

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 August 13, 2023 =

General Fund \$ 6,873.00

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

Building Fund for August 13, 2023 = \$ 150.00

This Week @ H.C.O.B.

Today:

5pm Youth Picnic & Parent Mtg.

Wednesday:

Monday:

Doug Off
6:30 Outreach Team

Thursday:

6:30pm Praise Band
7pm QE Brass Rehearsal

Tuesday:

5:30pm Corny Event
7pm Leadership Team
7pm QE Brass Rehearsal

Friday:



Worship Today

Why are people making the same mistakes repeatedly? Why do people engage in the same actions that still result in suffering? What mistakes have you repeated? Why is that?

PRELUDES

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

HEMPFIELD HAPPENINGS: Technology Update
Sara Basom

OPENING PRAYER

CALL TO WORSHIP

We trust in you, O God, for you are faithful.
Show us your ways and teach us your paths.
We wait for you.
Lead us in your paths of truth.
Do not remember our failures.
Out of your merciful grace, forgive us.
You are faithful, O God. Your love is steadfast.
We lift up our souls to you,
and praise you always.

TIME OF PRAISE	Waymaker Same God
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Children are Invited to Children's Church

SCRIPTURE Genesis 9:1-13

MORNING PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

HYMN Just As I Am Without One Plea #516
(vs. 1,2,5,6)

SCRIPTURE Genesis 9:18-27

MESSAGE **The More Things Change....**

*HYMN Immortal, Invisible God Only Wise #70

***BENEDICTION** Responsive Reading
We have received the Spirit.
We are blessed by God.
Believe the gospel.
Proclaim the good news.

*POSTLUDE

**Those who are able are invited to stand*

Preacher – Geoff Davis
Worship Leader – Rich Bushong
Accompanist – Jen Hinton
Praise Band Leader – Jen Hinton
Sound Tech – Jamie Bushong & Mitchell Barnes
Video Tech – Doug Howard
Live Stream – Dave Bendit

PREPARE YOUR HEARTS FOR WORSHIP NEXT SUNDAY BY READING AHEAD! Next Sunday, **Doug Hinton** will be preaching on **Genesis 11**. Please read and prayerfully study this passage this week as we prepare to worship together.

Sunday School This Week:
New Study Coming – The Book of Jeremiah

August 20 – Conclusion – Donna Reed

August 27 – No Class

September 3 – No Class

September 10 – No Class (Rally Day)

September 17 – Week 1 of New Study

LOOKING AHEAD...



September 4 – Labor Day – Church Office Closed

September 10 – Rally Day & Chicken Barbecue

September 10 – 2-Cent-A-Meal Offering

September 17 – Communion

September 22 & 23 – Disaster Relief Auction

**Announcing Ladies Thursday Morning
Fall Bible Study**

Please join us for The Ladies Thursday Morning Fall Bible Study which will be an 8-part video series along with the book “Are You Really OK” by author Debra Fileta who happens to reside in Lancaster PA. We will meet every Thursday 9AM to 11AM in the Gathering Place for 8 weeks September 14th through November 2nd. Books are \$12.49.

Please contact Jamie Bushong by Sunday August 27th if you will be joining us and if you would like to order a book. Email jvb@dejazzd.com Text 717-405-9471 or Call 717-664-4395 before 8pm.



QuintEssentially Brass will be performing its annual summer-ending concert, Sunday, August 27 at Mt Gretna Tabernacle, (3rd St. & Glossbrenner Ave, Mount Gretna, PA 17064) beginning at 7:00. A freewill offering will be taken.

Announcements

Checks For You

... Blood Pressure Checks that is. The Deacon Committee, through their Health Ministry Team, is providing monthly blood pressure checks to all participants of our church family.

Next check September 3

Where: Library

When: After the church service



Are You Willing to Serve?

It is that time of year when we begin to look toward building the ministry teams for 2024. Get involved! Be a part! Lend your voice!

