

A blue jay is perched on a thin branch, facing right. The bird has a blue crest, back, and tail, with white underparts and a black collar around its neck. The branch it sits on is adorned with clusters of bright red berries and small white blossoms. The background is a soft, out-of-focus grey, suggesting a snowy or overcast winter day.

MID-ATLANTIC DISTRICT
EVENTS

February 2024
(and beyond)

Engaging the Query

The Mid-Atlantic District received a query from the Arlington congregation that was distributed at the 2023 Mid-Atlantic District Conference and will be included in the business for the 2024 District Conference. A “query” is a congregation’s way of asking a question to the broader denomination. Should the 2024 District Conference pass the query, it would be received by Standing Committee as a possible item of business for the 2025 Annual Conference. Standing Committee reviews and recommends action for all such received business prior to Annual Conference.

THE QUERY repeats Standing Committee’s assertion that LGBTQ+ people experience discrimination even in Brethren contexts, including “violence, bullying, and a general sense of dismissal.” It wonders if changes to denominational statements would help minimize risks of future harm.

AS A DISTRICT, we are seeking to engage and understand the query prior to discerning and voting on it at District Conference in October of 2024. Regional and online engagement sessions will be held to provide information, answer questions, and share in meaningful dialogue.

You’re Invited!

Oakton CoB Nov. 11, 2023 10:00-11:30am	Westminster CoB Jan. 20, 2024 10:00-11:30am	Denton CoB Jan. 20, 2024 3:00-4:30pm	Brownsville CoB Feb. 3, 2024 10:00-11:30am	Online via Zoom Feb. 20, 2024 7:00-8:30pm
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At these sessions, we will **not be deciding** whether to advance the Query to Annual Conference; that vote will take place at the 2024 Mid-Atlantic District Conference. Rather, we hope to find a **better understanding** of the Query and the motivations behind it. Participants are invited to engage the query, turning away an “us-versus-them” model. We hope all participants can **share, listen, seek to understand, and learn** from the convictions of others.

“Therefore... be it resolved: that we commit ourselves to forbearance which recognizes and respects differences of opinion and differing degrees of spiritual insight. We will show deference in disputable matters (Romans 14:1) while practicing prayerful study and conversation in core beliefs.” – Excerpted from the 2008 Church of the Brethren Resolution: Urging Forbearance

The Query: What You Should Know

The full Query is being shared with each congregation in the District, along with an accompanying letter from the Arlington Church of the Brethren. Digital copies may also be requested from the District office. **You are encouraged to read both the Query and the accompanying letter in-full.** Below are some highlights from the Query and the letter.

What the Query does not ask:

- The Query **does not** seek to provide clear answers on where the Church of the Brethren stands on human sexuality.
- The Query **does not** ask congregations or individuals to change current practices or deeply-held convictions.
- The Query **does not** seek an open and affirming stance for the denomination.

What the Query does ask:

- The Query **does** seek to respect the spiritual integrity and credentialing of both LGBTQ+ affirming ministers and congregations, as well as ministers and congregations who understand such affirmations as inconsistent with their deeply held convictions.
- The Query **does** ask congregations to continue living in fellowship with other congregations even when beliefs and practices differ among us, finding a path forward for all to live peacefully as members of the Church of the Brethren.
- The Query **does** ask us to prayerfully consider how we might encourage pastoral approaches that reduce the risks of harm toward LGBTQ+ siblings in faith.

Some reasons for the Query, according to Arlington:

- The church has largely failed to honor positive encouragements in the 1983 paper on Human Sexuality, such as calls to reduce the discrimination of and advocate for the legal rights of LGBTQ+ people.
- Several suggestions and language used have become out-of-date in the 40+ years since its passing.
- Brethren believe that theological unity cannot be created by human forces; “conformity is humanity’s pattern.” (*Statement on Biblical Authority, 1979*)
- Brethren have always believed in ‘no force in religion’ and have valued the prayerful discernment of the local community in matters of faith and practice.
- Standing Committee led Annual Conference in a time of silent confession in 2023, stating that expressions of theological differences too often cause pain toward one another and specifically toward our LGBTQ+ siblings.
- The time of confession was named as a “first step.” Arlington wonders: What’s the next step?

