### **Contact Us**

Hempfield Church of the Brethren

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Our staff members are here to help when you need them. Please feel free to contact them if you have a need.

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Please submit bulletin information to Irene by Wednesday noon.

### **HCOB Family Facts**

**General Offering for March 21, 2021 =** 

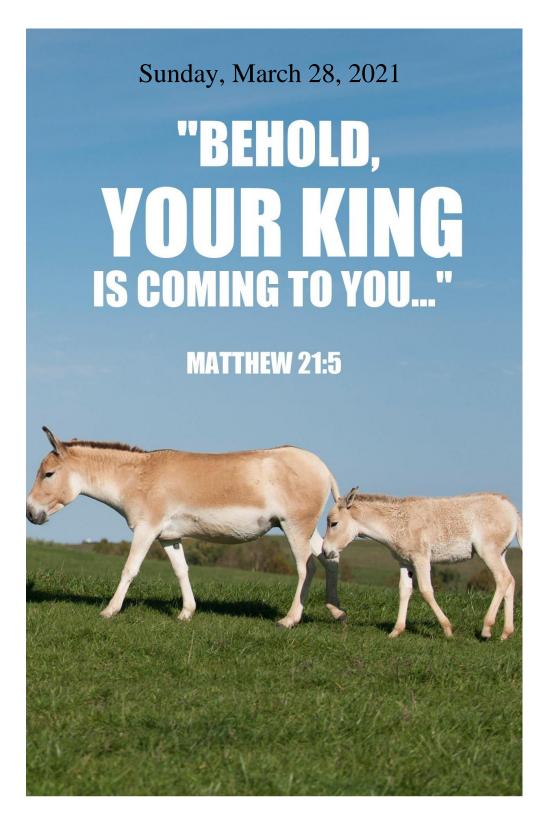
General Fund \$ 13,964.00

*Amount needed weekly to meet budget* = \$10,575

**Building Fund for March 21, 2021 = \$ 150.00** 

2 cent a meal \$630.00

One Great Hour of Sharing 1484.00



# Warship Taday

How is God's power different from earthly power? Which do you allow to run your life?

PRELUDES Hosanna, Loud Hosanna

All Glory, Laud, and Honor

Donna Reed, Marimba

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

Finding God's Will (see printed prayer)

In this time, we invite you to meditate, allowing your soul's focus and energy to be attentive to the voice and presence of the Good Shepherd, Jesus Christ, as we gather together to celebrate His work in and call on our lives in community.

CALL TO WORSHIP Zechariah 9:9-13

SPECIAL MUSIC The Palms

Donna Reed, marimba

SCRIPTURE Matthew 21:1-11

MORNING PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

SCRIPTURE John 12:12-19

MESSAGE Behold, Your King Comes to You!

**CLOSING PRAYER** 

SPECIAL MUSIC

Burdens - B. Cantelon, J. Kimmett

\*BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE

\*Those who are able are invited to stand

Preacher – Pastor Geoff Davis Worship Leader – Randy Ziegler Accompanist – Jen Hinton Sound Tech – Rich Bushong Video Tech – Dave Bendit

PREPARE YOUR HEARTS FOR WORSHIP NEXT SUNDAY BY READING AHEAD! Next Sunday, **Doug Hinton** will be preaching on **Hebrews 9:23-28**. Please read and prayerfully study this passage this week as we prepare to worship together.

## Sermon Motes

### **Ennouncements**

#### **Finding God's Will**

Thomas Merton shares the following prayer in his book, *Thoughts in Solitude*. He prays:

My Lord God,
I have no idea where I am going.
I do not see the road ahead of me.
I cannot know for certain where it will end.

Nor do I really know myself, and the fact that I think I am following your will does not mean that I am actually doing so.

But I believe that the desire to please you does in fact please you.

And I hope I have that desire in all that I am doing.

I hope that I will never do anything apart from that desire.

And I know that if I do this you will lead me by the right road, though I may know nothing about it.

Therefore I will trust you always though
I may seem to be lost and in the shadow of death.
I will not fear, for you are ever with me, and you will never leave me to face my perils alone.

What feelings are evoked in you as you consider Merton's words? What word or phrase do you connect with today?

Outreach in Action: We will have a special One Great Hour of Sharing offering on Sunday, March 21. One Great Hour of Sharing is an ecumenical outreach effort to support world missions. For the Church of the Brethren, it empowers Church of the Brethren ministries like Global Mission and Service, Discipleship Ministries, Brethren Disaster Ministries, Peacebuilding, BVS, the Global Food Initiative (2 Cent-a-Meal), and others.



One Great Hour of Sharing

Your generosity and dedication to the ministries of Church of the Brethren allows them to thrive. Please make your checks payable to Hempfield Church of the Brethren with the memo line of "One Great Hour of Sharing". Simply place your check in the offering plate on 3/14, 3/21 or 3/28. Offerings can also be mailed to the church. Thank You!



POST HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES: If you, or someone you know is graduating from a college, university, or other post high school program, please send the name & contact information to Donna Reed, of the Education Team, (via church mailbox or <a href="mailto:rdreed2@verizon.net">rdreed2@verizon.net</a>) by April 18, 2021 in order to complete a short questionnaire that is due April 25, 2021 We would like to celebrate with you as you finish this chapter of your life! Graduation Sunday is June 6, 2021

As outlined in a communication from the Leadership and Finance Team on March 8th regarding the matching PPP funds, a goal was established to contribute the remaining 50% of matching funds by Easter. Due to strong giving over the last four weeks, we expect to be able to distribute the remaining matching funds if we are able to exceed our weekly budgeted giving goal by a total of only \$3,000 over the course of the next two weeks. We thank you for your continued faithfulness to not only our weekly needs to meet our budget but also for the ability to generously pour back into our community and outreach organizations we support.

The Leadership and Finance Team.



One way that we try to bless the teens at HCOB is through providing a quality snack, whether to take home or enjoy

before departure. If you are someone who loves to bake, and wants to bless the teens at HCOB, consider donating a baked good! Contact Josh first to schedule a date and get details!



#### Hempfield Area and Manheim Central Food Pantries Needs

Currently on the needs list is pasta, pasta sauce, mac and cheese, jelly, canned pears/peaches/applesauce, peanut butter, oatmeal, cereal, baked beans, beef vegetable soup, and Spam.

- Hempfield has also requested canned corn, canned carrots, canned mixed vegetables, and dry 2 lb. packages of pinto beans.
- Manheim has also requested some personal hygiene products including tissues, and large diapers (sizes 4, 5, 6 and pull ups).



New key fobs will be distributed within the next week. The new door lock system will be operational on April 4<sup>th</sup>. Existing church keys will no longer be operational for the external doors.