

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 April 13, 2025

General Fund \$ 7,249.00

Building Fund for April 13, 2025 = \$ 4,400.00

This Week @ H.C.O.B.

Today:

Easter Sunday
6:00pm NO Youth Group

Wednesday:

7:00pm Choir Rehearsal

Monday:

Doug's Day Off
6:30pm Outreach Team

Thursday:

6:30pm Praise Band

Tuesday:

6:30pm TNT
7:00pm Leadership Team

Friday:

Leadership Team Retreat

Saturday:

Leadership Team Retreat



Worship Today

PRELUDE

Holy, Holy, Holy,
Praise to the Lord,
All Hail the Power of Jesus Name
Jesus Shall Reign,
Grace Medley
Old Rugged Cross

HYMN

Christ the Lord is Risen Today

#380
(vs. 1,2,5)

BENEDICTION

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING PRAYER

CALL TO WORSHIP Zechariah 9:9-10

A TIME OF PRAISE In Christ Alone
Graves Into Gardens

Children are invited to Remain in the Service

SCRIPTURE Isaiah 53

HYMN Low in the Grave He Lay #273

MORNING PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

SPECIAL MUSIC The Only Road to Easter Morning
Christ is Risen
Sanctuary Choir

SCRIPTURE Luke 24:13-35

MESSAGE LISTENING IN THE MIDST

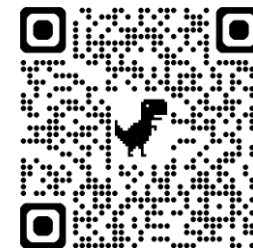
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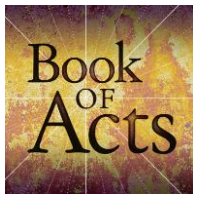
Preacher – Doug Hinton
Worship Leader – Jason Hoffman
Accompanist – Jen Hinton
Praise Band – Jen Hinton
Sound Tech – Rich Bushong & Mitchell Barnes
Video Tech – Dave Bendit
Live Stream – Ben Johnson

PREPARE YOUR HEARTS FOR WORSHIP NEXT SUNDAY BY READING AHEAD! Next Sunday, **Geoff Davis** will be speaking on **John 13: 1-20**. 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.

April 20 – Easter – No Class

April 27 – Congregational Gathering – No Class

May 4 – Acts 14:11-23 – The Truth

May 11 – Acts 15:7-9, 22-31 – The Gospel

May 18 – 50th Celebration Sunday – No Class

May 15 – Acts 15:39-16:10 – Kingdom Work



Why would we put a picture of an empty gallon jug in the bulletin you ask? Well.....the VBS crew needs your help. They are in need of empty **CLEAN** gallon jugs for their creative use for VBS this year. Can you help? Please put your **CLEAN** jugs in the container located in the Narthex. You will be amazed at what this creative group plan to do with them!



If your child (ages 9-12) or youth (ages 13-18) enjoyed the production of "Sermon On The Mount: The Musical", and would be interested in a camp this summer, consider Piercing Word's Summer Theatre Camps! There are two weeks of

camp - for both ages! - at Calvary Church: one runs from July 7-12, and another runs from July 21-26. Kids will study and memorize scripture, worship and have devotions, be trained in Theatre Classes, have fun with REC competitions and whacky Spirit days and more fun games throughout the week! Part of the cost of the camp covers seeing Sight and Sound's production of Noah on July 15. Hempfield COB will contribute toward the cost of the camp if students from our church want to participate and cost is prohibitive. Check out the website at piercingword.org/summer-camp-2/, and contact Deb Bendit (717-808-8453, or quilterdeb60@gmail.com) for more information.

Announcements

EDUCATIONAL GRANT—The church, through the Education Team, is offering an **EDUCATION GRANT**. Individuals who are members or regular attendees of Hempfield Church of the Brethren planning on attending a school of higher learning, may apply for this scholarship grant overseen by the Education Team.

Inquiring applicants can send a request for an application to Donna Reed, chairman of the Education Team, via the church mailbox or rdreed2@verizon.net. The deadline to receive the returned grant application is May 11, 2025.

POST HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES: If you, or someone you know is graduating from a college, university, or other post high school program, please send the name & contact information to Donna Reed, of the Education Team, (via church mailbox or rdreed2@verizon.net) by April 20, 2025 in order to complete a short questionnaire that is due April 27, 2025 We would like to celebrate with you as you finish this chapter of your life by recognizing you on Graduation Sunday which is June 1, 2025

Stuff

I think I'm addicted to stuff.
It seems like there's never enough.
What Jesus would say
Is to give it away,
But that's not too easy -- it's tough!

What if we followed God's lead
To give all to those in need?
To have not a doubt --
To be fully without --
And rely on God's gifts, as we read?
(G. Davis, October 2002)

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY
EAST PETERSBURG ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
FESTIVAL**

Friday, May 2, 2025

4:30-8:00pm

Volunteers are needed to help man booths and events for this fun community event. You do not need clearances to be able to help. If you are interested in filling a needed time slot, visit the link below and sign up. All help is very much appreciated!!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0A4BA4A628AAFB6-56165976-festival#/>



We need Sunday morning Worship Leaders! Worship Leaders help the congregation to focus on God, and help with the flow of the service. Each person brings something special to the service, and the diverse way of sharing is a beautiful and unique reflection of our body of believers. Perhaps God is calling you individually, as a couple, or to bring your entire family to help lead our worship at Hempfield COB. We are excited to see some new faces!

The Worship Team schedules leaders each Sunday. If you are interested in trying out this new endeavor, or if you would be willing to be a last-minute substitute, please reach out to Jen Hinton at (717) 808-1499.



The Worship Team would like to thank all who donated flowers to beautify our Easter service! You may pick up your flowers after church today or in the coming week.

Bonnie Bard
Betty Cox
Blaine and Diane Garber
Scott and Lori Greenly
Nancy and Carl Haas
Ed and Janice Haldeman
Allen and Gerrie Hurst
Del and Mary Ann Kautz
Jody Kettering
Joel and Penny Kettering

Hank Lantz
Laura Lutz
Sandi Moffett
Jeff and Bev Moyer
Ronald and Julie Myer
Donna Reed
Faye Rohrer
Dave and Emmy Schott
Gary and Janice Shenk
Jerry and Paula Stoner

**“Continuing Forward for the Glory of God and
Our Neighbor’s Good.”**



**Sunday, May 18, 2025 is a great day to come celebrate 50
years of Hempfield Church of the Brethren!**

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!

**Worship with us in the morning hour at 9:30am and then
stay to participate in Table Fellowship with us for a
wonderful meal. It will be a great time for renewing old
friendships, making new friends and celebrating what
God has done here for 50 years!**



Many thanks go out to all the individuals who have stepped up to help create moving and memorable opportunities during the 2025 Holy Week services. From musicians to sound techs, to ministry leaders, to worship developers, meal preparation, our Deacon committee, those who offer viewing opportunity to the community and to the pastors who guide us towards God’s word. We are blessed! Happy Easter!