Feb. 11
3-6pm



REUNION at Camp Mardela

Meet other past and current BVS volunteers

Share your stories

Have a potluck together, bring food to share

301 Deep Shore Road, Denton, MD

<https://www.campmardela.org/event-details/bvs-reunion>

“And Can It Be?”

2024 Lenten Services Area 5 Church of the Brethren

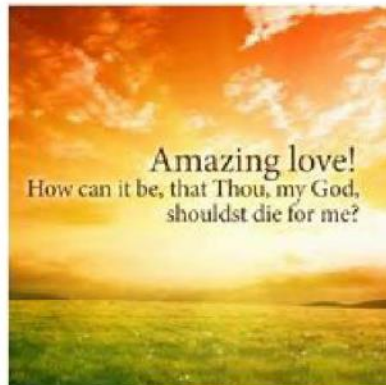
Congregational Hymn Sing @ 6:45 pm
Worship Service Starts @ 7:00 pm

<u>Date:</u>	<u>Host Church:</u>	<u>Service Agenda:</u>
Feb. 25, 2024	Edgewood COB	Speaker: Jennifer Summy, Director, Camp Mardela
Mar. 3, 2024	Piney Creek COB	Speaker: Rev. Paul Leatherman, Jr. Pastor, Sam’s Creek & Edgewood COB
Mar. 10, 2024	Union Bridge COB (Youth Service*)	Speaker: Jess Mosholder, Member, Union Bridge COB
Mar. 17, 2024	Glade Valley COB	Speaker: Bruce Anderson Director, Shepherd Spring Outdoor Ministry Ctr.

Childcare will be provided.
Refreshments & Fellowship after each service.

(*) Youth and families are to gather at 5:00 pm for practice and a pizza party.
Please let Jan Walker (walkerjank@hotmail.com) know if you have Youth that can participate.

Offering designation for each service as follows:
2/25 & 3/3: Camp Mardela
3/10 & 3/17: Shepherd Spring Outdoor Ministry Center



February Ventures Course to Focus on Creative Church

The February online offering from the Ventures in Christian Discipleship program at McPherson College will be “Divine Creativity and Holy Imagination: Cultivating a Creative Church” to be presented by Rev. Liz Ullery Swenson. The course will be held online in two Tuesday evening sessions, February 13 and 20, both at 7:30-9:00 p.m. Central Time.

Before we know anything else about God, we know of God’s creativity. God created day and night, water and land, fish and birds, calling them good. God created humanity in God’s own creative image, and in doing so, imbued us with the capacity for creativity and imagination.

How are our faith communities fostering that sacred creativity and holy imagination? How do we create opportunities for open-ended exploration, integrated artistic reflection and a spiritual practice that is tactile? Theologian Sallie McFague invites us to marvel in the wonder of the Divine presence in all things, “We might begin to recognize the extraordinariness of the ordinary. We would begin to delight in creation, not as the work of an eternal deity, but as a sacrament of the living God.” Through God’s holy and creative imagination, all of creation is alive with the ever-creating breath of God, and we are invited to be co-creators.

In our time together we will explore the possibilities for cultivating space for creativity and imagination in our daily lives and on Sunday morning. How might our prayers change if we prayed with finger paint or sidewalk chalk? What if we worshiped God with our hands in rich soil? Have we created spaces to encounter a colorful God?

Created in the image of the Divine Creator, every person contains the capacity for creativity and imagination, whether you are an experienced artist, social media content creator, gifted quilter, or haven't doodled since elementary school. This is an opportunity to expand our idea of what it means to be a creative person.

