Flower Hill Church of the Brethren February 16, 2025 William Reinhold and Anne Reamer, Presenters

Red Hymnal: # 256. The old rugged cross

Red Hymnal: # 259. Are you washed in the blood?

Call to Worship: **Proverbs 15:1-17**

Time of sharing and directed prayer

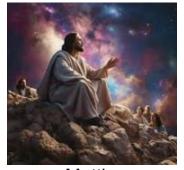
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Offering and doxology (Red Hymnal: # 382)

Scripture and message: Matthew 11

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Benediction



Matthew

Proverbs 15:1-17

- ¹A soft answer turns away wrath, But a harsh word stirs up anger.
- ²The tongue of the wise uses knowledge rightly, But the mouth of fools pours forth foolishness.
- ³The eyes of the LORD are in every place, Keeping watch on the evil and the good.
- ⁴A wholesome tongue is a tree of life, But perverseness in it breaks the spirit.
- ⁵A fool despises his father's instruction, But he who receives correction is prudent.
- ⁶In the house of the righteous there is much treasure, But in the revenue of the wicked is trouble.
- ⁷The lips of the wise disperse knowledge, But the heart of the fool does not do so.
- ⁸The sacrifice of the wicked is an abomination to the LORD, But the prayer of the upright is His delight.
- ⁹ The way of the wicked is an abomination to the LORD, But He loves him who follows righteousness.
- ¹⁰Harsh discipline is for him who forsakes the way, And he who hates correction will die.
- ¹¹Hell and Destruction are before the LORD; So how much more the hearts of the sons of men.
- ¹²A scoffer does not love one who corrects him, Nor will he go to the wise.
- ¹³A merry heart makes a cheerful countenance, But by sorrow of the heart the spirit is broken.
- ¹⁴The heart of him who has understanding seeks knowledge, But the mouth of fools feeds on foolishness.
- ¹⁵All the days of the afflicted are evil, But he who is of a merry heart has a continual feast.
- ¹⁶Better is a little with the fear of the LORD, Than great treasure with trouble.
- ¹⁷Better *is* a dinner of herbs where love is, Than a fatted calf with hatred.