Prayer Concerns:

- John W.'s mom Judy is now in rehab center. Pray for continued recovery
- Sharon S.— experiencing sinus, breathing problems
- Tom & Edna's grandson Eric battling pneumonia
- · Edna- awaiting results on MRI on back
- Joyce G.– comfort and recovery from A-fib

The Brethren Retreat Center is in need of volunteers to help cook and serve food, and offer program support, during its Mother-Daughter weekend April 28-29. If you can be available Friday and Saturday of that weekend, contact Rick Miller at 260-336-2470.

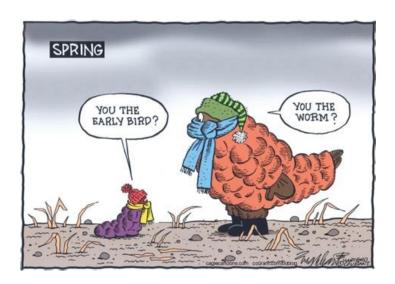
Easter Schedule: This is what's going on Easter Week!

Threefold Communion- Sunday, April 2nd- 5pm

Easter Sunday- Sunrise Service 8:45am

Breakfast 9:30am

Worship 10:15am





March 19th, 2023 Today's Message: Guest Speaker Rick Miller (Brethren Retreat Ministries)

9am- Sunday School 10am- Fellowship 10:15am- Morning Worship

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

Pastor Jeff Estep

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Calendar:

Today, March 19th— Sunday School, 9am, Coffee Fellowship, 10am Worship, 10:15am, Youth Group 6-8pm **Tuesday, March 21st**— Butterfly Mornings, 9:30am **Sunday, March 26th**— Youth Group, 6-8pm

Upcoming Birthdays!!

Sunday, March 19th– Charlotte Long Thursday, March 23rd– Sandi Sizemore Friday, March 24th– Logan Lantz Sunday, March 26th– Ethan McKeown, Tom Snider Tuesday, March 28th– Peggy Miller

Upcoming Anniversaries!!

Tuesday, March 28th– Doug & Peggy Miller

Last Week's Attendance: Sunday School– 31, Worship– 36

March 19th, 2023 ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sermon Notes:

Prelude-

Welcome and Announcements-

Opening Hymn- #295—Revive Us Again

Scripture & Prayer – Acts 2:40-42

With many other words he warned them; and he pleaded with them, "Save yourselves from this corrupt generation." Those who accepted his message were baptized, and about three thousand were added to their number that day. They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer.

Hymn- #58- This Is My Father's World

Message- Devoted

Rick Miller, Brethren Retreat Ministries Inc.

Responding in WorshipThe Worship Team

Closing Prayer

If you have an offering to give this morning, please place it in the box at the back of the Sanctuary Leading Worship Today— Willie Hostetler

Daily Scripture Readings:

Sunday– Acts 2:40-47 **Monday**– Acts 4:23-31

Tuesday– Acts 4:32-37 **Wednesday**– 2 Timothy 2:20-26

Thursday– Ephesians 4:17-32 **Friday**– 1 Timothy 2:1-8

Saturday – Hebrews 10:19-25



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