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HCOB Family Facts

General Offering for August 11, 2024 **General Fund \$ 6,046.08**

Building Fund for August 11, 2024 = \$ 200.00

This Week @ H.C.O.B.

Today: Special Congregational Me Youth Group Family Picnic

Monday: Doug Off 6:30pm Outreach Team

Tuesday: 5:00pm Corn Event 6:00pm Education Team Wednesday: Herald Deadline

Thursday: 6:30pm Praise Band

Friday:

THE FARMER WAITS FOR THE PRECIOUS CROP YOU ALSO MUST be patient.

Sunday, August 18, 2024

James 5:7-8, NRSV

Warship Taday

SCRIPTURE 2 Corinthians 9:6-15 Would you say you make enough money, too little, or just the right amount? How much would be "enough?" What MORNING PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER would you do if you had that amount? VIDEO PRELUDES SCRIPTURE James 5:1-6 WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS MESSAGE **HOW MUCH IS ENOUGH?** OPENING PRAYER **HYMN** God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending #383 HEMPFIELD HAPPENINGS: Outreach Darren Meiser BENEDICTION Leader: God has created all things. God has rescued us from sin CALL TO WORSHIP and suffering. Leader: Jesus is on our side! All: Let us go forth, seeking to be on God's side. All: Come and rejoice. Leader: Jesus Christ finds us when we wander far from God. Leader: Are you suffering? All: Let us go forth, seeking to be on God's side. Leader: The Holy Spirit empowers us to welcome all All: Come and find peace. into the reign of God's love. Leader: Are you joyful? All: Let us go forth, seeking to be on God's side, All: Come and sing. bringing the love of Christ everywhere we go. Leader: Do you need healing? All: Come and pray. POSTLUDE Leader: Jesus is on our side! Preacher – Geoff Davis All: Come and rejoice. Worship Leader - Sarah Basom Accompanist – Jen Hinton TIME OF PRAISE No Longer Slaves Praise Band Leader – Laura Meiser Oceans Sound Tech – Rich Bushong & Mitchell Barnes Video Tech – Ben Johnson Live Stream – Brad & Abby Lutz Children are Invited to Children's Church

PREPARE YOUR HEARTS FOR WORSHIP NEXT SUNDAY BY

READING AHEAD! Next Sunday, **Doug Hinton** will be preaching on James 5:7-12. Please read and prayerfully study this passage this week as we prepare to worship together.

ARE YOU VISITING US TODAY?

WELCOME TO HEMPFIELD COB We are SO glad you are here. Help us to get better acquainted with you. Scan this QR code and take just a few minutes to tell us about yourself.



Come back again!!



We are commissioned to pray for our brothers and sisters in other congregations and communities. Here, each week, you will find the name of the congregation that we ask that you keep in prayer that week. The complete year schedule can be found in the Herald.

Hanoverdale (Hummelstown, PA)



Sunday School This Week: Patterns of Evidence: Journey to Mt. Sinai 1

Timothy Mahoney

The Patterns of Evidence: Journey to Mount Sinai continues to raise big questions as filmmaker Tim Mahoney set out to complete his 20-year investigation. Can evidence for the mountain where Moses and the Israelites met God still be

found after 3,500 years? With doubts about the case for the traditional Mount Sinai location, Mahoney employs his trusted Patterns of Evidence approach and the Mount Sinai Scorecard to the final Mount Sinai candidates.

August 18 – Annual Conference Report

August 25 – Attributes of Jabal al-Lawz September 2 – Artifacts at Jabel al-Lawz and Conclusion



LOOKING AHEAD...



Special Congregation Meeting – Today Following Worship

Labor Day (Church Office Closed) – September 2 Rally Day – September 8 2-Cent-A-Meal – September 8 Disaster Relief Auction – September 27 & 28



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 8.

Where: Library When: After the church service



It's time to Get Corny again!!!

Tuesday, August 20th at 5:00pm (or whenever you can). we need you to come get "Corny" with us. Bring your favorite corn cutting tool. There will be approximately 35 dozen ears of corn here to process for use in various ministries – Church Soup Ministry, Force for Food, and Water Street Mission. At least 20

"Corny" hands are need to help. For more information, contact Mary Lou Ruth.



TENTS NEEDED!

Tents for the homeless needed! Do you have a tent hiding away in your basement or garage that you will never use again? Please let Vicki von Schaaf know if you do!



FLOWERS, FLOWERS, FLOWERS!!

Are you willing to help adore our sanctuary with some lovely plants and flowers? Do you have nice silk arrangements that you'd like to donate to use on a regular basis? If you would like to help in this way, please contact Bonnie Bard at 717-537-5472

QuintEssentially Brass to Close Summer Series

Experience the power and versatility of brass as QuintEssentially Brass takes the stage at the Mt Gretna Tabernacle for an unforgettable evening of music.



Date: August 25, 2024 Time: 7:00 p.m. Location: 408 3rd Street Mt Gretna, PA 17064

Prepare to be captivated by an enjoyable, summer-evening program featuring a diverse selection of pieces, from classical masterpieces to contemporary compositions. This dynamic ensemble will showcase the rich tonal colors and breathtaking harmonies that only brass can deliver. Don't miss this opportunity to immerse yourself in this tradition. **A freewill offering will be taken by the Camp meeting Association.**



Chicken Barbecue-Rally Day

Sept. 8, 2024

Mark your calendar, and bring a pew-full of friends. Rally Day marks the beginning of renewed church family experiences.

Our morning service will be followed by a delicious Chicken Barbecue meal (dark meat only) as well as inter-generational activities and games. **** If you are interested in playing kickball and/or the corn hole tournament, please sign up on the sheets in the Narthex. ****

There is something for everyone!

Dress casually to enjoy your day to the fullest.

Hope to see you there !!!

~ F&H will provide chicken, baked beans, chips, drinks, plates, utensils and cups. The 50th celebration team will provide ice cream and cake. **The congregation is as to bring fruit, fresh vegetables and salads.** If you are bringing a salad with a mayonnaise base dressing, please put it a cooler with an ice pack. Please wash fresh fruit before you cut it. If you plan to eat any leftovers from the meal, ex. Chicken or any sides dishes please bring a cooler with ice pack or ice to transport the food properly.

~ No serving utensils needed.

~ Please drop off your food in the kitchen **BEFORE** the morning service.

~ We will serve the food fin the Fellowship Hall.

 \sim Seating inside and outside. If you plan to sit outside, you may bring chairs and blankets in case all the seating outside is taken.

Leftover Chicken Barbecue can be obtained for a donation.



A hearty "thank you" to each of you not only for being a part of my recent ordination service, but for the beautiful print and for prayerfully supporting me though my

seminary journey. Your notes of encouragement and heartfelt compassion were a light on a challenging path. Thank you! ~Laura Meiser