



ROMANS 16:2 (CEB)

WELCOME + WORTHY

2024 CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN ANNUAL CONFERENCE

DAILY SCRIPTURAL THEMES

WEDNESDAY, JULY 3 | WELCOME + WORTHY

Primary scripture: *Romans 16:1-4 (CEB)* | **Supporting scriptures:** *Matthew 5:1-16 (CEB), Revelation 7:9-10*

We are called to live and experience our faith as a community, in service to and with each other and God. But to fully and equitably fulfill this call, we must recognize the infinite worth and the divine in one another.

THURSDAY, JULY 4 | WELCOME + WORTHY: KNOWN AND LOVED BY GOD

Primary scripture: *Luke 1:46-49 (NIV)* | **Supporting scriptures:** *Jeremiah 1:4-10, 2 Samuel 9:1-10a*

We are known and loved by God. Rather than let our doubts of worthiness (whether self-inflicted or signaled by others), we must speak this reality to ourselves and each other.

FRIDAY, JULY 5 | WELCOME + WORTHY: BELONGING TO ONE ANOTHER

Primary scripture: *Romans 12:3-10* | **Supporting scriptures:** *John 15:9-13, 2 Chronicles 30:18-21*

As a faith community, we belong to one another. God calls us to love and value each other, just as God loves and values us.

SATURDAY, JULY 6 | WELCOME + WORTHY: EXTENDING MUTUAL CARE

Primary scripture: *Acts 2:42-47* | **Supporting scriptures:** *Ephesians 4:1-6, 1 Peter 4:8-11*

Following Christ means tending to our relationships and being present in mutual care – helping each other to reveal the wholeness God intends for us.

SUNDAY, JULY 7 | WELCOME + WORTHY: NURTURING DIGNITY AND WHOLENESS

Primary scripture: *Philippians 2:1-11* | **Supporting scriptures:** *Micah 6:8, Zechariah 7:8-10, Galatians 6:2, 6-10*

We are called, through Christ's work, to nurture the dignity and wholeness of all people by practicing and promoting peace and justice across God's creation.