Nominate candidates. Nomination forms are available on the table as you enter the Sanctuary. Position nominations will be **due by noon Sunday, September 3**. You may return your nomination ballots to the box located on the Narthex table. For questions, see Del Kautz.

Bike & Hike – September 10, 2023

25 mile bike ride. Looking for sponsors!

James Wenger will be in the Narthex each week to sign you up as a sponsor. Thanks, in advance for all who give!



**HELP NEEDED TO SERVE PORK
BARBEQUE**

Hempfield COB has helped serve the pork barbeque at the Disaster Relief Auction on Friday afternoon. This year's auction is on September 22 and 23, 2023. We begin serving

the barbeque Friday at 4:00 PM and will finish by 6:00 PM. You can help the whole time or part time. Please respond to Tom Fritz by email (twfritz@ptd.net): Cell phone or text (717-823-2745), or see me in-person.





CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!

Tuesday, September 5 at 6:30pm

Join to be a part of the planning for this year's Harvest Fest! The Fest will be held this year on October 15th. We will meet in Chapel Hall to review the events from last year and brainstorm ideas for the coming event.



Mom's Connect – Kids Connect

Coming this Fall!! There will be more information to come but mark your calendars! The Connect program will happen on Wednesday mornings from 9:30am – 11:00am on September 20th; October 4th, 18th; November 1st, 15th



DO YOU WANT TO PLAY??

It's time to **SWING** into the goal of replacing our playground area. You can **CLIMB** into the process and help support the efforts. Don't forget to **SLIDE** into your wallet and give as you feel led. You won't just be **MONKEYING** around as this project becomes a reality.

JUMP in on the fun!

There are giving envelopes on the display table and you may also give online through Breeze (just choose the Playground Project fund). For questions, see Donna Reed.



YOUTH PICNIC

& PARENT MEETING

SUNDAY, AUGUST 20TH 5-8 PM
HEMPFIELD COB PAVILLION



Potluck
Picnic



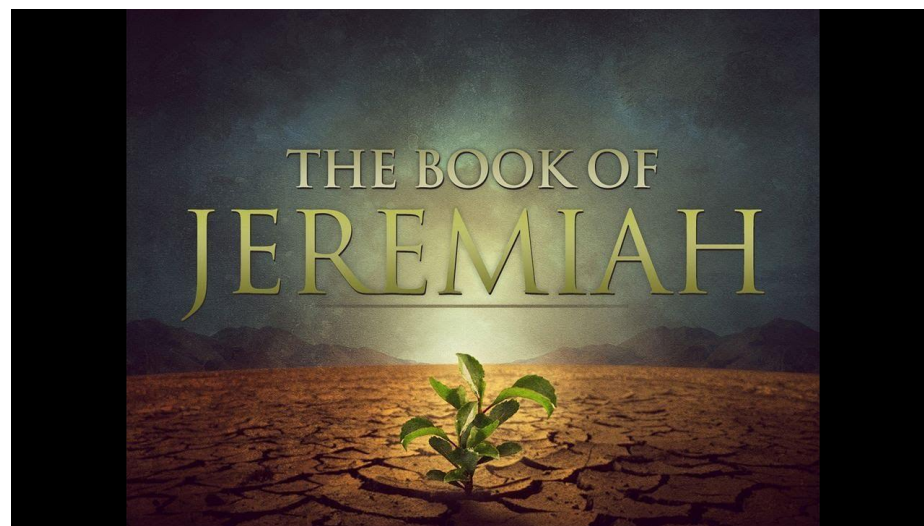
Parent
Meeting



Yard
Games

RSVP TO JASON OR LYDIA

5-6 PM - Potluck picnic with parents and youth. The main dish and drinks will be provided. Please bring a side or dessert to share.
6-7 PM - Parent meeting to discuss the upcoming year.
6-8 PM - Yard games with youth.



**New Sunday School Classes coming in
September!!**