

March 2017



Listening Sessions with David Steele

David Steele, our General Secretary of the Church of the Brethren, is holding listening sessions around the denomination. This is a way for David to listen closely to people within the church. It's also a good opportunity for you to meet our new General Secretary. Three listening sessions will be held in Mid-Atlantic District. The first will be on Wednesday, March 29 at 2:00 at the Fahrney-Keedy Memorial Home. The second listening session will be held that evening at 7:00 at the Westminster Church of the Brethren. The third session will be held at the Oakton Church of the Brethren on Thursday, March 30 at the Oakton Church of the Brethren. All are welcome to attend!

Tri-District Peace Fellowship

The Tri-District Peace Fellowship is a group originally based in the Atlantic Northeast, Mid-Atlantic, and Southern Pennsylvania Districts. Taking literally the prophetic message of the angels at Jesus' birth, we gather to worship, fellowship, and learn how better to live out "Peace on earth; goodwill to all." The next gathering is Saturday, May 13, 2017 from 9:30 AM - 3:30 PM (includes potluck lunch) at Ruth Aukerman's home - 191 Stem Road, Union Bridge, MD 21791. To register or for more information and directions, call or text Joan Huston at 717-460-8650.

INTERIM DIRECTOR OF WORSHIP ARTS & TECHNOLOGY

The Frederick Church of the Brethren seeks a full-time Interim Director of Worship Arts & Technology. The candidate should be a visionary with a deep understanding of biblical purpose in worship and a heart for the spiritual formation of

the congregation. The candidate should have relational skills with an enthusiastic presence for leading our congregation in worship. Other skills include the ability to plan with the Senior Pastor and to lead worship; demonstrated gifts of leadership and administration; proficiency in using technology including sound, lighting, computers, and video; and experience in vocal and instrumental direction and building volunteer Worship Ministry teams. The position description and application form are available at www.fcob.net/ourstory.

FAMILY & YOUTH MINISTRY COORDINATOR

The Frederick Church of the Brethren seeks a part-time (20 hours/week) Family & Youth Coordinator, who is a team player possessing a positive and enthusiastic persona. The candidate should have broad administrative competences and experience managing tasks supporting children, youth, young adults and family ministry services; skilled in building and training volunteer teams serving this ministry; and a demonstrated ability to coordinate and implement activities with Staff and volunteers supporting family and youth events. The candidate should have creative and accurate communication skills, including bulletin boards, newsletters, church bulletin, and program announcements. The position description and application form are available at www.fcob.net/ourstory.

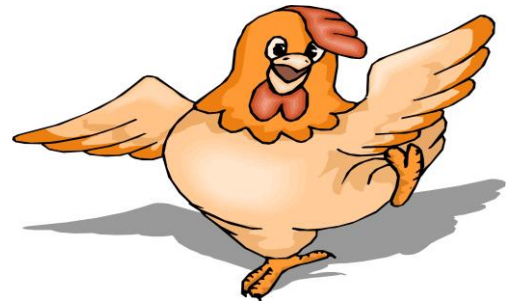
ARE YOU A DR, NURSE PRACTITIONER, RN, LPN, OR EMT?

The First Aid Office at Annual Conference in Grand Rapids, MI is looking for DRs, RNs, LPNs, and EMTs who would be willing to volunteer a few hours during Annual Conference this summer. Dr. Rosalie McBride of Northern Indiana District is coordinating the First Aid Office this summer in Grand Rapids and would be glad to hear from willing volunteers. Please contact her at: rosalie.l.mcbride@gmail.com

NOAC 2017

Consider using the Mid-Atlantic bus to travel to NOAC, a one-day trip with the cost not to exceed \$135 per person for a round trip. The 2017 NOAC is September 4-8 at the Lake Junaluska Conference and Retreat Center in the beautiful mountains of western North Carolina.

For more information, contact the District Office.



Meat Canning Project

April 17, 18, 19, 20, 24 & 25, 2017

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Contact the District Office to sign up today!

PLACEMENT UPDATE

Broadfording	Searching
Easton	Searching
Frederick	Preparing profile
Friendship	Searching

Directory Update

Please let the District office know of any changes in your mailing address or your phone number.

The 2017 Directory will be coming out in March, so please let the District office know of any changes in street address, phone numbers, and email addresses.

DISTRICT CALENDAR

March

- 15** LCT 6 pm/ P&A 7:30 pm at Frederick CoB
- 23** CCMT at 11 am
- 25** MITT at 9 am
- 29** Listening Session at Farhney-Keedy at 2 pm with General Secretary David Steele
- 29** Listening Session at Westminster CoB at 7 pm with General Secretary David Steele
- 30** Listening Session at Oakton CoB at 7 pm with General Secretary David Steele

April

- 1** LT Meeting 10 am-3 pm at District Office
- 17-20** Meat Canning
- 19** P&A 6 pm at District Office
- 22** ACTS Formation 9 am-12 pm at the District Office
- 24-25** Meat Canning
- 28-30** New Pastor Retreat at Rhodes Grove

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