

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

Please submit bulletin information to Amy by Wednesday noon.

HCOB Family Facts

Attendance for June 12, 2016

Traditional Service: 41

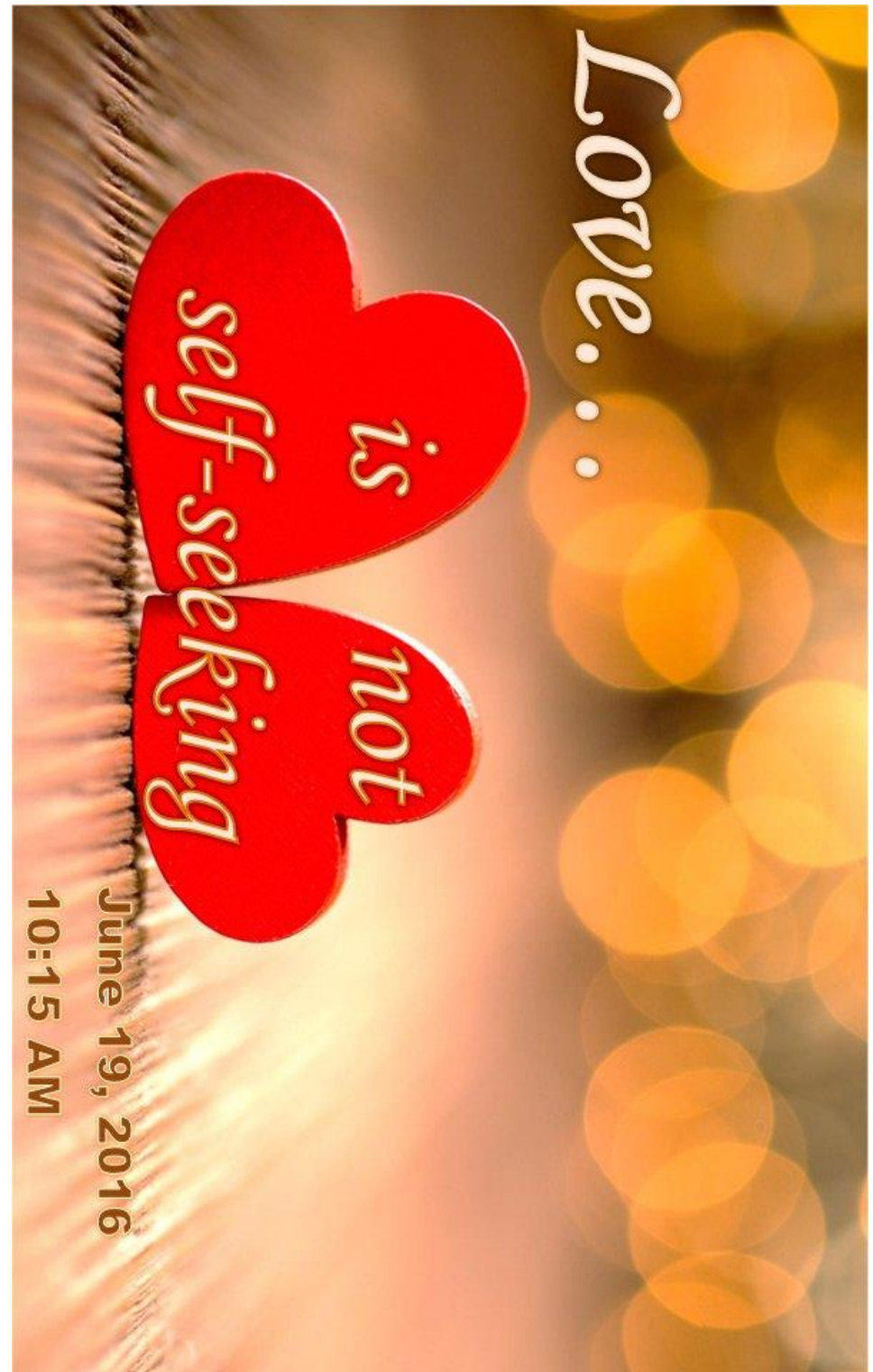
Blended Service: 188

Giving for June 12, 2016

General Offering: \$9,348.65

Building Fund Year-To-Date: \$3,965

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-5th 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.

Visit us at www.hempfieldcob.org

Today's Prayer Requests

- ✝ **Staff:** Pete & Shelley Kontra
- ✝ **Teams:** Spiritual Gifts
- ✝ **Ministries and Specials:** Young Adults, Choir
- ✝ **Most Excellent Way:** Love Does Not Envy (Proverbs 23:17)
- ✝ **Individuals with Specific Needs:** Nancy Haas, Frank & June Lantz, Harold Musser, Deb & Doug Nauman, The Family of Corinne Nissley, Joyce Ober, Jason Smith, Brenda Wright

Family News

THE DEADLINE FOR THE JULY 3 BULLETIN has been moved up to this Wednesday, June 22 at noon because the office administrator will be on vacation the following week. This is a firm deadline. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

THE SUMMER COMBINED ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS is 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.

