



**WE ARE PLEASED TO WELCOME
PAUL MUNDEY AS OUR GUEST
SPEAKER**

Paul Munday is a freelance minister, consultant, and writer. He has served as a church leader for more than 45 years, in a wide range of roles: pastor, church administrator, denominational officer, workshop leader, denominational staff person, and teacher.

He served as Moderator of the Church of the Brethren from 2019-2021.

During the academic year, 2016-2017, Paul was a Visiting Scholar at Princeton Theological Seminary, Princeton, N.J. Prior to that appointment, Paul served for 20 years as Senior Pastor of the Frederick Church of the Brethren in Frederick, MD. From 1983-1996, Paul was a staff member for the national ministry of the Church of the Brethren, serving as director of evangelism and congregational growth, and staff for Korean ministry.

Paul earned an M.Div. degree from Fuller Theological Seminary, and a D.Min. degree from Princeton Theological Seminary. He has also studied at St. Mary's Seminary and University, Rutgers University, The University of Illinois at Chicago, and The Johns Hopkins University.

Paul is married to Robin Risser Munday who is Director of Traditional Worship and organist at Central Presbyterian Church, Baltimore, MD. Their son, Peter is a sociologist, and their daughter Sarah is an interior designer and freelance blogger. Paul and Robin are grandparents to two grandsons: John Dorsey and Jacob Dorsey.



HOTEL LODGING INFORMATION

A listing of local hotels and restaurants is enclosed. PLEASE make your own reservation. If you would prefer to stay with a local COB member, please contact the onsite coordinator, Marsha Smith at marshajeanSmith@hotmail.com or 717-660-1739.

MEAL RESERVATION INFORMATION

Meals will be served by the Chambersburg COB for Friday and Saturday lunches. To make reservations for meals, complete and return the enclosed form no later than September 1st. **There will be no meal tickets sold the day of the conference.**



CHILD CARE INFORMATION

Child care will be provided for children up to age 3, prior registration is required. Parents are responsible for feeding their children. Register no later than September 1st by completing the enclosed form .



INVITATION TO SING

We would like to have a combined district choir for the Friday evening worship service. We will be singing, "I Am He" by Mary McDonald. Rehearsal will be at 6:15 p.m. at the church. If interested in joining us, please contact Liz Thorpe for details.

lizthorpe62@gmail.com or 717-360-5881



Southern Pennsylvania District Church of the Brethren 2023 District Conference

*ONE HEART... ONE VOICE...
FOR THE GLORY OF GOD*

Romans 15:6

September 15&16, 2023

*Chambersburg Church of the Brethren
260 South Fourth Street, Chambersburg, PA*

Theme Hymn – To God Be the Glory

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Will you please make District Conference a priority?

Join us for Worship and Fellowship at Chamberburg COB as we discern God's leading for our next year.

Conference Site

Chambersburg Church of the Brethren

On-Site Coordinator: Marsha Smith

Conference Officers

Terry Smith, Moderator

John Hess, Moderator-Elect

Music Director

Elizabeth Thorpe

Friday's Pastors and Lay Persons In-Service

Guest Speaker - Paul Munday

Friday, September 15, 2023

- 8:30 - 9:00 Registration and Refreshments
- 9:00 - 12:00 Care-Fronting: How To "Fight" Fair When We Differ As God's People
- 12:00 - 1:00 Lunch
- 1:00 - 4:00 The Contagious Congregation: Thriving As A Vital, Outreaching Church!
- 6:15 - 6:45 Combined Choir Rehearsal
- 7:00 - 8:30 Worship Service/Re-Licensing Service
Speaker – Paul Munday
- 8:30 - 9:00 Ice Cream Social Honoring Bill Waugh

Saturday, September 16, 2023

- 8:00 - 8:30 Registration
- 8:30 - 8:45 Congregational Singing / Sharing of God's Word
- 8:45 - 8:50 Welcome and Opening Remarks
- 8:50 - 8:55 Delegate Consecration Service
- 8:55 - 9:00 Review and Approval of Agenda
- 9:00 - 9:05 Review of Nomination-Discernment Process
- 9:05 - 9:10 Presentation of District Conference Ballot
- 9:10 - 9:20 Conference Elections
- 9:20 - 9:30 The Brethren Home Board Meeting (TBH)
- 9:30 - 9:45 Denominational Report
- 9:45 - 10:00 Announcements and Break
- 10:00 - 10:15 Congregational Singing/ Sharing of God's Word
- 10:15 - 10:25 Children's Aid Society Board Meeting (CAS)
- 10:25 - 10:40 Susquehanna Valley Ministry Center (SVMC)
- 10:40 - 11:05 District Board Verbal Report
- 11:05 - 11:15 Election Results , Announcements and Meal Prayer
- 11:15 - 12:00 Lunch Group A
Insight Session – Brethren Disaster Ministries**
- 12:00 - 12:45 Lunch Group B
Insight Session – District Financial Ministries and Budget**
- 12:45 - 1:00 Time to Gather Together (Flex Time)

- 1:00 - 1:15 Congregational Singing/ Sharing of God's Word
- 1:15 - 1:25 District Executive Verbal Report
- 1:25 - 1:35 District 2022 Financial Report
- 1:35 - 1:40 District Auditors Report
- 1:40 - 1:50 Review and Presentation of Proposed District Budget & District Financial Ministries Allocation (DFMA)
- 1:50 - 2:00 Approval of District Budget & District Financial Ministries Allocation (DFMA)
- 2:00 - 2:15 Church of the Brethren Agency Reporting (EFB)
- 2:15 - 2:30 Announcements and Break
- 2:30 - 2:40 Standing Committee Verbal Report
- 2:40 - 2:50 Camp Eder Verbal Report
- 2:50 - Adj. Opportunity to complete Ballot Nominee & Conference Evaluation Forms
Recognition of Outgoing Board Members
Consecration of Newly Elected/Called Persons
Conference Acknowledgements
Passing of the Gavel

ADJOURNMENT

New Board Reorganization Immediately after Adjournment