#### **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 January 05, 2025 General Fund \$ 13.082.75

Building Fund for January 05, 2025 = \$ 100.00 Christmas Love Offering-Hurricane Relief Year to Date = \$6,087.85

#### This Week @ H.C.O.B.

**Today:** 

6:00pm Youth Group

Wednesday: 7:00pm Choir Rehearsal HERALD DEADLINE

Monday:

Thursday:

Doug Off

6:30pm Praise Band

6:30pm Worship Team

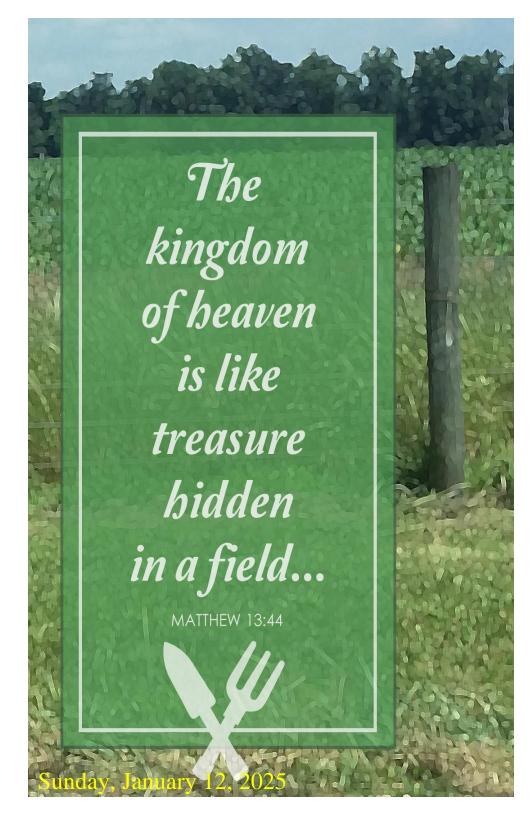
Tuesday:

Friday:

6:30pm TNT

**Saturday:** 

9:00am QuintEssentially Brass Rehearsal



# Worship Today

**PRELUDE** 

**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS** 

HEMPFIELD HAPPENINGS: Galen's Gleanings

OPENING PRAYER

CALL TO WORSHIP #754 in Hymnal

One: Very truly, I tell you, unless a grain of wheat falls into the ground and dies, it remains just a single grain; but if it dies, it bears much fruit.

Body: Those who love their life will lose it, and those who hate their life in this world will keep it for eternal life.

All: Whoever serves me must follow me, and where I am, There will my servant be also.

A TIME OF PRAISE

Children are invited to Children's Church

SCRIPTURE Mark 10:23-31

MORNING PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

HYMN Lord, With Devotion We Pray #79

SCRIPTURE Matthew 13:44

MESSAGE THE HIDDEN TREASURES

HYMN Blessed Savior, We Adore You #107

**BENEDICTION** 

**POSTLUDE** 

Preacher - Doug Hinton

Worship Leader – Tom Connelly

Accompanist – Jen Hinton

Praise Band - Kent Rice

Sound Tech – Rich Bushong & Mitchell Barnes

Video Tech – Doug Howard Live Stream – Ben Johnson

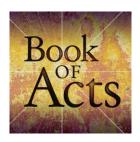
PREPARE YOUR HEARTS FOR WORSHIP NEXT SUNDAY BY READING AHEAD! Next Sunday, Geoff Davis will be preaching on Matthew 13:31-32; Matthew 17:14-20. Please read and prayerfully study this passage this week as we prepare to worship together.

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!!



#### **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

Jan. 12th Acts 8:26-39 - Baptizing

Jan. 19th Acts 9:3-16 - Calling

Jan. 26th Acts 9:32-43 - Healing



Piercing Word blessed our congregation by presenting "Sermon on the Mount-the Musical" on November 17. Because of copyright laws, they ask us to remove the recording from our YouTube channel

after six weeks or so. We will be deleting that Sunday service on January 15, so if any of you would like to watch it one more time, please do so before that date.

The 50th Anniversary Committee



### THE 2025 CHURCH DIRECTORIES ARE HERE!!!

The church directories are on the table in the Narthex for you to pick up. If you have a church mailbox (and if you are on a ministry team, you do), you will

**find yours in there.** If you know of someone who has a directory but may not be attending regularly, please pick it up for them and pay them a visit – they'd surely appreciate that. If you would like an additional copy, please let Irene know – while supplies last.

Early corrections. #1 Phone number for Millie Brubaker is incorrect (please check Breeze for correct number).

#2 COB Annual Conference will be held in Greensboro, NC. (Not Grand Rapids, MI)

## **Announcements**



#### MAIL BOXES HAVE BEEN CHANGED!!!

Please be aware that the church mailboxes have been updated for 2025. If you are on a ministry team, you DO have a mailbox. Please make sure you read the labels before taking mail from or placing in boxes.



Have you considered becoming a member of Hempfield Church of the Brethren? We will be offering a 3-week class beginning Sunday, January 19,

2025 through Sunday, February 2, 2025. If you are interested in exploring this time of learning about our church, please contact Pastor Doug.



Randy Ziegler and family would like to express their deep-felt gratitude for the anonymous gift that they received over the holiday. Your generosity and thoughtfulness are sincerely appreciated.



- Jan 12th 6-8pm Youth Group @ HCOB
- Jan 19th 5:30-8:30 pm Sunday Funday: Bowling
- Jan 26th 6-8pm Youth Group @ HCOB
- Feb 2nd 6-8pm Youth Group @ HCOB
- Feb 9th NO Youth Group Happy Super Bowl!
- Feb 14th-17th Winter Retreat



Small group study hosted by the Schotts will begin on **Sunday**, **January 26th at 4:00pm** 6397 High Street, East Petersburg, PA For more information or to sign up, contact Emmy Schott.

- January 26: You Were Made for This Day
- February 2: Your Ultimate Reality (Meeting held at the church)
- February 23: Your Strength in Christ

#### Join us for a Church Family Game Night AND Chili Cookoff!

**Sunday, February 2** 5:00 — 8:00 PM

Come and go as you like!

#### **Schedule**

5:15—Chili competition/Dinner 6:00—BINGO 6:45—7:15—Youth Game Room 7:45—Black Out 9 Square



9 Square will be available all evening! Don't forget to bring your favorite board game!

If you'd like to participate in the chili cookoff, please bring your entry in a crock pot to share.

**Sign-up sheets are in the Narthex** 

## Mennonite & Brethren Marriage and Engaged Encounter presents its 41st annual

## Romantic Night Out

# Saturday, February 1, 2025 | 6:00 pm

Yoder's Banquet Facility | 14 Tower Road, New Holland, PA

Seating begins at 5:30

Our featured speaker, **W. Jesse Gill, Psy.D.**, will share with us on the topic of "Shelter and Delight: Building Emotional Connection in Marriage."

Dr. Gill is a local Christian psychologist who is passionate about teaching couples to embrace God's attachment design for marriage.

**Reservations are required** and seating is limited so call 717-569-5676 or email love@marriageencounter.org to reserve your spot today!

All couples and individuals who value relationships are invited to attend. An offering will be received for the ministry of Marriage & Engaged Encounter. **Banquet sponsors are also needed!** 

Call 717-569-5676 for more information. Your donations are used to help build great marriages!

Reservations must be made by January 26, 2025.