

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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Scheduled Day Off: Monday

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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 February 5, 2023 =

General Fund \$ 15,622.63

Amount needed weekly to meet budget = \$10,094

Building Fund for February 5, 2023 = \$ 100.00

Soup Sale to benefit Outreach and Meal Ministry = \$744.00

This Week @ H.C.O.B.

Today:

6-8pm Youth Group

Monday:

Doug Off

6:30pm Outreach Team (Zoom)

6:30pm Worship Team (Zoom)

Tuesday:

Wednesday:

7:00pm Choir Rehearsal

HERALD DEADLINE

Thursday:

6:30 Praise Band

Friday:

Youth Winter Retreat

Sunday, February 12, 2023

Prepare Ye
of the Way of
the Lord



Sermon Notes

Announcements



Calling all church softball players! HCOB is looking for players for the 2023 Manheim church softball season. This is the 50th season for the church softball league, and HCOB is hoping to make a good showing for this anniversary year. HCOB has a rich history in softball, having won the league, and states during the 90s. Anyone is welcome, no matter prior experience, knowledge of the game, or athletic ability, we will teach you how to play. If you are not interested in playing, but want to help the team in other ways please reach out as well. Please talk to or contact Mitchell Barnes by call/ text at 717-673-0045 to express interest or request more information.



Save the date! HCOB will host a delayed viewing of IF:Gathering 2023 on Saturday, April 22. We will begin our time together at 9:00 with a light continental breakfast and will view selected sessions throughout the day. Lunch will be provided and our time together will tentatively end at 4:00 PM. This is a time of spiritual growth but also fellowship and community. Feel free to stay for the entire day or for just a portion as your schedule allows. Please feel free to invite friends! The more the merrier!

Registration is required for this event through the church website -- www.hempfieldcob.org. Questions? Feel free to contact Laura Meiser at 717.689.0465 or laura@hempfieldcob.org.



Upcoming Calendar:

- Feb 12th - Youth Group ("Jesus is our Generation" Part 2) Time **2-4pm**
- Feb 17-20th - Winter Retreat
- Feb 19th - No Youth Group (retreat)
- Feb 26th - Youth Group ("Jesus is our Generation" Part 3) 6-8pm
- Mar 5th - Youth Group ("Jesus is our Generation" Part 4) 6-8pm



Director of Youth and Discipleship Search Committee Update:

Our position is posted on multiple platforms including the district & church websites, Handshake, Facebook, LinkedIn, amongst others. Thus far, we have received one application and are currently in the process of screening the applicant with Pete Kontra. We have had many conversations with youth parents and leaders and are doing the best we can to ensure our youth are being spiritually fed during this time of transition. We will continue to meet and search for new ways to make this job appealing and ask for your continued prayers throughout the process. Updates to come as changes occur.



The Worship Team is looking for someone with experience in making candles, as well as borrowing molds for long, taper candles. If you are that person, or have molds, please contact Deb Bendit (717-808-8453, quilterdeb60@gmail.com). Thank you!

rightnow MEDIA

Did you know that our Church has had a subscription to Rightnow Media for 4 years? Are you signed up?

What is it?

- Our Church's Bible Study Library with over 20,000 Discipleship videos

Who is it for?

- EVERYONE! Kids, Youth, and Adults

Where is it?

- Online at rightnowmedia.org or download theRightNow Media app for free

How can I get it?

- Email or call Pastor Doug letting him know that you want to be added to our church's account. Sign up on the sheet in the Narthex.
- You will be provided a link with step by step instructions to set up your individual account

Then what?

- Use the browse feature to find a study based on topic, teacher, etc.
- Click on the Hempfield Church of the Brethren banner at the top of the page to view what studies are being used within our church

LOOKING AHEAD...



Ash Wednesday – February

Church Celebration – March 26th

Easter Egg Hunt – April 1st

Good Friday – April 8th

Easter Sunday – April 9th

Congregational Gathering – April 23rd

22nd