

Hempfield Church of the Brethren



July 4, 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 & Carolyn Gingrich 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 Donna Schaidle & Betty Lull. 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.

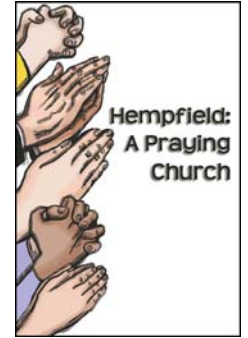
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Be a Part of the Adult Summer Sunday School Elective...



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.

☆ This Week: July 4-11 ☆

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| SUN. – WED. | Annual Conference |
| MONDAY | Office Closed for July 4 th 6:30 P.M. Youth Cell Group |
| WEDNESDAY | 6:00 A.M. Ladies' Prayer Breakfast |
| SUNDAY | 8:00 A.M. Traditional Service 9:00 A.M. Sunday School 10:15 A.M. Blended Service Pastor Kent Rice preaching "L.C.O.A.M.O.S." 1 Peter 4:7-8 7:15 P.M. Worship with the Hoslers |

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

Healthy Hints from our Congregational Health Team

Guys! "The U.S. Preventive Services Task Force recommends that if you are between the ages of 65 and 75 and have ever smoked (100 or more cigarettes during your lifetime), you need to be screened once for abdominal aortic aneurysm, which is an abnormally large or swollen blood vessel in your abdomen." (<http://www.ahrq.gov/ppip/healthymen.htm>) As always, check with your doctor.

☆ Future Dates to Keep in Mind ☆

July 17-22—National Youth Conference
July 23—Family Movie Night
August 9-13—Day Camp



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The July Herald Newsletter is now online!

In this month's issue keep up with everything going on this summer at HCOB!

VBS photos are "In the Spotlight"—Whether you were able to attend VBS or not, you can relive all the fun with theme music and photos of the great times at VBS this year.

The Hoslers are coming! Nate & Jenn Hosler are coming on July 11th at 7:15 PM to share their Nigerian ministry with us. Before they come, you can catch up on their latest news right on our website!



WORSHIP WITH 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 afterwards.

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!

PLEASE BE IN PRAYER FOR STEPH MOYER and the group from Wheatland Presbyterian Church who will be on a mission trip to Germany from July 8-29. Pray for Steph and the group as they serve God in this exciting way!

ATTENTION YOUTH! There will be a **Final Facts NYC meeting** July 11th following the 10:15 Service. All NYC participants, parents and interested persons are invited to attend to this meeting. The latest and greatest information will be discussed. We will meet in Chapel Hall. NYC is just around the corner! Also, there will be a short service of consecration in the 10:15 worship service on the 11th.

OUTDOOR WHEELCHAIR WALK AT BRETHERN VILLAGE—July 22. 10:00 AM meet in Wolfe Auditorium to organize for walk to begin at 10:30. Contact Gerrie Hurst if you can help.

FOOD BANK NEEDS FOR JULY & AUGUST: Beets, Carrots, Drink Mix, Baked Beans, Ramen Noodles, Jello/Pudding Mix, Canned Chicken, new and used plastic & paper grocery bags and egg cartons. Please put items in the coatroom.

NEW "CHURCH AROUND THE WORLD" prayer pamphlets are available on the narthex table for you to pick up if you are interested.



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)

☆Today's Worship Service☆

TIME OF REFLECTION

How have you spoken "with great boldness" for the Lord? When have you kept silent? What has gotten in the way? What do you pray for?

PRELUDES Americana Montage Improvisation J. L. Lantz

WELCOME—GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 150

*GIVING OUR PRAISE TO GOD
Be Glorified Praise Band
Mighty to Save On Screen
On Screen

*OPENING PRAYER

*HYMN Christ Is Our Cornerstone 43

*Children 3 years old through kindergarten are invited to Children's Church.
Our Kid's Worship will not be held this week, but will resume next week.*

SCRIPTURE READING Acts 3:1-10

OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD
Offertory Thought and Prayer
Offertory—America the Beautiful Bob Heffley
(Please sign the attendance book during the offertory)

SCRIPTURE READING Acts 4:1-4, 13-20

MORNING PRAYER

Please include the following people in your prayers:
The Eckman Family, Dave Fisher, Mary Ann Fisher, John Haldeman, John Kreider
& Family, Cody Musser, Mary Jane Myer, Paul Neff, Mary Lou Ruth, Jeanne
Wagman

MESSAGE Stirred, Shaken & Filled (Acts 4:23-31)

*GIVING THANKS FOR THE WORD Rejoice, the Lord Is King! 48

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE Improvisation J.L. Lantz

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

Pianist—June Lykens Lantz
Video Tech—Doug Howard
Sound Techs—Rich Bushong & Blaine Garber
Worship Leader—Randy Ziegler
Praise Band Leader—Dave Bendit
Preacher—Pastor Geoff Davis

OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHIES are expressed to Elaine and Parke Eckman on the death of their son, Jeff. May God's comfort and care envelop them during this difficult time.

OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHIES are also expressed to John Kreider and family upon the death of his wife, Reba, who died June 30, 2010. The funeral service will be held on Wednesday, July 7 at 11:00 AM at the Sheetz Funeral Home in Mt. Joy. May God shepherd this family as they walk through this time of grief.

I WANT TO THANK so many of you for your many contributions to this year's Vacation Bible School: prayer support, financial support, donations, and dedicating your week to helping kids grow closer to Jesus. I heard from so many parents on Thursday night after the parent's program how much their kids enjoyed VBS. They had only positives to say about the church and the Bible School staff. Thank you for being a light to your community. --Jen Statler

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. Thanks for supporting this life-changing ministry.

THANK YOU to Pastor John and Pastor Kent and to the congregation for all the visits, cards and prayers while I was in the hospital and recovering at home. --J. Harold Musser

☆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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Jen is working from her home and can be contacted there

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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 27, 2010

Sunday School: 85 Traditional Service: 57 Blended Service: 150

Giving for June 27, 2010

General Offering: \$6,570 Building Fund Year-To-Date: \$2,665

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