

## Church Staff

*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 Amy by Wednesday noon.*

## HCOB Family Facts

### Attendance for May 15, 2016

Traditional Service: 33

Blended Service: 204

### Giving for May 15, 2016

General Offering: \$8,323.51

Building Fund Year-To-Date: \$3,300

*Amount needed weekly to meet budget = \$10,955*



# Hempfield Church of the Brethren Welcomes You!

*To help you enjoy your visit this morning...*

- ✝ 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. Sunday School for all ages is at 9:00 AM.
- ✝ Nursery (ages 0-2) and “Kids Church” (3 years-5<sup>th</sup> grade) are available during the 10:15 worship service.
- ✝ Large print hymnals and bulletins are available in the narthex.
- ✝ Hearing assistive earpieces are available at the sound booth.
- ✝ We have a special gift for you after the service.

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## Today's Prayer Requests

- ✝ **Staff:** Shawn & Amy Smith
- ✝ **Teams:** Leadership
- ✝ **Ministries and Specials:** Nursery, Vacation Bible School
- ✝ **Most Excellent Way:** Love is Not Self-Seeking (Mark 10:42-45)
- ✝ **Individuals with Specific Needs:** Betty Aulhouse, Dave Dum & Family, Nancy Haas, Ruth Johnson, Frank & June Lantz, Harold Musser, Deb & Doug Nauman, Corinne Nissley, Joyce Ober, Jason Smith, Roger Ulmer, Brenda Wright

## Family News

### FROM THE POCKETS OF PEACE TEAM

Please join us here at the church on Saturday June 4 from 1:00PM to 4:00PM for an Eastern Mennonite Mission Christian/Muslim Relations Team seminar centered on peacemaking. Members of the EMM Team have spent many years proclaiming the love of Jesus throughout many countries in the world where Islam is the primary religion. The seminar will highlight concepts that the EMM Team has used to successfully interact with Muslims both here and abroad seeking Christian-Muslim peacemaking. Learn more from the Congregational Gathering summary. Copies are available on the Narthex table.

**THE SUMMER COMBINED ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS** will begin Sunday, June 5 meeting in the Choir Room. The summer will be divided into two sessions. The first seven weeks will feature a study based on Greg Gilbert's book “Why trust the Bible?” In a culture where there is a growing skepticism concerning the authority of the Bible we will examine evidences as to why the Bible is a reliable record of God's message to our world. The second half of the summer will follow the International Sunday School Lessons, which will center on the New Testament Book of Romans, examining the apostle Paul's teaching on being God's new creation.

**SERMON CONVERSATIONS**--After the 10:15 worship service anyone is invited to Chapel Hall to have open conversation with the preacher about today's message. Questions, concerns, thoughts—all are welcome!

**ONGOING FOOD PANTRY NEEDS**—Cereal, peanut butter, jelly, pasta, spaghetti sauce, rice, tuna & other canned meats, macaroni & cheese, canned fruits, vegetables, juice, canned tomatoes (14-16 oz). Please continue to donate grocery bags. Many thanks to Pete Cope and Hempfield COB for the 78 pounds of food delivered to the pantry. Your church continues to be a valued support for the families in the Hempfield area who are struggling to feed their families. Together we will feed the hungry!!!

**CALLING ALL MUSICIANS**...we need your help! As summer approaches our need for special music doubles and we'd love to hear from you! Feel free to sign up for a Sunday on the signup sheet in the narthex or contact Carolyn Gingrich or Laura Meiser (689.0465 or [laura@hempfieldcob.org](mailto:laura@hempfieldcob.org)). Thank you for your willingness to share your time and talents.

# TNT Hempfield

## Opening day - May 26

### T.N.T. Stands for Teens Need Truth

TNT Hempfield is a Youth Center night providing a safe place for students to play, create, hang out, and learn about how much Jesus loves them!



Thursdays, 6:30-8:00pm

Grades 5th-8th

East Petersburg Area Civic Center

6020 Lemon St, East Petersburg, PA

Questions? Contact Dan Witter 484-459-9681 or

Emmy Schott 717-333-8216

[www.tntyouthministry.com](http://www.tntyouthministry.com) & [www.reallifechurchofgod.org](http://www.reallifechurchofgod.org)

## This Week @ HCOB

TODAY	6:30 P.M.	Youth Cell Group
TUESDAY	7:00 P.M.	Leadership Team
WEDNESDAY	6:00 A.M. 6:30 P.M.	Ladies Prayer Breakfast Praise Band Practice
SUNDAY	8:00 A.M. 9:00 A.M. 10:15 A.M.  6:30 P.M.	Traditional Worship Sunday School Blended Worship Pastor Pete Kontra Preaching "How to Be Heard" Matthew 5:9; Proverbs 16:21 Youth Cell Group

## Upcoming Events

May 30—Memorial Day—Office Closed

June 5—Graduation Sunday

June 5—Youth Grab 'N Go Lunch Fundraiser

## Youth News

- ★ Sundays, 6:30 PM—Youth Cell Group
- ★ Sunday, June 5, 11:30 AM—Grab 'N Go Lunch Fundraiser
- ★ Sunday, June 5—Graduation Sunday

# Worship Today

## May Memory Verse—1 Corinthians 13:4

*“It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs.”*

### PRE-SERVICE MUSIC

Prelude	Alfred Silver
Song of Sadness	Jean Sibelius
Praeludium	J.S. Bach
Scene from Finlandia	Jean Sibelius

### \*BENEDICTION

736

God of Community,  
Whose call is more insistent than ties of family or blood;  
May we so respect and love those whose lives are linked with ours  
That we fail not in loyalty to you,  
But make choices according to your will, through Jesus Christ.

### WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

### \*POSTLUDE

Postlude in G

Scotson Clark

CALL TO WORSHIP Hebrews 11:8-12, 17-19

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

### \*PRAISE SONGS

Humble  
In Christ Alone  
*Children ages 3 years old-5<sup>th</sup> grade are invited to Kids Church*

Preacher—Pastor Doug Hinton; Worship Leader—Kent Rice  
Organist/Pianist—June Lykens Lantz  
Sound Techs—Matt Markey & Rich Bushong  
Video Tech—Ben Johnson; Praise Band Leader—Jen Hinton

SCRIPTURE Micah 7:1-7

**THE FLOWERS** are presented by Blaine and Diane Garber to the honor and glory of God and in celebration of the life of Lloyd Moyer.

### OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

Offertory Thought  
Offertory—Etude Chopin  
*Visitors, please complete the welcome card in your pew and place it in the offering plate.*

**THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HELPED** with the WORDD Spring Social. 140 developmentally disabled adults enjoyed an evening with Rod Myers and Group and an Ice Cream Social.

\*HYMN Who Now Would Follow Christ 535

**I'D LIKE TO SEND A WARM THANK-YOU** to my church family and friends for all the cards, prayers, visits and yummy meals I received during my post-surgery recovery. The phone calls and visits from Pastor Pete and Pastor Doug were comforting and meant a lot. A special note of gratitude to Cindy Harnish for scheduling the “gravy train” which was a true blessing on those days when the last thing I felt like doing was going into the kitchen. I'm on the road to recovery with physical therapy beginning last week. I was told this will be a long and difficult feat so I'm blessed to have God's healing hand on me at this time. Thanks again to my wonderful family of friends here at HCOB. –Nancy Haas

### MORNING PRAYER

SCRIPTURE Luke 14:25-33

MESSAGE Hate Your Family?

\*HYMN Lift High the Cross 321