Liz Ullery Swenson lives at the intersection of spirituality and creativity. As the planting-pastor with WildWood Gathering she is cultivating and reimagining faith community. Starting in 2016 WildWood is creating safe spiritual space for those on the margins. She has a Bachelor in Theater Arts, a Masters of Library Science and Masters of Divinity. She is an overly ambitious gardener and mama to her five-year-old daughter, and she spends too much time on social media.

Continuing education credit is available for \$10 per course. During the registration process, you will have the opportunity to pay for CEUs and give an optional donation to the Ventures program.

To learn more about Ventures in Christian Discipleship and to register for courses, visit www.mcpherson.edu/ventures.



ROMANS 16:2 (CEB)

WELCOME+ WORTHY

2024 CHURCH OF THE BRETHERN ANNUAL CONFERENCE

January 2024

To: Pastor, Moderator, or Church Representative

Re: **Registration for the 2024 Church of the Brethren Annual Conference, Grand Rapids, Michigan -- July 3 - 7**

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Annual Conference provides an opportunity for the body of Christ known as the Church of the Brethren to come together to hear the voice of God as revealed by the Holy Spirit within and among us. Please join us for inspiring worship, informational Bible studies, communal discernment, engaging breakout sessions, energizing exhibits, empowering witness, nurturing fellowship and meaningful connection.

Registration Fees

Registration for both delegates and non-delegates for the Church of the Brethren Annual Conference will open at 12:00 Noon Central Time on **Friday, March 1, 2024**.

- The advance delegate registration fee is \$330 per delegate. Advance registration will close on June 10. The fee for registering delegates onsite in Grand Rapids will be \$405. Don't wait!
- The advance non-delegate registration fee is \$150. Advance registration will close on June 10. The fee for registering non-delegates onsite in Grand Rapids will be \$185.
- Registering as a Virtual Non-Delegate to watch business online, view special events and concerts, and participate in a number of equipping sessions is again an option. The advance virtual non-delegate registration fee is \$195 through June 10. From June 11 until July 7, the registration fee will be \$225. New this year is an option for Groups and Institutions to participate virtually from a common location. For more information go to www.brethren.org/ac2024/registration and select Virtual.

Registering a Delegate

Congregations may register their delegates using online registration beginning Wednesday, March 1, 2024 at 12:00 Central Time. Payment options include paying by credit card or sending a check. Go to www.brethren.org/ac and click on the "Registration" button and then choose "Delegate Registration". Each delegate's complete name, address, email, and phone number are required. If you need assistance, call the Annual Conference Office (800-323-8039, ext 4366) and we will be happy to assist in registering online. Delegate registration fees provide each delegate with a Conference booklet, the business materials packet, a designated delegate name tag, and seating at the delegate tables at Annual Conference. Each congregation who registers a delegate or delegates will also receive a copy of the 2024 Annual Conference minutes.

Delegate Eligibility and Allotment

Delegates must be full members of the Church of the Brethren. The number of delegates for each congregation is based on the membership statistics as reported in the 2023 Church of the Brethren Yearbook:

Up to 200 Members	1 delegate	401-600 Members	3 delegates
201-400 Members	2 delegates	601-800 Members	4 delegates

Non-Delegate Registration

Non-delegate registration opens Wednesday, March 1, 2024 at 12:00 Central Time. When registering anyone other than a delegate, click on the “Non-Delegate Registration” button.

New Registration System

The Church of the Brethren is rolling out a new registration system this year that looks different than what we have used in the past. For more information about how to use the new site go to www.brethren.org/ac2024 then click Registration and go to the Instructions for New Registration Site. These instructions will be available a week before registration opens.

