

The Devil and Suffering

I Peter 5:1-11

January 22, 2017

9:00 am Worship

Pianist: Geoffrey Zimmerly • Organist: Phyllis Snyder

The devil is _____.

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude: *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name* - piano/organ

Invitation to Worship:

The LORD is my light, why should I fear?
The LORD is my strength, of whom shall I fear?
I desire to live close to the LORD everyday.
For God will keep me safe from the Enemy.
I will sing to him with joy.
We will sing and make music to the LORD.

***Hymn:** *Sing Hallelujah, Praise the Lord!* pg. 13

Scripture: I Peter 5:1-11 (pew Bible pg. 1892)

The devil is _____

Ministry in Music: *So Great* - choir

causing _____.

Prayer

Our Worship in Giving: *Jesus, Your Name* - piano/organ
(First-time guests, please do not feel obligated to give.
Your presence with us today is gift enough.)

*Doxology pg. 166

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all
creatures here below. Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Alleluia! Alleluia!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!*

***Hymn:** *He Hideth My Soul* pg. 611 vs. 1, 2, 3
(Children ages 3-6 dismissed to the back of the sanctuary.)

Message: The Devil and Suffering

***Hymn:** *In Moments like These* pg. 91

* Closing Prayer & Response:

Glory Be to the Father pg. 812

Flowers on the communion table are given by Lavon and Louise Liebhart in honor of their 59th anniversary.

January 22, 2017

*If able, please stand

First Time @ Smithville Brethren?

Welcome, we are thrilled to have you as our guests 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 am service in the Sanctuary with a traditional feel and an 11:15 am 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, we love children here at SBC so we have a nursery which is open for children from birth to two years old. You may bring your child to the lower level for either service 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.

Fifth, during both services we also have Jr. church for children ages 3-6. 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, room #117. 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.

Volunteers for Today:

9:00 Children's Church: Emma & Clara Zemancik
Nursery: April & Beth Pearce

11:15 Children's Church: Chet Underwood, Sabrina Brandenburg
Nursery: Rebekah Carr, Tiffany Geiser, Erica Shaffer

Wednesday, January 25

6:30 Blanket Ministry
6:30 Time of Prayer
7:00 Youth Hangout
7:30 Choir practice

Saturday, January 28

10:00-11:00 King Foods Distribution

Prayer

- Betsy West - Apostolic Nursing Home
- Bertha Rudy - Apostolic Nursing Home
- Walt & Gail Sniff
- Bill & Glenna Mast
- Charles & Edna Fleming

Newsletter Deadline Today is the deadline for news items for the February newsletter. You may put your items in the black box on the Information table or email to sbrethren@earthlink.net.

The Hospitality Committee is looking for another person to join their team for a 2 year term. This committee takes care of the coffee & donuts and also helps with special dinners. Please contact Eileen Vincent @ 330-669-3696 or Susan Dilyard @ 330-669-2409 if you have any questions or would like to join the committee.



Brethren Position on Social Issues In preparation for a 2017 General Conference vote on the "Brethren Position on Social Issues," we are planning to provide times to discuss the documents. We would like to get a sense of how many people would be interested in discussing this, beginning in March, for about 8-10 weeks. Please sign up at the Information table.



Friends' Club News! Want to help make someone's day or even their whole week special? Join us Sunday, February 19th from 2:00-4:00 pm as we put together care packages for our college students and military service personnel. We will also be making care packages for College of Wooster students. Don't miss out on this awesome service project that shows how much we care for these people. We'll make a special snack to send, and then pack up boxes with some of their favorite foods. Call Jennifer Carr 330-262-3358 or Melissa Underwood 216-387-4802 if you have any questions.

Our Daily Bread Help yourself to a free copy of the current issue of this devotional, which can be found on the Information wall or by the downstairs door.

Please check your mailboxes for year-end giving statements, cards, etc. Your mail is in the box BELOW your name. There are quite a few envelopes in the mailboxes.

Pastor Art Carr • e-mail: artcarr@earthlink.net
Pastor H. Ray Aspinall • e-mail: hrayaspinall@earthlink.net
Carol Horst, Secretary • e-mail: sbrethren@earthlink.net
Ted Peplowski, Contemporary Worship Leader • tpeplowski@aol.com

Flower Chart The 2017 Flower Chart is located on the wall by the kitchen door. Please sign up for flowers for the new year. Cost is \$30 and checks can be put in the offering marked, "flowers."



For weather-related cancellations at Smithville Brethren Church listen to 104.5 FM WQKT or check their website, or our church website at smithvillebrethren.org.

King Foods distribution will be held Saturday, January 28, from 10:00-11:00 am at SBC.

The 2017 General Conference of The Brethren Church will be held July 17-21, 2017 in Ashland Ohio.



"He says to the snow,
'Fall on the earth,'"

and to the rain shower,
'Be a mighty downpour.'"

JOB 37:6, NIV