

Hempfield Church of the Brethren



June 20, 2010
10:15 AM

- † **Welcome to HCOB!** If there is anything that we can do to make your visit here more comfortable or you have any questions please feel free to approach any member of our church family or the greeters at the welcome table in the lobby.
- † **Large print hymnals and bulletins** are available on the narthex table. Please return the hymnals to the narthex table following the service.
- † **Difficulty hearing the service?** Small earpieces are available to allow you to control the volume. Stop by the sound booth before the service to try one out!
- † **We have a special gift to give you** after the service. If somehow we miss you, please tell one of the ushers, and we will make sure you receive a gift.
- † **Sunday School** for all ages is held at 9:00 AM. We offer a variety of small group classes for adults and age-appropriate classes for every child. **Nursery care** for children ages 0-3 years is provided today by Linda Carper & Gladys Ulmer in the nursery room on the 1st floor.
- † **We offer two Sunday AM worship services: a traditional service at 8:00** and a **“blended” service at 10:15** with a mix of contemporary and traditional elements.
- † **Child Care during the 10:15 service** includes **nursery care** (ages 0-3 years) during the entire service. Nursery care is provided today in the nursery room on the 1st floor by Sherry, Katie & Lauren Miller. We also provide **Children’s Church** (ages 3 years-kindergarten) and **Kid’s Worship** (Grades 1-6) during the portion of the service which includes the pastor’s message.
- † **Please sign the guest register** when it passes by you (your name, address & phone number, please) so that we can let you know how much we appreciate your visit with us today.

☆Contact Us☆

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☆This Week: June 20-27☆

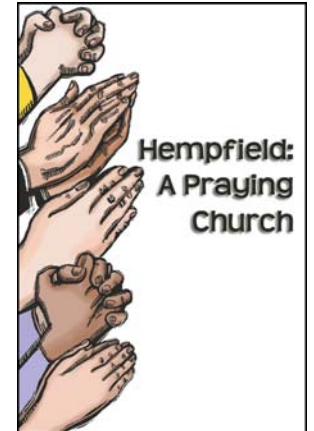
SUN. – THURS.	6:30 P.M.	Vacation Bible School
WEDNESDAY	6:00 A.M.	Ladies' Prayer Breakfast
SUNDAY	2-Cent-A-Meal Offering	
	8:00 A.M.	Traditional Service
	9:00 A.M.	Sunday School
	10:15 A.M.	Blended Service
		Pastor Geoff Davis preaching "Let Everything Praise" Psalm 150

☆Future Dates to Keep in Mind☆

June 29-July 2—Creation Festival
July 3-7—Annual Conference
July 11—Evening with the Hoslers
July 17-22—National Youth Conference

Be a Part of the Adult Summer Sunday School Elective...

*Meet in the sanctuary at 9 AM each week
as we explore how God calls and enables
us to become a church of powerful
prayer.*



In June...

Ray Hutchison will be teaching a series called "Stand Firm and Pray Hard" with Ephesians 6:10-20 as the theme passage. The teaching will focus on spiritual warfare ("Stand Firm") the first two weeks and prayer ("Pray Hard") the last two weeks. We will see how the necessity for prayer grows out of the reality of spiritual warfare.

✠ **June 20 - "Understand Your Prayer Resources"**

Lesson four will focus on the various kinds of prayer using the acronym ACTS (Adoration, Confession, Thanksgiving and Supplication) as our guide.

✠ **June 27 - "Engage in Powerful and Effective Prayer"**

This final lesson will serve as an introduction to the "Scripture Prayer Guide"—a powerful and practical prayer tool that is available to everyone over the Internet.

Each lesson will be very practical with things to take home to help each person "Stand Firm and Pray Hard."

In July...

✠ **July 4** - Jay Weaver will address how we can pray for our nation

✠ **July 11** - Rev. Earl Ziegler will explore the prayers of Daniel

✠ **July 18** - Christine Bucher will focus on the prayer of Hannah

✠ **July 25** - Rev. Gene Bucher returns to share with us on Praying the Psalms



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL IS FOR ADULTS TOO! While the kids are enjoying their activities, you can spend the evening with us learning Biblical, practical skills for life and parenting. We are offering two “tracks” for adults this year. The first is a Bible study taught by Pastor John Layman on the book of Proverbs which will give you valuable wisdom and principles that will enable you to live up to your God-given potential. This group will meet in the library. The second track will be a series of fun and practical workshops designed to assist and encourage parents or anyone that is involved with children. They will be taught by various instructors. Topics include: School readiness, safety, bullying, creation care. This group will meet in Chapel Hall. So join us Sunday, June 20th - Thursday, June 24th to fellowship and grow together!

