

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 September 8, 2024

General Fund \$ 9,450.33

Building Fund for September 8, 2024 = \$ 100.00

2 Cent-a-Meal = \$ 1,120.50

This Week @ H.C.O.B.

Today:

4:00pm Small Group (Schott's)
6:00pm Youth Group

Wednesday:

HERALD DEADLINE
9:30am Moms/Kids Connect.
6:00pm Fellowship & Hospitality Team
7:00pm Choir Rehearsal

Monday:

Doug Off

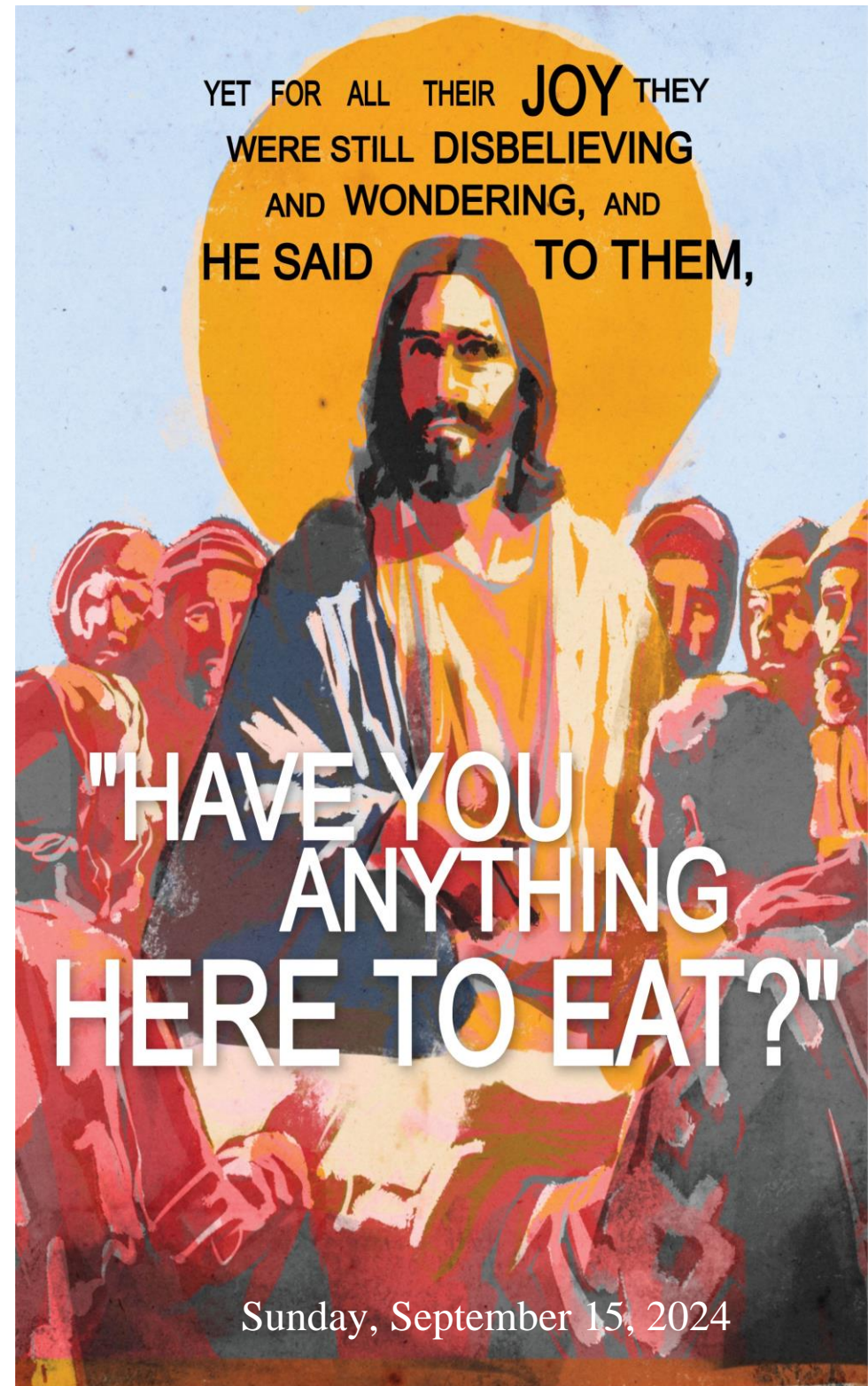
Thursday:

6:30pm Praise Band

Tuesday:

6:00pm TNT
6:00pm Education Team

Friday:



Worship Today

PRELUDES

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

HEMPFIELD HAPPENINGS: 50th Anniversary Update

OPENING PRAYER

CALL TO WORSHIP

One: Clap your hands, all you nations;
Shout to God with cries of joy!

**Body: How majestic is the Lord Most High;
How mighty is the great Sovereign over all the earth!**

One: Sing praises to God;
Sing psalms in God's honor.

**Body: God reigns over the nations;
God is exalted over all!**

*All: Praise the Lord, all people;
Praise God's everlasting name!*

TIME OF PRAISE Firm Foundation
 10,000 Reasons

Children are Invited to Children's Church

SCRIPTURE Luke 14:16-24

MORNING PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

HYMN Standing on the Promises Sanctuary Choir

SCRIPTURE Matthew 19:9-13

MESSAGE FOLLOW ME AND.....LET'S EAT!

