:30-5 p.m. Hiking at The Ledges cost is \$10, lunch included

VBS July 22-25 Camp Pro Vide 6-8:15 p.m.

All students going into kindergarten through those just completing 5th grade are invited to join us for four days of snacks, games, music, science, crafts, and Bible lessons. We will have a great time learning more about how God provides for us. This year's offering will go to Operation Christmas Child to help provide for other children around the world. Sign up on the church website,

www.smithville.church. Your child won't want to miss it!

Summer Reading Program for students entering 1st through 8th grade runs through August 10. Log your reading and earn prizes! Pick up a log in Sunday school class or the Children's Library. Bonus points can be earned for reading chapters of the new testament; younger students may read from a children's Bible or a Bible story book. Completed logs must be turned in by August 11.

"A book is like a garden, carried in the pocket." –Chinese Proverb

The next Primetime meal is tomorrow at noon in the upper fellowship hall. Please plan to join us for wonderful food and fellowship; we look forward to seeing you there. Also, please note there will be no Primetime meal in August.

July Ladies Luncheon is Wednesday, July 17 at 11:30 a.m. at The Barn Restaurant. All ladies are welcome. No need to sign up or RSVP. If you have questions or need a

ride, contact Louise Liebhart at 330-347-8544.

Missions Update: Sandile Mkhwanazi, Brethren Global Partner in South Africa, will share during both services and the Sunday school hour in the UFH on Sunday, July 21. We look forward to hearing what God is doing in South Africa. Sunday school classes are invited to attend the Q&A session.

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The 136th Brethren Church General Conference

will be held July 22-25 in Lancaster, PA. Please be in prayer for the worship, workshops, business meetings, and fellowship. May all that is said and done be for the glory of God.

Craft Day July 27 UFH 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Bring your latest craft project and a dish to share for lunch. RSVP to Dee Sillman at 330-466-2287 by July 24.

An Afternoon of Hymns on Piano by Geoffrey

Zimmerly, Sunday, August 18, 2 p.m., in the sanctuary. Also included in the recital will be some two-piano duets with Phyllis Snyder. All are welcome to attend. A reception will follow in the UFH.

Fall Women's Retreat at Camp Bethany will be held September 27-29. All Oho Brethren women and friends are welcome! Contact Norma Waters for all the details at attn.norma@gmail.com.

July Forward Look Newsletter has been published. You can view it on the church website, www.smithville.church. Copies are available on the Information wall and at the west entrance. Enjoy!

Mark your calendar:

- October 13, 2024—OCC Kick-Off Sunday
- November 10, 2024—Combined Service and Thanksgiving Meal
- December 8, 2024—Christmas Carol Celebration

Minutes from the May 2024 Official Board Meeting are available in the last church mailbox. Please pick up a copy.

Our Daily Bread large print copies for July-September are now available at each entrance along with regular print for June-August. Help yourself.