Conference Hotels

There are two hotels in the conference block: the **Amway Grand Plaza** and **Courtyard Grand Rapids Downtown**. Our Annual Conference Room Rate at both hotels will be \$119 plus tax (15%), totaling \$136.90 per night. Go to www.brethren.org/ac2024/hotels for more information. **The link for hotel reservations will be on the last page of the registration site immediately after you register as well as in the confirmation email sent.** Everyone can reserve a room upon completing their registration. *Do not call the hotel to make a reservation! Annual Conference discounted room rates are only available for online registrations made through our provided link.*

Worship Services

All five worship services will be available free of charge to all registered and non-registered persons.

New Attendee Orientation

We encourage delegates or non-delegates who have never attended or have not recently attended Annual Conference to attend the New Attendee Orientation session in Grand Rapids at 3:30 p.m. on Wednesday afternoon July 3. The location will be listed in the conference booklet.

Public Health Measures

Attending any group event may increase your risk of illness and injury. Should circumstances dictate, we will implement appropriate and responsive health and safety measures. However, we encourage all attendees to take the precautions they deem necessary and ask that all attendees respect the decisions made by others.

Online Information

Please check our webpage at www.brethren.org/ac2024 for more information about Annual Conference in Grand Rapids, including leadership, themes, schedules, meal and food options, meetings and events, and much more. New information is added regularly, so check back often!

Please feel free to contact either of us if you have any questions.

Rhonda and Debbie

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It is almost time for FaithX registration to open for our 2024 service

What are FaithX service trips?

FaithX trips are short-term service experiences that challenge us to be more aware of ourselves, our communities, and our world. Through FaithX trips, participants grow in Christian discipleship, formed by the command to love God and neighbor, and inspired by Christ's example of humbly serving others. We hope that by serving, we will deepen our faith and grow our compassion as global citizens and children of God.

Who can attend a FaithX service trip?

FaithX trips provide opportunities for all ages to serve! Traditional junior and senior high youth trips are happening during summer, but we also have a few brand new trip options! In February, FaithX is hosting a service trip for older adults (55+) at Camp Ithiel in Florida – registration is open now for this trip! During summer, a family trip with childcare provided will allow attendees of any age to experience service together. Additionally, our summer schedule includes adult trips in the US with Brethren Disaster Ministries and in Ecuador, a We Are Able trip for persons with intellectual disabilities, options for combined junior and senior high youth groups to attend together, and the opportunity to create a custom trip that works for your unique group's needs!

When does FaithX registration open?

Registration for summer FaithX trips will open on January 10, 2024 at 7:00pm eastern time. Registration for the winter older adult trip is open now and will close on February 1, 2024. Go to www.brethren.org/faithx to register!

How do I get more information about FaithX service trips?

Visit www.brethren.org/faithx to view the 2024 FaithX schedule and learn more about FaithX service trips. If you did not receive a 2024 FaithX brochure in the mail, reach out to the FaithX Office to have one sent to you. The FaithX Office can be contacted at faithx@brethren.org or 847-429-4337.

Marissa Witkovsky-Eldred (she/her/hers)

Brethren Volunteer Service | **Coordinator of Short Term Service**

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Church of the Brethren

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Elgin, IL 60120

Who Is My Neighbor?

Luke 10:25-29

February 23-25, 2024

Bridgewater College

ROUNDTABLE

Regional Youth Conference

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO PROVIDE MEALS

The Mid-Atlantic District will be partnering with some of the SO PA District congregations who are willing to prepare a meal for approximately 30 people for lunch with a light snack.

Please contact your district office if your congregation is willing to provide a meal or funds.

The Meat Canning Committee is very grateful to the congregations that provide the meals and funds.

Disclaimer: All info is as of the date of publication; times, needs, restrictions, etc. may change between now and April. Please volunteer and know that we will contact you with updates if necessary. Thanks!

