

Hempfield Church of the Brethren



July 25, 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 Jean May & Butch Nachbar 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 and Peggie Layman. 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.

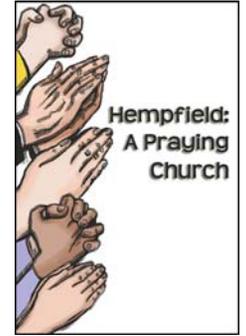
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Be a Part of the Adult Summer Sunday School Elective...



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: August 1-8☆

MONDAY	7:00 P.M.	Youth Cell Group
WEDNESDAY	6:00 A.M.	Ladies' Prayer Breakfast
FRIDAY	7:00 P.M.	WORDD Worship
SUNDAY	8:00 A.M.	Traditional Service
	9:00 A.M.	Sunday School
	10:15 A.M.	Blended Service
		Pastor John Layman preaching "Family Therapy II-Now We Look At Us" 1 Peter 3:7

In August...

- ✚ **August 1** – "Power of A Prayer Fasting" – Rev. Galen Brumbaugh
- ✚ **August 8** – "Breath Prayer" – Rev. Tracey Marx
- ✚ **August 15** – "Lectio Divina" – Rev. Tracey Marx
- ✚ **August 22** – "Prayer and our Emotional Well-Being"— Dr. Ruth Stoll
- ✚ **August 29** – "God on Mute, Engaging the Silence of Unanswered Prayer" – panel discussion based on the book by Pete Greig.

Summer programming will officially conclude with the Annual Conference report on Sunday, September 5.

☆Future Dates to Keep in Mind☆

- August 9-13**—Day Camp
- August 27**—Back to School Bash
- September 2**—Prayer Experience
- September 12**—Rally Day & Church Picnic

Healthy Hints from our Congregational Health Team

Parents & Teens: It is time for band and sport practice to begin! To avoid dehydration, drink 8-10 oz. of water every 10-15 minutes. If exercising for longer than 90 minutes, drink 8-10 oz. of a sports drink (with no more than 8% carbohydrate) every 15-20 min.



MONTHLY "PRAYER EXPERIENCES"-- Beginning Thursday, September 2, and continuing on the 1st Thursday of each month from 7-8PM, our newly formed prayer team will lead various prayer experiences for our congregation. These times will provide safe opportunities for you to explore prayer within limits that are comfortable for you. We have been talking about prayer a lot this year. Now is your chance to join others as we seek to act on what we have learned and put into practice our theme for the year, "Lord, Teach Us to Pray!" Let's discover together how God will work among us as we grow in intimacy with Him.

RALLY DAY IS SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 12. There will be a Church picnic following the 10:15 service. More details will follow soon!

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

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.

WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP CAMP--Camp Swatara—August 22-24, 2010
All women are invited to attend Women's Camp at Camp Swatara. Our speaker will be Belita Mitchell, who will be speaking on "Daughters of the Divine: Fearless and Free to Shine." Other activities such as crafts and special interest groups will be available. Cost: \$76—full time in traditional cabins; \$38—children; Overnight in cabin—\$25; \$6—Daily Registration. Contact Ruth Johnson (569-2430) by August 2 to register or with any questions. More information is available on the bulletin board in the outer office.

Back to School BASH



Friday, August 27th 6:00 pm-8:00 pm

**GAMES, PRIZES,
SNACKS and MORE...**



Your ticket is a school supply item, which will be given to a kid in need of some new supplies (pencils, notebook, crayons, etc.)

**Any Questions? Contact Jen Statler at
jen@hempfieldcob.org or 898-9762**

☆Today's Worship Service☆

PRELUDES

Gigue on Rondeau Rameau
My Heart Abounds with Pleasure Johanes Brahms
Come, Thou Fount (based on "Nettleton") Gordon Young

WELCOME—GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

JOYFUL SHARING FROM NYC

OPENING COMMENTS

SCRIPTURE LESSON Luke 15:11-32

*CALL TO WORSHIP

One: If you've wandered far from home,

All: Turn around, come home.

