



Antelope Park Church

...a faith community of the Church of the Brethren

Sunday School 9:00 am

Welcome and Sharing 10:10 am

Worship 10:15 am

January 5, 2020

Welcome *we're glad* you joined us

*"as a plan for the fullness of time,
to gather up all things in him, things in heaven and things on earth."
Ephesians 1: 10*

Gathering Music

Welcome and Sharing

Uniting in God's Presence

Prelude

†Call to Worship

O God, our God, you cry out to us.

Asking, when will you see the light that I am,

The grace I have extended to all people,

The dance out of the darkness,

and into righteousness to which I invited you?

Can we see that in you we are transformed,

Unable to go back to the way we have known?

God, what are we waiting for?

†Song "Come, let us all unite to sing"

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Worship with Young People

Blessing of the Calendars

Maker of Stars, Author of Hope, we gather in this threshold time as one year ends and a new year begins. Remind us that you accompany us through all of our days. The calendars we hold are mere bits of electronic programming or pieces of paper and yet they hold our intentions for life, work, leisure, and time itself. Guide us, O God, as we fill our calendars to set our intentions to align with your will for that which is best. May our calendars reflect our commitments to love, peace, and justice. May they assist us in shaping priorities and finding balance. Help us find room in our routines for our passions. Let us be mindful of creating time and space for devotion, meditation, and worship. Do not let us neglect time in service for those in need. May this be so. Amen and amen.

~Mary Kay Totty

Sharing our gifts

Song "Gentle Shepherd, come and lead us" sing twice 352

Prayers of the Fellowship

The Good News Matthew 5: 1-11

Message "Reflections for the New year" Pastor Stephen Griffith

†Song "Bless'd be the God of Israel" 174

†Benediction

†Postlude

†Please stand as you are able **Bold-Congregation**

Large Print Bulletins Available. Please see an Usher.

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A comfort room is located at the rear of the sanctuary for parents of young children. You are invited to join us in the Fellowship Hall following Worship for our Gathering Time.