

*Uniontown Church of the Brethren*  
*Worship 10:30 a.m.*

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*March 2, 2025*

Greetings and Announcements  
First Time Visitors

Cecile Hyjurick

Invitation to Worship

As we gather to worship, let us be reminded that God who cares for us and sent His only Son to die for us, promises to be with us through all of life's peaks and valleys. Let us quiet our hearts as we listen to the Prelude.

Prelude

"Soon and Very Soon"

Sue Metcalf

**\*Hymn No. 32 R "Blessed Be the Name"**

**\*Responsive Call to Worship:**

Cecile Hyjurick

**One:** Come near to God; return from the far country, from self-exile, from selfish desire as God awaits our return.

**All: God meets us on the way; God's arms are open to welcome us.**

**One:** God welcomes the lost and celebrates our return.

**All: Let us worship our God, whose lavish love awaits our homecoming, who rejoices when the lost return.**

**\*Invocation**

Cecile Hyjurick

Offertory Thought

**\*Offertory Song, Doxology "Amazing Grace with Amazing Grace (My Chains are Gone)"**

Cecile Hyjurick

**\* Prayer of Dedication**

Sue Metcalf

**\*Hymn No. 234 R "Wonderful Words of Life"**

Joys and Concerns  
Morning Prayer

Cecile Hyjurick  
Michele Means

**Hymn No. 344 R "I Must Tell Jesus" (Congregation remains seated)**

Scripture

Mark 8:31-9:1

Sermon

**"Why He Did It"**

Pastor Ed Moore

**\*Hymn No. 384 R "Where He Leads Me"**

**\*Benediction**

Pastor Ed Moore

*(\*) indicates congregation standing if able*

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