HOTELS IN CAM AREA

Econolodge

2031 N Reading Rd,
Denver 717-336-7000

Comfort Inn

1 Denver Rd, Denver
717-336-7541

Hampton Inn & Suites

380 E Main St., Ephrata
717-733-0661

2024 Meat Canning Committee

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Meat Canning Project



4 Days

April 1 - 4

Processed at:
Christian Aid Ministries

Sponsored by:
Southern PA &
Mid-Atlantic Districts COB

Directions to Christian Aid Ministries
2412 Division Highway, Ephrata, PA

717-354-2434

From Lancaster: Go north on Rt. 222 to Rt. 322. Go approximately 4 miles east on Rt. 322 to Christian Aid Ministries. Facility is on the left.



From York: Take Rt. 30 east to Rt. 222 North, then follow the above directions.

"I was hungry and you gave me food"
Matthew 25:35



This quote from Jesus' story about the last judgment is a reminder that we render service to God even as we respond to human need. The spirit of generous sharing, and the hunger that exists in many parts of the world come together in our Meat Canning project.

For the 46th year, the Mid-Atlantic and SO PA Districts are co-sponsoring a Meat Canning project which previously has enjoyed a generous response and enthusiastic support. The project is scheduled for April 1 - 4, 2024 at the Christian Aid Ministries facility.

The 2024 Meat Canning goal is to can approximately 17,000 pounds of chicken in 4 days of processing.



Starting funds are good, but we need to raise money if we intend to meet our goal. Excess money is held for next year's event. Expenses include the cost of the chicken, use of CAM's facility, labels, boxes, miscellaneous supplies, as well as shipping costs, when applicable. Congregations are encouraged to take offerings during January, February, March and April for this ministry of sharing and to forward these funds to their respective District Office.

The Meat Canning Project is a great way for us to minister to those in need during these difficult economic and disaster ridden times.

As in the past, a portion of the meat from this project will be provided to both Districts to be shared with local food banks and meal programs. The Meat Canning Committee has decided to wait until Spring 2024 to determine how a donation of meat or funds will be made to denominational ministries.

In order for the committee to provide adequate help for each shift, it is important that you inform your District Office ASAP when you will be available to volunteer.

Mid-Atlantic District call 443-960-3052

Southern PA District call 717-778-2254

Shift assignments will be made by the District Offices on a first-come-basis. Once you have pledged volunteers,

YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR FINDING REPLACEMENTS

if you are unable to fulfill your commitment.

No shows create schedule problems and an increase in inspector fees.

Daily Work Schedule & Responsibilities

Shift #1 - 7:15 a.m. to NOON

Assist in starting the day's process, participate in the cutting, canning and labeling. (15 volunteers needed)

Shift #2 - 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Participate in the total process of the program. (15 volunteers needed)

CAM Requirements

First and foremost it is the desire of CAM to honor and glorify God. We appreciate all the people that are volunteering their time and effort at the Ephrata warehouse. We kindly request that the following guidelines be respected.

- Parents should share with CAM the responsibility for the safety of their youth.
- Proper use and respect for equipment and reasonable care for the building.

Girls/women must wear a dress or skirt at the knee. No low cut tops. Skirts are provided if you wear pants, it can be worn over your pants.

- Men/boys must wear long pants and shirts with sleeves. **No shorts or Tank Tops!**

Note: Room temperature is 55 degrees, dress accordingly.

- NO SMOKING or TOBACCO use.
- NO CHEWING GUM.
- NO use of foul language.

Mid-Atlantic District Church of the Brethren
2024 Disaster Response Auction Booklet



Dear Pastors, Disaster Coordinators, Witness Chairs and Donors.

We deeply appreciate and thank you for your past support of the Mid-Atlantic Disaster Response Auction Booklet.

If you have not advertised in the booklet previously we invite you to consider doing so this year.

The 43rd Annual Mid-Atlantic Disaster Response Auction will be held Saturday, May 4, 2024, starting at 9:00 am at the Carroll County Agricultural Center in Westminster, Maryland. Your support will enable us to provide even more assistance to more disaster victims this year.

In 2023, \$85,000 was given to the Emergency Disaster Fund of the Church of the Brethren to help victims recover from many disasters all around our world.

