*Congregation is invited to stand as able*

**MUSIC WHILE GATHERING**

**TIME OF WELCOME & SHARING**

**CALL TO WORSHIP & OPENING PRAYER**

I love You, Lord, and I lift my voice to worship You,
O my soul, rejoice! Take joy, my King, in what you hear,
May it be a sweet, sweet sound in Your ear.

“I Love You, Lord” - Copyright 1978 by Laurie Klein; CCLI#1154612

**HYMN #252**

What a Day That Will Be

**MISSION MOMENT**

**CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER**

**AFFIRMING OUR CHRISTIAN GIVING**

Weekly Offering Challenge Goal - $760

**Congratulations!!!** $1,034 (136%) was received last week

*Offertory Hymn #214* 
Revive Us Again

*Unison Offertory Scripture (Ephesians 2:10)* We are God’s handiwork, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do.

*Offertory Prayer*

Offertory

Responding Through Our Tithes & Offerings

*Doxology #52*

**SONG**

Children are invited to go to Junior Church after we sing

**READING OF SCRIPTURE**

Romans 5:6-11 & Ephesians 2:1-10

Message by Steve Simmons - What Would You Do For An Enemy?

**HYMN OF INVITATION #206**

Amazing Grace

If you sense the leading of God’s Holy Spirit to publicly repent of your sin and to accept Jesus Christ as personal Savior and Lord, to be baptized and/or request membership into our church, to rededicate your life, to request specific prayer... or whatever the need, please come forward as we sing.

**CLOSING PRAYER & POSTLUDE**

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**Today’s Worship Service Helpers**

Worship Service Coordinator - Steve Simmons  
Chorister - Laurie Coy  
Junior Church - Diane Coy

**Last Week’s Stewardship Report**

Sunday School attendance (10) & offering ($35)

Worship attendance (26 - 3 visitors) & offering ($1,034)

Tuesday’s Bible study/prayer attendance (7)

**36-item Challenge Goal of Hygiene Products for the Rescue Mission/Way Station**

13 (36%) items have been given so far

Our emphasis missionary (Native American Indian field in Peoria, Arizona) for the months of March/April is Billie Sue Dunn (challenge goal is $300). $16 (5%) has been given for her so far.

**For Your Information**

8, Sunday School offering designated for Billie Sue Dunn  
9, Ladies’ Craft Night (6:30 - 8:30 PM)  
10, Free Community Church dinner @ St. Paul’s (5-6:30 PM)  
18, Changed date/time for the Missionary Committee meeting, 1-2:30 PM

We thank Steve Simmons, a licensed CoB minister here @ Bethel CoB, for leading today’s worship service and for bringing this morning’s message. Pastor Woody & Nancy are visiting relatives in Arkansas & Oklahoma.

Please let Pastor Woody know by next Sunday, March 15, if you have any suggestions you’d like to be considered for our April 5th Easter Sunrise service.

**March 10 Bible Study & March 15 Message Focal Texts**

Numbers 21:4-9; Psalm 107:1-3, 17-22; John 3:14-21 & Ephesians 2:1-10

**March 8 Target for Reading Through the Bible - Judges 10**

Please be sure to check your church mailbox (empty it of all items, if necessary) each week - thanks.
**Nigerian Brethren leaders visit refugees in Cameroon**

Leaders of Ekklesiayar Yan’uwa a Nigeria (EYN, the Church of the Brethren in Nigeria) and the manager of the EYN Disaster Team traveled to Cameroon last week to visit and support Nigerian refugees who have fled across the border into the neighboring country. This camp hosts more than 30,000 refugees mainly from Gwoza Local Government Area. Travel through this very dangerous area required cars, buses, motorcycles, and lots of prayer.

EYN was able to take more than five million Naira ($25,000) to give to camp officials to help support all those at the camp, both Christians and Muslims. The camp is run by the United Nations, but there is never enough to help everyone. These funds will help purchase supplies, food, and shelter in Cameroon. In this situation, transporting cash was the only effective way to provide support to these refugees.

A church service was held recently in an open space with over 10,000 EYN members in Minawawo Camp in Maroua Province of Cameroon.

- The above article was written by Carl and Roxane Hill, co-directors of the Church of the Brethren’s Nigeria Crisis Response. For more about the crisis response effort in cooperation with Ekklesiayar Yan’uwa a Nigeria, go to [www.brethren.org/nigeriacrisis](http://www.brethren.org/nigeriacrisis).