

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 October 16, 2022 =

General Fund \$ 6,633.98

Amount needed weekly to meet budget = \$10,512

Building Fund for October 16, 2022 = \$ 100.00

This Week @ H.C.O.B.

Today:

Care of Church Community

Wednesday:

7pm Choir

Monday:

Doug Off

Thursday:

6pm Praise Band

7pm QuintEssentially Brass Reh.

Tuesday:

7pm Leadership

Friday:





The Eastland Alpaca Open House is coming up November 5-6, 12-13. We have grown so much that it has become our only fundraiser to fund our youth activities and carry out the mission of Christ throughout the year. We will again be serving hotdogs & sauerkraut, pulled pork sandwiches, walking taco and taco salads,

chicken corn noodle soup and French fries.

Here is how you can help: We are looking for cans of soda. This year we are asking specifically for Coke/Diet Coke, Sprite, A&W Root Beer, and Dr. Pepper. Baked goods will be done here in the church kitchen November 1st starting at 8:30am. Baking will resume on November 2nd 3:00pm. Chicken Corn Soup will made on November 2nd 8:30am to 2:00pm. Please come help!

We have sign-up sheets in the Narthex.

Monetary donations to offset our start up shopping are appreciated as well. Stop by the table in the Narthex and sponsor one or more of the food items. As you are able, please sign up with the item and the amount. We look forward to this year's event! Thank you for all your support

Parents Night Out

Friday, November 11th, 5:30-8:30pm

Your children will enjoy a meal, participate in organized activities and watch a movie while you enjoy some time to yourself. Please register by November 8th at www.hempfieldcob.org.



Worship Leaders Needed for 2023! The Worship Team is looking for additional volunteers of all ages to serve as worship leaders for the upcoming year. As worship leader, you are responsible for leading the morning

announcements, reading the Scripture lessons for the day, and giving the prayer for the service. It is a great way to serve! If you'd like to serve but feel like you might need some guidance, the pastors are always willing to assist. If we can secure a few additional volunteers, each person would only need to lead 1-2 Sundays per year. Please consider serving as a worship leader. Contact Jason Hoffman (jasonhoffman11@verizon.net or 717-203-6061) with questions or to volunteer!

Announcements

We Welcome Rebecca Dali To Hempfield!



Rebecca is founder of the Center for Caring, Empowerment and Peace Initiative (CCEPI). Today she will provide an update on the situation in Nigeria and how God is working through CCEPI to help the most vulnerable people of Nigeria. We pray that God continues to use Rebecca and CCEPI in mighty ways. Everyone is invited to attend a question and answer session with Rebecca during Sunday School immediately after the service.





SEARCH COMMITTEE UPDATE:

The job title and description of the Director of Youth Ministry and Discipleship was approved on September 18th. The team will now complete a church profile before it can be posted within the Atlantic Northeast District. The team plans to contact local colleges and seminaries to advertise. We will review resumes and interview possible candidates as they are submitted. If you have interested individuals, please have them submit a cover letter and resume to office@hempfieldcob.org. They can also access the complete job description and submission information on the church website at www.hempfieldcob.org. If you have further questions, please reach out to Emmy Schott at emmy@hempfield.org.

Please continue to pray for the youth during this transition.



The **"Weenie Hunt"** so it is **ON** for Oct 29th!
Where? Jim and Jody Kettering farm at
1316 S **Colebrook Rd**, Manheim, PA

Here's all you have to do:

1. Decide that you would like to participate
2. Ask Kent or Karen Rice for a list of characters and pick one that you'd like to be.
3. Pull together a costume that looks like the character's name
4. Email, call, text or message Kent or Karen Rice with the name of your character
5. Show up in costume (or carrying it) at 6 pm.

Here's how it works: Weenies hide anyone on the farm that we're allowed to use. (Dress warmly!) Then the youth show up, divide into teams and look for the hidiers. When they find one, they bring them back to the check-in point. If they guess your character, then they get the point value and you're done--you can stay to eat and fellowship or leave if you want to. :-) If they guess wrong, you go back to hide. The **ONLY** character allowed to move is Black Jack Shalak and this year my son in law Eric has that honor. Thanks for considering!



The Children's Ministry would like to express their gratitude for all those who attended, donated, served, participated and prayed for our Harvest Fest last Sunday. It was a marvelous, successful event! From games and activities for all ages to exciting balloon creations, to wonderful food and fellowship, a great time was had by all who attended. We celebrate an attendance of 129 people!!! In addition we were able to donate 21 items to the local food bank.

If you weren't able to be present this year, you won't want to miss this event next October!!



Stay tuned for announcements regarding this year's Turkey Drive and the opportunity for you to reserve poinsettias to adorn our sanctuary during the holiday season.

Lots of great things happening at Hempfield COB!!!