During 2023 the Emergency Disaster Fund supported these efforts and more:

- BDM – Nigeria Crisis Response
- Turkey/Syria Earthquake Response
- Hurricane Fiona Response – D.R.
- Russia/Ukraine War Response
- Kentucky 2021 Tornado Response
- Tijuana, Mexico (Bittersweet Ministries) Hurricane Hilary Home Rebuilding
- Haiti Earthquake recovery
- South Sudan Violence and Flooding Recovery
- Child Life Disaster Relief (CLDR) Local Team Capacity Building
- Rwanda Church of the Brethren – feeding vulnerable children
- Eglise des Freres au Congo (Church of the Brethren in the Congo) - Relief for Families Displaced due to Violence & Emergency Flood Relief
- PAG Hurricanes Eta and Iota Response in Honduras
- Washington City Church of the Brethren Asylum Seeker Support
- Eastern Ky Rebuilding – 2022 Summer Flooding Response

Your local church is an important part of this effort!

- You can help by placing an ad in the booklet. We are once again offering the ad sizes below in black and white or color. The ad can include a photograph or artwork. Ad sizes and prices are as follows:

Full page...\$160 black/\$200 color	Eighth Page...\$25 black/\$35 color
Half page...\$85 black/\$105 color	Patron Listing...\$10, \$25, \$35, or more
Third Page...\$60 black/\$75 color	Donations of any amount
- Encourage your members to place business, personal or patron ads and print announcements about the auction in your newsletter and bulletin.
- Please print the enclosed bulletin insert and put it in your bulletin by Sunday, January 14, 2024.
- You can also help by posting the flyer included that is requesting special sale items.

Here are more ways you can help make the auction a success.

- Create craft items
- Donate baked goods
- Donate plants, shrubs and trees
- Assemble gift baskets
- Hold a fundraiser to support the auction
- Donate high quality items to publish in the booklet
- Volunteer to help
- Publicize and attend the Auction!

Please return your advertising space reservation form by Friday, February 9, 2024!

Please call booklet designer Debbie Noffsinger at 847-714-4482 or email auctionbooklet@comcast.net if you have questions.

Thank you for your continued support of our Disaster Response Auction!

Mid-Atlantic District Church of the Brethren 2024 Disaster Response Auction

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Photo by Jerrn Dorsch-Messler

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Thank you for your support of our Disaster Response Program!

On the back of this page are many ways you can help make the Auction a success.



Put May 4th on your calendar!

Come to the auction and invite your friends ...together we can make a difference to many people near or far recovering from disasters.

You can support Disaster Response in various ways:

- Prayer
- Donate as a Patron, Supporter or Sustainer for as little as \$10 and get your name printed with your church in the Auction booklet.
- Purchase church, business, or personal ad space in the Auction booklet Full page (\$160 black/\$200 color), Half Page (\$85 black/\$105 color), Third Page (\$60 black/\$75 color) and Eighth Page (\$25 black/\$35 color). Check with your church office for info.
- Make quilts, comforters and wall hangings or other handcrafts to sell.
- Donate special items such as high quality woodwork, paintings and artwork. Antiques, furniture and collectibles also are a valuable donation.
- Encourage your church group or children's Sunday School class to collect items to make special gift baskets, school bags full of new books, etc. to auction off. Get creative!
- Contribute a gift certificate from your business for the auction.
- Donate quality auction items (value of \$10 or more) such as craft items, food, baked goods, flower and vegetable plants, trees and shrubs for booth sales.
- Groups and individuals can sponsor special events such as plays, dinners, and musical presentations to raise and provide monetary gifts to the auction.
- Volunteer to help at the Auction.

– Decide now how you can help!

If you have special items of high value to donate, email a photo to auctionbooklet@comcast.net by February 9th to have your item published in the booklet.
Then inform your Disaster Coordinator or call Jeff at 443-547-5958.