HYMN Praise Him, Praise Him! #100

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Preacher – Doug Hinton
Worship Leader – Tom Connelly
Accompanist – Jen Hinton
Praise Band Leader – Laura Meiser
Sound Tech – Rich Bushong & Luke Hinton
Video Tech – Dave Bendit
Live Stream – Bob Johnson

**PREPARE YOUR HEARTS FOR WORSHIP NEXT SUNDAY BY
READING AHEAD!** Next Sunday, **Laura Meiser** will be preaching on
Mark 8:34-9:1 (8:1-13). 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!!

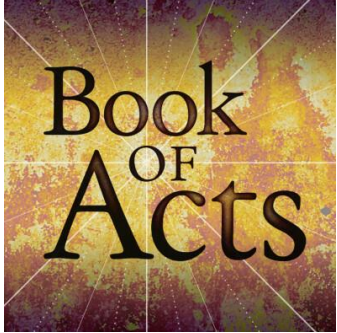




We are commissioned to pray for our brothers and sisters in other congregations and communities. Here, each week, you will find the name of the congregation that we ask that you keep in prayer that week. The complete year schedule can be found in the Herald.

Light of the Gospel Fellowship Staten Island
(Staten Island, NY)

Sunday School This Week:



The Book Acts tells the story of the early church. Unlike works of fiction, this narrative offers a factual, historical account. The Book of Acts chronicles the beginning of the Church and the incredible growth that resulted. Empowered by the Holy Spirit, these early believers took the Gospel to new lands. As God worked through His people then, we are charged with the same task the

early believers received, to be a living witness of the gospel to the world.

Sept. 15th - Acts 1:4-11, 23-26 **Commissioned**

Sept. 22nd - Acts 2:5-6, 36-38 **Empowered**

Sept. 29th - Acts 2:41-47 **United**



Our deepest thanks for the ways you care for those who are grieving. We have been so blessed by your faithful prayers, cards of encouragement, words of scripture and comfort, and tangible gifts

like food and advice as we walked with my Mom through her treatment and care at end of life. God answered so many prayers along the way and truly helped Mom and us to be at peace in this past year and even as we mourn.

With love and gratitude,

Jen, Doug, Luke, and Katie Hinton

Announcements

LOOKING AHEAD...



Disaster Relief Auction – September 27 & 28

Love Feast and World Communion Sunday – October 6

ANE District Conference – October 11 & 12

Harvest Fest – October 20

Congregational Gathering – October 27



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 October 6.

Where: Library

When: After the church service



BRETHREN DISASTER RELIEF AUCTION

The 2024 Auction (the 47th) will be held on September 27 & 28, 2024, at the Lebanon EXPO Center. This year we will be serving a **chicken barbeque dinner** on Friday (27th) evening from 4 to 6 PM in the pavilion. We have alternated

between pulled pork dinners and the chicken barbeque. Volunteers from Hempfield have served these dinners for several years. Some of you have already agreed to help, but we could use a few more helpers.

Please call or text me at 717-823-2745 or email at twfritz@ptd.net.

Thanks in advance, Tom Fritz.

COBYS Bike & Hike 2024

Family Services

September 8th marks the annual Bike and Hike for Coby's. James Wenger will not be biking this year BUT Janice Shank will be receiving donations on James' behalf through the month of September. To contribute to this wonderful cause, contact Janice.



10/16/24 (CHANGE) – F&H will be making applesauce for our meal ministry. Anyone in the congregation willing to help start time is at 4:30 p.m. We will also be Deboning chicken for the chicken noodle corn soup for the Alpaca sale.



CWS Donations

After prayerful discernment and discussion, the Outreach Team will no longer be collecting household goods for Church World Services. Please feel free to speak with an Outreach Team member if you have any questions or if you have any suggestions for local ministries that HCOB can partner with.



In order to allow Irene to participate in the Ladies Bible Study on Thursday mornings for 7 weeks, we will be adjusting the church office hours slightly. Beginning 9/30/24 through 11/15/24, the hours will be: Monday, 9-3:30; Tuesday, 10-4; Wednesday, 9-3:30; Thursday, 11:30-3:30; and Friday, 9-3:30.



Are you looking for a place to “plug in”? Please check out the opportunities to engage in small groups located both on the church website (www.hempfieldcob.org) and in the monthly Herald. There are lots of great things happening at Hempfield COB!!

Love Feast and Communion



October 6, 2024. This day is a celebration in which we share a ‘oneness’ in Christ with all our brothers and sisters around the world. It is a day to remember that Jesus Christ is the Head of the Church and that every Christian church and any denomination that promotes Christian unity are one.

We invite you to participate by joining us in the John Naas Hall immediately following the worship service to experience the joy of this event.

- **NOTE:** Childcare will be provided along with a snack to our younger people. A sign up sheet for childcare, if you choose this avenue, is located in the Narthex. Those who are 6 years and older may join us if they wish.
- Also, in keeping with our Brethren history, we will offer feet washing as part of this special day's events. For those who would like to participate, please use the sign-up sheet on the table in the Narthex.



HIGHWAY CLEAN UP Saturday, October 5, 2024

8:00am Breakfast at The Centerville Diner in Mt. Joy.
9:00am Meet at Centerville Diner

to begin the Highway Clean Up project. Please sign-up on the sheet on the narthex table. We'll supply latex gloves, safety vests & trash bags. We need about 10 people to help!



A big thank you to all at HCOB for your thoughts, prayers, meals and support through my surgery. You are greatly appreciated!

Bev Moyer