HOSTING THE HOSLERS: Please join us in welcoming the Hoslers' to our church Sunday, July 11th, at 7:15 PM. Nate and Jenn Hosler are our church's personal missionaries we chose to support through the Evangelism Team. They are featured on our church website (www.hempfieldcob.org) where you can find out more about them and read their newsletters. They have had a remarkable experience in Nigeria where they both teach at Kulp Bible College with a focus on peace initiatives. Nate and Jenn were both lay leaders at Chiques Church of the Brethren before leaving Elizabethtown for Nigeria last summer. We are eager for everyone to come and welcome Nate and Jenn to our church. There will be a time of fellowship and light refreshments following their presentation.

STEPH MOYER WILL BE TRAVELING TO WOLMERSEN, GERMANY July 8-29 with a group from Wheatland Presbyterian Church to teach English at summer camps. The students at the camp range in age from 13 to 16 and will receive English instruction in the morning and be led in games, activities and worship music in the evening. Please be in prayer for Steph as she serves God in this exciting way! If you interested in helping Steph offset some of the cost of the trip, you may make checks payable to Hempfield COB with “Steph Moyer Mission” written on the memo line.

FOOD BANK NEEDS FOR JUNE: Spam, Tuna, Canned Fruit, Cup O’ Soup, Cream of Chicken/Mushroom Soup, new and used plastic & paper grocery bags and egg cartons. Please put items in the coatroom.

PLEASE JOIN THE E-MAIL PRAYER LIST to be able to pray for urgent prayer requests that come up during the week. Members of the prayer chain receive an e-mail whenever there is a prayer request submitted. This is an important ministry in our church and you can be a part of it by sending an e-mail to the church office at office@hempfieldcob.org and requesting to be part of the prayer chain. Thank you!

OUTDOOR WHEELCHAIR WALK AT BRETHERN VILLAGE--June 24, 10:00 AM we will meet in Wolfe Auditorium to organize for the walk to begin at 10:30. Contact Lois Killian if you can help.

THE FORCE FOR FOOD COMMITTEE is in need of assistance in transporting donated food to the Trinity U.C.C. Food Bank on Tuesday mornings at 11:45. If interested, please contact Dick and Jean Caldwell at 569-0159. The committee also thanks all who contributed to the Power Packs Project. The profit from the Mother and Daughter Banquet plus monetary donations (\$200) were given to the project.

BRETHERN VILLAGE BENEFIT CONCERT-- A “campus pianists” benefit concert will be performed this afternoon (June 20), 3 p.m. in the Wolfe Auditorium at Brethren Village. A new Baldwin piano is being purchased for the auditorium. The BV campus and the church community are invited to attend and share in this benefit concert. The six pianists who will play include Betty Burnaford, Jean Keck, Linda Heck, Otis Kitchen, Jean Longenecker and Vivian Ziegler. Please join us for this musical event.

Healthy Hints from our Congregational Health Team

Five Time-saving strategies to help you prepare quick, easy and nutritious meals:

1. Use frozen vegetables that can be steamed or heated in the microwave in a few short minutes (unseasoned and without sauce).
2. Portion and prepare ahead of time. Place enough meat for one meal, inside freezer bags, add some marinade and freeze. Place frozen food in fridge the night before to thaw, and your entrée is ready to grill or broil the next day.
3. Cook once, eat twice. Double the recipe, and freeze one meal for another evening.
4. Make eggs the center of attention. Use eggs or egg substitute for the main dish at dinner.
5. Prepare a meatless meal. Top a microwave-baked white or sweet potato with broccoli, beans, and/or low-fat cheese.

☆Today's Worship Service☆

PRELUDES

Blest the Man that Feareth Jehovah	Dutch Melody
Praise Ye the Triune God	F.F. Flemming
Children of the Heavenly Father	Swedish Melody
This Is My Father's World (TERRA BEATA)	Arr. E. Broughton

WELCOME—GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*ENTERING WORSHIP IN SONG

Come Ye Sinners	Youth Praise Band
Love Is Here	On Screen
	On Screen

*CALL TO WORSHIP

One: How great is the love the Father has lavished on us,

All: That we should be called the children of God!

