

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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Office Hours: Monday - Friday 9:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.

Please submit bulletin information to Irene by Wednesday noon.

HCOB Family Facts

General Offering for April 11, 2021 =

General Fund \$ 5261.80

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

Building Fund for April 11, 2021 = \$ 290.00

Sunday, April 18, 2021



Worship Today

PRELUDES

For the Fruit of All Creation
Great is Thy Faithfulness
Open Our Eyes, Lord

Preacher – Pastor Doug Hinton
Worship Leader – Rich Bushong
Accompanist – Kim Glass
Sound Tech – Mitchell Barnes
Video Tech – Dave Bendit

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

WORSHIP PRELUDE

Unending Grace - Video

CALL TO WORSHIP

James 3:13-18

PREPARE YOUR HEARTS FOR WORSHIP NEXT SUNDAY BY READING AHEAD! Next Sunday, **Geoff Davis** will be preaching on **John 5:31-47**. Please read and prayerfully study this passage this week as we prepare to worship together.

SPECIAL MUSIC

Hymns of Majesty

SCRIPTURE

1 Corinthians 3:5-9

OUTREACH IN ACTION: CAMP SWATARA

MORNING PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

SCRIPTURE

John 4:31-42



We are saddened by the passing of Bernice Miller on April 13, 2021. There will be a service held here on Saturday, April 24, 2021 at 11:00am if you would like to attend. Please remember to bring your masks and prepare to social distance as we honor Bernice's life.

MESSAGE

Food of the Father

CLOSING PRAYER

SPECIAL MUSIC

Here I Am, Lord

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

Jesus Shall Reign

** Those who are able are invited to stand*

Sermon Notes

Announcements



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 rdreed2@verizon.net) 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

EDUCATIONAL GRANT—The church, through the Education Team, is offering an **EDUCATION GRANT** to individuals who are: (1) pursuing a career in Christian Ministry by attending a Christian college or university, or (2) attending a college that is affiliated with the Church of the Brethren. Inquiring applicants can send a request for an application to Donna Reed, chairman of the Education Team, via the church mailbox or rdreed2@verizon.net. The deadline to receive the returned grant application is May 1.

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES: If you, or a family member is graduating this year from High School, please submit the name and contact information to Donna Reed by April 25, 2020 (via church mailbox, or rdreed2@verizon.net). Then you will receive a short questionnaire that is due May 9, 2021, so that we may recognize your achievements on Graduation Sunday, June 6, 2021.



Hempfield COB donated 92 pounds of food items to the pantry in March. We served 578 people which included 162 children, 307 adults, and 109 seniors. We registered three new families. The pantry continues to serve clients with a “drive through” distribution. No clients enter the building.... pre-packed boxes of food are delivered to their cars. Forty volunteers served 657 hours in March!

Requested items for April are:

Canned green beans, canned corn, canned peas, canned applesauce, cereal, pancake mix, pancake syrup, large grape jelly, bagged noodles.

Thank you to the members of Hempfield COB for their continued support of the pantry serving families in our community!



The “Shade” flower bed is being taken out. Please help yourself to any of the perennial flowers that you might want. They need to be removed by April 24th.



We now have a 2021 Flower Chart in the Church Office. Anyone wishing to provide flowers for the Sanctuary Altar may sign up on that chart. We will no longer be providing access to a designated florist for delivery. If you would like to have the flowers delivered, you may have your florist do so on Fridays between 9:00am and 3:00pm. If you

would like to deliver your own flowers, you may do so on Fridays or prior to the service on Sunday mornings. Please remember that you are

responsible for the cost – bills should not be sent to the church. We look forward to your beautiful contributions to our sanctuary!



The new church door security system is now active and working. In a constantly changing world, our goal is not to exclude church members from the building but rather to ensure the safety of all who come here. A couple of items to be aware of:

- #1 All church doors will open on Sunday mornings at 8:00 am. However, the Gym Door, the 2nd Door Main, and the West Access Door will lock at 9:35 am. The Main Entrance Door will remain open until 9:45 am.
- #2 If you want to gain access to the church during office hours (9-3, M-F), push the call button to notify the office. The door will then be buzzed open for you to enter.
- #3 For access to the church beyond hours, you will need to contact the office to arrange to have doors open for you or contact one of the staff or property team with phone Apps that can open doors remotely for you.
- #4 If you have a event coming up, contact the church office to put a schedule in place to have the doors accessible.
- #5 The Leadership Team is working on a protocol for those needing to have a fob issued to them.



There are no words that seem adequate enough to say thank you to everyone who expressed their sympathy to us in many ways during the loss of our father Russ. He was a wonderful person and loved to make people laugh. Through the memories he gave each of us, he will live on forever in our hearts.

Blessing to all, Gary & Mary Lou Ruth and Terry Kreider and Mary Peffley