One: If the road is bumpy and rough, and you've lost your way,

All: You can come home.

One: If friends only like you for what you can do,

All: There is a place where love is real.

One: If the nights are long and lonely,

All: God is always awake, right by your side.

One: If doubts and questions swirl around you,

All: Come home to a church that knows how to listen.

One: If the "good life" is suddenly empty,

All: Return to the sweet sound of people singing on their way home.

*HYMN Softly and Tenderly, Jesus Is Calling 491

*INVOCATION PRAYER

Children 3 years old through kindergarten are invited to Children's Church.

Children in grades 1-6 are invited to Kids' Worship.

SPECIAL MUSIC

Dudley & Deanna Myers
I Bowed on My Knees and Cried Holy (E. M. Cantwell)

MORNING PRAYER

Please include the following people in your prayers:

Donna Denlinger, The Eckman Family, Dave Fisher, Mary Ann Fisher, John Haldeman, Pauline Hess, Cody Musser, Mary Jane Myer, Paul Neff, Scott Nissley, Mary Lou Ruth

SHARING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Minute for Missions –Veritas Church Plant Linda Rannels
Offertory--Panis Angelicus Cesar Franck
(Please sign the attendance book during the offertory)

HYMN As the Deer P.H. 200

MESSAGE Family Therapy—Let's Begin with Dad

*HYMN Prayer Is the Soul's Sincere Desire 572
(To the tune of "Amazing Grace")

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE Let All Together Praise Our God J.S. Bach

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

Organist/Pianist—June Lykens Lantz; Video Tech—Doug Howard
Sound Techs—Rich Bushong & Blaine Garber
Worship Leader—Pastor Kent Rice; Preacher—Pastor John Layman

THE FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR TABLE are provided by Tom & Ruth Cope to the honor and glory of God and in celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary on August 6, 2010.

CONGRATULATIONS TO KA YOE PA and family upon the birth of her son, Eh Doh Soe (pronounced A-dough-so) who was born Tuesday, July 27.

OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHIES are expressed to Joyce Denlinger and family upon the death of her sister, Anna Mary Hess. May God comfort the family as they walk through this time of grief.

PASTOR KENT WILL BE ON VACATION for Tuesday and Wednesday of this week—August 3 & 4. Pray for an enjoyable and refreshing time for him and his family.

HELPING HANDS MINISTRY

This ministry had its start in 2009. At that time we took a survey to get names of persons willing to help out with some chores around the house that you may be having trouble getting accomplished. A number of you signed up to help in this. Well we, Social Service Team, only received a few requests for help. We would like to once again remind you, the Body of Christ here at Hempfield COB, that there are people willing to help out when the need arises. We would like to keep this ministry mainly to this congregation, but if you have a neighbor who needs some help we will try to also meet those needs.

*We have discovered that many people **do not like asking for help for anything**. So, with this in mind, we would like you the congregation to keep your eyes and ears open. If you hear of someone going for surgery, someone recently had an accident or someone just needing a little extra help, please let us know and we will make the phone call to see how we can help. We may not be able to fulfill every need, but will certainly try.

Please check off the services you have to offer:

Name: _____ Phone: _____

EMAIL: _____

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Car Mechanic | <input type="checkbox"/> Painting |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Child Care | <input type="checkbox"/> Plumbing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> () Day () Afternoon () Evening | <input type="checkbox"/> Small Engine Repair |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cleaning | <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Electrician | <input type="checkbox"/> () Day () Afternoon |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> () Evening |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Providing Meals | <input type="checkbox"/> Tutoring |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Financial Mentoring | <input type="checkbox"/> Financial/Budget Coaching |
| <input type="checkbox"/> General House Repair | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yard Work | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Companion in home (reading, visiting, grocery shopping, etc.) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | |

*In order to get some help you may still call Amy or Pastor Kent in the church office. 898-0181

☆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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Kent Rice – Associate for Special Ministries

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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 July 25, 2010

Sunday School: 106 Traditional Service: 70 Blended Service: 140

Giving for July 25, 2010

General Offering: \$6,577 Building Fund Year-To-Date: \$3,006

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