

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 November 19, 2023 =

General Fund \$ 12,869.41

Building Fund for November 19, 2023 = \$ 3,100.00

Playground Fun Fund as of November 19, 2023 = \$ 45,895.00

This Week @ H.C.O.B.

Today:

No Youth Group
10:30am Care of Church

Monday:

Doug's Day Off

Tuesday:

7:00pm Leadership Team
7:00pm QE Brass Rehearsal

Wednesday:

7:00pm Choir Rehearsal

Thursday:

6:30pm Praise Band Rehearsal

Friday:

6:45pm WORDD Christmas



Jacob settled
in the land
where
his father
had lived
as an alien,
the land of
Canaan.

Sunday, November 26, 2023

Worship Today

PRELUDES

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

HEMPFIELD HAPPENINGS: DC Mission Trip
Jason Hoffman

OPENING PRAYER

CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 146

TIME OF PRAISE Again and Again
This is Amazing Grace

Children are Invited to Children's Church

SCRIPTURE Hebrews 13:1-6

MORNING PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

HYMN Come, Ye Thankful People Come #94

SCRIPTURE Leviticus 19:33-34

MESSAGE **STRANGERS AMONG US**

*HYMN I Love to Tell the Story #398

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

**Those who are able are invited to stand*

Preacher – Doug Hinton
Worship Leader – Galen Brumbaugh
Accompanist – Jen Hinton
Praise Band Leader – Laura Meiser
Sound Tech – Rich Bushong & Jamie Bushong
Video Tech – Doug Howard
Live Stream – Carl Polonchak & Brad Lutz

PREPARE YOUR HEARTS FOR WORSHIP NEXT SUNDAY BY READING AHEAD! Next Sunday, **Laura Meiser** will be preaching on **Luke 2:22-40**. Please read and prayerfully study this passage this week as we prepare to worship together.

Sunday School This Week:

Study – The Book of Jeremiah

November 26 – Jeremiah 35:5-19 – Galen Brumbaugh

December 3 – Jeremiah 36:19-31 – Tom Fritz

December 10 – Jeremiah 42:7-22 – Sue Brubaker

December 17 – Jeremiah 50:11-22, 33-34 – Galen Brumbaugh

December 24 – Christmas Eve – No Class

December 31 – New Years Eve – No Class



TABULATORS NEEDED

The Finance Team is looking to add some individuals who would be willing to rotate with helping to tabulate offerings on Sunday mornings. If you are interested, please contact Justin Kleinfelter at jkleinfelter@fultonbank.com.



ALL CHURCH CHRISTMAS EVENT

Sunday, December 3, 2023

Meal at 11:00am

Gingerbread House Competition 11:45am

Christmas Caroling 1:30pm

See Emmy & Laura in the Narthex for more information and sign ups.



CHRISTMAS CARD DROPOFF

The Deacons invite the congregation to send Christmas cards postage free to all our shut-ins and those living in are senior homes. We ask that your cards be alphabetized by last name and rubber banded to ease the process of separation. Cards will be delivered to all these persons on the list along with the fruit bags on December 9th by the Deacons. Please remember to have your cards in the box under the table in the Narthex by that date. The box and list of eligible persons will be available for your deposits by November 12th. Thank you for your generous response to this very well received holiday program.



BRETHREN VILLAGE CHRISTMAS COOKIES AND CRAFT

BAZAAR SALE Saturday, December 2, 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM in Wolfe Auditorium including cookies, crafts, and food. All benefits will go to the Brethren Village Residents.

CAN YOU BAKE CHRISTMAS COOKIES? Please consider baking cookies and bring them to the Narthex table November 26, 27, 28 & 29. 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



We are having a Holiday collection for the '2-Cent-A-Meal' offering on **Sunday, December 10th** for the **Global Food Initiative (GFI)** program. This program is the primary way that the Church of the Brethren assists hungry people in developing food security around the world.

Announcements

Sermon Notes



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 December 3.

Where: Library

When: After the church service



Upcoming Calendar:

- Nov 26th - NO Youth Group - Happy Thanksgiving!
- Dec 3rd - NO Youth Group - Family Christmas Event at HCOB
- Dec 10th - 6-8pm - Youth Group
- Dec 17th - 6-8pm - Christmas Party
- Dec 24th - NO Youth Group - Merry Christmas!

LOOKING AHEAD...



Family Christmas Event – December 3

1st Sunday in Advent – December 3

2-Cent-A-Meal Offering – December 10

Blue Christmas Service – December 15

Christmas Eve Service – December 24

Christmas Holiday – December 25 & 26 (Church Office Closed)