If you have regular items to donate inform your church's Disaster Coordinator or call Jeff at 443-547-5958.

To place an ad or to donate as a patron in the booklet see your pastor, your Disaster Coordinator or call Debbie at 847-714-4482.

These commitments are due February 9, 2024.

Please post this on a bulletin board in your church. Thank you!

Special Item Donation

Mid-Atlantic Disaster Response Auction

**Do you have a special item of high value
that you would be willing to donate to the
Disaster Response Auction on May 4, 2024?**

Such as...



Valuable Crafts



Antiques



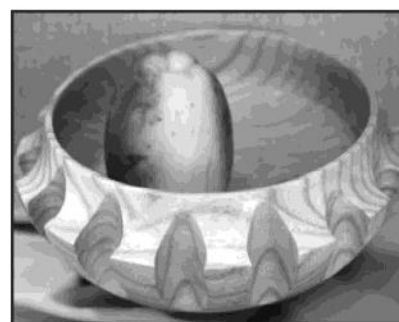
Gift Baskets



Artwork



Destinations



Fine Woodworking

**Please call Jeff McKee at 443-547-5958 or
email a photo with description to auctionbooklet@comcast.net**

A photo and description needs to be received by February 9th to be published in the booklet!

Mid-Atlantic District Church of the Brethren

2024 Disaster Response Auction Booklet

Advertising Space Reservations

Form and check must be **RECEIVED** no later than
Friday, February 9, 2024!

Ad for: _____

Ad type: Congregation Church Group Business

Contact Person _____

Email _____ Phone _____

Address _____

Please check one:

- Full Pg BLACK: \$160 Half Pg BLACK: \$85 Third Pg BLACK: \$60 Eighth Pg BLACK: \$25
- Full Pg COLOR: \$200 Half Pg COLOR: \$105 Third Pg COLOR: \$75 Eighth Pg COLOR: \$35

Please check one:

- Use ad from previous publication
- Modify past ad (indicate changes in space below)
- I will email a print ready pdf file to: auctionbooklet@comcast.net
- Prepare an ad using the information enclosed or written below

I have enclosed \$ _____ for the cost of the ad. Check # _____.

Full Page
6 3/8" x 9 1/2"

\$160 black
\$200 color

Half Page
6 3/8" x 4 1/2"

\$85 black
\$105 color

Third Page
6 3/8" x 3"

\$60 black
\$75 color

Eighth Page
3" x 2 1/8"

\$25 black
\$35 color

Please print the information you would like included in your ad. Attach with a paper clip any high quality artwork and/or logos to be used in ad. Do not fold camera ready artwork.

Please send me _____ books to have available for my customers or congregation.

Please make your check out to:
Mid-Atlantic Disaster Response Auction

Send your check with this form to:
Mid-Atlantic Disaster Response Auction
1154 Delta Ct. Elgin, IL 60123

Questions call or email:
847-714-4482 auctionbooklet@comcast.net

Mid-Atlantic District Church of the Brethren
2024 Disaster Response Auction Booklet
Patron Ad Sign Up Sheet

Make checks payable to your local congregation... give your contribution to the contact person named below.

Church name: _____

Contact person: _____ Phone: _____

Your name(s) as you want to appear in the booklet.

Can be individual, couple or family. **Please, use no more than 30 letters and spaces per listing.**

Print name(s) clearly as you want them in the booklet

Please circle the amount you wish to give.

	Patron	Supporter	Sustainer	Sustainer Plus*	Check #	Cash
1) _____	\$10	\$25	\$35	\$50 or more _____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
2) _____	\$10	\$25	\$35	\$50 or more _____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
3) _____	\$10	\$25	\$35	\$50 or more _____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
4) _____	\$10	\$25	\$35	\$50 or more _____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
5) _____	\$10	\$25	\$35	\$50 or more _____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
6) _____	\$10	\$25	\$35	\$50 or more _____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>
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