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.

Doug Hinton - Senior Pastor

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Geoff Davis - Associate Pastor

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Irene Hershey - Administrator

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Please submit bulletin information to Irene by Wednesday noon.

HCOB Family Facts

General Offering for November 6, 2022 = General Fund \$ 11,228.25

Amount needed weekly to meet budget = \$10,512Building Fund for November 6, 2022 = \$600.00

This Week @ H.C.O.B.

Today:

Congregational Gathering

Wednesday:

7pm Choir

Monday:

Doug' Day Off

6:30pm Worship Team

Tuesday:

6:30pm Education Team

6:30pm Outreach Team (Zoom)

7pm QuintEssentially Brass Reh.

Herald Deadline

Thursday:

6:30pm Praise Band

Friday:

Irene Off



Worship Today

PRELUDES

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

TIME OF TESTIMONY

Laura Meiser

OPENING PRAYER

CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 118:19-29

TIME OF PRAISE

Children are Invited to Children's Church

SCRIPTURE

Matthew 18:15-18

MORNING PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

SPECIAL MUSIC

Come, Ye Thankful People, Come

4-Hand Piano Duet

SCRIPTURE

Philippians 4:2-9

MESSAGE

Reconcile, Rejoice, Focus

*CLOSING SONG

Rejoice, The Lord is King

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*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

*Those who are able are invited to stand

Preacher - Doug Hinton

Worship Leader – Janice Haldeman

 $Accompanist-Kim\ Glass$

Praise Band Leader – Kent Rice

Sound Tech –Rich Bushong & Micah Hoffman

Video Tech – Dave Bendit

PREPARE YOUR HEARTS FOR WORSHIP NEXT SUNDAY BY READING AHEAD! Next Sunday, **Geoff Davis** will be preaching on **Philippians 4:10-23.** Please read and prayerfully study this passage

this week as we prepare to worship together.

Sunday School This Week: The Power to Change – Jennie Allen

Today – Congregational Gathering

November 20 - Session 6 "Keep Going" -- Doug Hinton

November 27 – Session 1 – NEW STUDY – Advent by JD Greear

Poinsettia Sale! The Worship Team would like to invite the congregation to purchase poinsettias to beautify our sanctuary during Advent. Three varieties (Red, White and Ice Crystal) will be sold for \$5 each, TODAY and November 20. Cash or a check (written out to "Hempfield Church of the Brethren" with "Poinsettias" in the memo line) will be accepted. You may take your poinsettia home any time after the Christmas Eve service or on Sunday morning, Christmas Day. Thank you for helping to make our church beautiful!









Turkey Drive 11/20 – The Force for Food Committee is coordinating the annual turkey collection for Water Street Ministries. Water Street needs 4,500 turkeys to provide over 37,000 holiday meals. Monetary donations would also be appreciated and can be placed in the collection box in the narthex. Please

make checks payable to Hempfield Church of the Brethren (notation-Turkey Drive). November 20th we will be collecting frozen or fresh turkeys outside the gym. Water Street Ministries shelters 170 people per night and serves 146,000 meals annually. Thank you for your annual support in providing a holiday meal to those in need during these challenging times.

Announcements





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!



We are in need of a **Church Clerk** to serve beginning in January 2023. This person would attend and take minutes for Leadership Team Meetings as well as the Congregational Gatherings. If willing to serve in this area, contact Al Houck at ahouckHCOB@gmail.com.



It is that time of year again. If you have made any changes to the information in the current 2022 Church Directory, please notify the office to make the correction for the new 2023 Directory.



East Petersburg Elementary Cafeteria

This is a volunteer opportunity helping the younger students open containers, sweeping floors, wiping tables, and being a friendly face as the EPES students eat their lunches.

Volunteers **MUST** have clearance on file with the District Office. Interested? Email Liz Gee at ElizabethGee11@gmail and I will send you the sign up information. Thanks!



Gingerbread House Night!! December 4th, 3:30-5:30pm Mark your calendars!! Come make a festive, edible home! This is open to everyone and refreshments will be provided. Once completed, houses can be placed in the Narthex for a congregational vote! Following this at 5:00pm, we will also spread Christmas cheer caroling around East Petersburg. Please look for a sign up in the Narthex in the coming weeks.



It's that time of year already! The Deacons invite the congregation to send their Christmas cards (postage free) to our shut-ins and all senior home residents through our basket and visitation ministry.

Delivery is set for December 3rd so please put your cards; in alphabetical order by last name and rubber banded, in the labeled box under the table in the Narthex. A listing of the names of individuals can be found on the Narthex table. Cards should be placed there by November 26th. Thank you, in advance, for your participation in this much appreciated ministry.



BRETHREN VILLAGE CHRISTMAS COOKIES AND CRAFT

BAZAAR SALE Saturday, December 3, 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM in Wolfe Auditorium including cookies, crafts, and food. All benefits will go to the Good Samaritan Fund at The Village.

CAN YOU BAKE CHRISTMAS COOKIES? Please consider baking cookies and bring them to the Narthex table November 27, 28, 29 & 30. Mark them "for Brethren Village." Label the kinds of cookies and if they contain peanut butter or nuts. Some diabetic varieties would be welcomed. All cookies are appreciated, but the Christmas varieties sell well.

PLEASE SIGN UP AT THE TABLE IN THE NARTHEX.