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.

DISASTER RELIEF TRIP COMING UP—We have an opportunity to serve our brothers and sisters in love with Brethren Disaster Relief in Detroit Michigan the week of July 31, 2016 to August 6th. The project is repairing homes that were damaged in flooding in 2014. Hempfield has this week to supply volunteers to carry out this rebuild. There is no cost other than meals when traveling to and from the site which is by van meals and lodging are provided. The lodging is in historic monastery at the St Raphael of Brooklyn Orthodox Church. Anyone over 15 years of age is welcome and 14 years are welcome if accompanied by a parent or legal guardian. Come learn new skills and get to know other volunteers as we serve and fellowship together in the Lord's service. Would love to have between 15 and 20 pairs of hands to go and serve the homeowners. Please contact Dave Dum at 278-0618 or davesdum@gmail.com for more information.

COPIES OF THE MESSENGER are available on the narthex table for you to borrow and return. This denominational publication contains valuable information about what is happening among the Church of the Brethren worldwide.

Family News

BRETHREN VILLAGE WHEELCHAIR WALKS are scheduled for Thursdays June 23, July 28, August 25, and September 22. Please contact Gerrie Hurst (569-3047) or Lois Killian (560-9429) if you can help. The residents of the Village thank you!

FROM THE POCKETS OF PEACE TEAM

The Eastern Mennonite Mission Christian/Muslim Relations Team conducted a seminar centered on peacemaking here on Saturday June 4. The seminar provided an overview of Muslim beliefs and highlighted concepts that the EMM Team has used to successfully interact with Muslims both here and abroad. Notes from the seminar are available on the Narthex Table.

COME OUT AND HELP US DECORATE FOR VBS!

We will start the fun of transforming the church building on Sunday, June 19 after church and continue on Monday, June 20 starting at 8:00 AM. It would be great to have a lot of hands involved so we can get it done quickly. So anyone who is interested, come and join us! Contact Karen Rice (413-1137 or karen@hempfieldcob.org) if you have any questions.

Sermon Notes

This Week @ HCOB

TODAY	6:30 P.M.	Youth Cell Group
MON. – THURS.		Vacation Bible School
WEDNESDAY	6:00 A.M.	Ladies Prayer Breakfast
SUNDAY	8:00 A.M.	Traditional Worship
	9:00 A.M.	Sunday School
	10:15 A.M.	Blended Worship Pastor Pete Kontra Preaching “The ‘Me’ Effect” Ephesians 4:17-24
	6:30 P.M.	Youth Cell Group

Upcoming Events

June 20-23—Vacation Bible School
June 24-July 4—Office Administrator on Vacation
June 28-July 3—Creation Festival
June 29-July 3—Annual Conference

Youth News

- ★ **Sundays, 6:30 PM**—Youth Cell Group
- ★ **June 28-July 3**—Creation Festival
- ★ **July 10-17**—Costa Rica Missions Trip

Worship Today

June Memory Verse—1 Corinthians 13:6-7

⁶ Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. ⁷ It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres.

PRE-SERVICE MUSIC

Cantate Doomino
Dedication
Thine is the Glory
Toccata for a Festival

Hassler
Robert Franz
G.F. Handel arr. Smith
Lani Smith

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

Epiloge

Lani Smith

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

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 145:1-7

HYMN Come, Let Us All Unite to Sing 12
Children ages 3 years old-5th grade are invited to Kids Church

SCRIPTURE Isaiah 40:1-8

OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

Offertory Thought
Offertory—Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus Swell/Kirkpatrick
Visitors, please complete the welcome card in your pew and place it in the offering plate.

VIDEO When You're a Dad

*PRAISE SONGS

Revelation Song
From the Inside Out

Praise Band

MORNING PRAYER

SPECIAL MUSIC My Sweet Lord Doug & Jen Hinton

SCRIPTURE John 3:22-30

MESSAGE What Are You Seeking?

*HYMN Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service 369

Preacher—Pastor Pete Kontra
Worship Leader—Doug Hinton
Organist/Pianist—June Lykens Lantz
Sound Techs—Matt Markey & Rich Bushong
Video Tech—Dave Bendit
Praise Band Leader—Jen Hinton

THE FLOWERS are presented by Gerry Shuman to honor all fathers and most importantly our Heavenly Father and in memory of Bob Shuman.

PASTOR KENT IS PREACHING AT FLORIN COB TODAY. Pray for God's Spirit to speak through him and encourage their congregation.

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!