Change of Address: Nate Estep can now receive notes of encouragement from friends and family. If you would like to write, please send your letters to: Nathaniel Estep, DOC# 284955, Pendleton Juvenile Correctional Facility, 9310 S. State Road 67, Pendleton, IN 46064.





Prayer Concerns:

- Continued prayer for Ron Landis, recovering from heart attack
- Pray for Vickie Oldenburg, a pastor at Jefferson, whose husband Ron suddenly died on vacation this week
- Comfort for Karen, a friend of the Balon family, whose husband died this last week
- Prayer for Sheila's mom, who broke ribs in recent fall





January 1st, 2023 Today's Message: God is Calling Us to Count the Cost (Mark 10:17-31)

9:30am- Fellowship, 10am- Morning Worship

Welcome to First Brethren Church! We're glad you're here!

Pastor Jeff Estep

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Calendar:

Sunday, January 8th- Youth Community Event, 2-4pm

Membership & Baptism Sunday—We are scheduling a Baptism & Membership Sunday for January 22nd. If you have never been baptized as a believer but are interested, or if you've been thinking of becoming a member of the church, talk to Pastor Jeff today!

Upcoming Birthdays!!

Sunday, Jan. 1st– Megan Long Saturday, Jan. 7th– Carla Wood Monday, Jan. 9th– Bob Coleman Wednesday, Jan., 11th– April McKeown Friday, Jan. 13th– Sarah Morris Saturday, Jan. 14th– Hailey Mullins

January 1, 2023 ORDER OF WORSHIP

Prelude-

Welcome and Announcements-

Opening Hymn- #52-O God Our Help in Ages Past

Scripture & Prayer– *Luke 14:31-33*

S"Or suppose a king is about to go to war against another king. Won't he first sit down and consider whether he is able with ten thousand men to oppose the one coming against him with twenty thousand? If he is not able, he will send a delegation while the other is still a long way off and will ask for terms of peace. In the same way, those of you who do not give up everything you have cannot be my disciples.

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Closing Hymn- #542 – When We All Get to Heaven

Closing Prayer

If you have an offering to give this morning, please place it in the box at the back of the Sanctuary Deacons on Call for December: Tim & Sheila Mullins Leading Worship Today— Megan Long

Sermon Notes:

Daily Scripture Readings:

Sunday– Mark 10:17-31 **Monday**– Mark 10:13-16

Tuesday– Deuteronomy 6:1-5 **Wednesday**– Isaiah 64:1-6

Thursday – Luke 16:1-15 Friday – Ephesians 2:1-9

Saturday- 2 Timothy 3:10-17

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