One: And that is what we are!

All: This is family time,

One: Let's worship together.

All: Praise God, our Father,

One: And Christ Jesus, our Brother,

All: And the Holy Spirit.

One: Let us worship together,

All: As children of God!

*HYMN For the Beauty of the Earth (vs. 1, 4, 5) 8

*INVOCATION PRAYER

SHARING WITH THE CHILDREN

Dana Statler

*Children 3 years old through kindergarten are invited to Children's Church.
Children in grades 1-6 are invited to Kid's Worship.*

SHARING SOME THOUGHTS ON FATHER'S DAY

SHARING IN CHILD DEDICATION	Lyla Wilhelmina Lee Housner
Congregational Response	791
Hymn	Lord of the Home (vs. 1, 2, 3) 490

COMMISSIONING OF KATELYN WITMER

SHARING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory Thought and Prayer

Offertory—Jesus, What a Friend for Sinners

(Please sign the attendance book during the offertory)

MORNING PRAYER

Please include the following people in your prayers:

Dave Fisher, Mary Ann Fisher, John Haldeman, Shirley Heisey & Family, Reba Kreider, Frank Lantz, Cody Musser, Harold Musser, Mary Jane Myer, Paul Neff, Mary Lou Ruth, Jeanne Wagman

SCRIPTURE LESSON Psalm 51

SCRIPTURE ECHO Janice Haldeman, B.J. Haverstick, Micki Carper

MEDITATION A Difficult Prayer

*HYMN Create in Me a Clean Heart On Screen

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE Jubilate Deo G.F. Handel

**Those who are able are invited to stand.*

Organist/Pianist—June Lykens Lantz; Video Tech—Dave Bendit
Sound Techs—Mike & Donna Denlinger; Worship Leader—Dana Statler
Youth Praise Band Leader—Janelle Witmer; Preacher—Pastor John Layman

THE FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR TABLE are presented by Allen and Gerrie Hurst for their 45th wedding anniversary and to honor J.C. Wine who married them June 20, 1965.

THANK YOU TO ALL who helped with the Friends Together Week serving as counselors and resource people and a special thank you to all those who contributed to our project for Water Street Rescue Mission Welcome Kits.

TODAY IS NYC PRAYER DAY! The Church of the Brethren encourages everyone to be in prayer for National Youth Conference July 17-22.

WE ARE DELIGHTED TO ANNOUNCE THAT GLENN BRUBAKER is again riding in the Habitat for Humanity 500 bike-a-thon beginning Sunday, July 11. Any money he raises goes directly to the ministries of Habitat for Humanity. We can support him by making our checks out to "Habitat 500." Glenn will be available in the narthex today and June 27 and July 4th. Thanks for supporting this life-changing ministry.



Help us help our Karen Refugee Family!

Our Karen family has asked to come to church each week. In fulfilling their wish, we will need members of the church to assist with transporting 4

adults and 1 child with a car seat each Sunday. (At the end of July there will be a second child!)

The family lives at **148 East Liberty Street, Lancaster** and will be ready to be picked up each week at 9:30. Volunteers are asked to pick them up and then also bring them home at the conclusion of the service.

There is a sign up sheet in the narthex for interested volunteers. Please consider helping us in this capacity!

Also: At the end of July, Ka Yoe Paw will be having a baby boy. We are asking if anyone has any baby clothes, furniture, or toys that they would like to donate. We will gather all donations and have a sort of shower for her in the near future.

Thank you again for all of your continued congregational support of this refugee family. If you had any questions or other ideas for helping this family, please contact Janelle Witmer. (717-538-4113)

☆Contact Church Staff☆

In the event of an emergency or a need for a pastor after office hours, please contact them at home or by cell phone.

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Geoff Davis – *Associate Pastor*

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Jen Statler – *Children's Ministry Coordinator*

Jen is working from her home and can be contacted there

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☆Contact the Church Office☆

Amy Smith - *Administrator*

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Office Hours: Monday-Friday 9:00 A.M. to 2:30P.M

All bulletin announcements and information must be in to the church office by Wednesday noon.

☆HCOB Family Facts☆

Attendance for June 13, 2010

Sunday School: 101 Traditional Service: 57 Blended Service: 173

Giving for June 13, 2010

General Offering: \$9,037 Building Fund Year-To-Date: \$2,590

Amount needed weekly to meet budget = \$9,393