

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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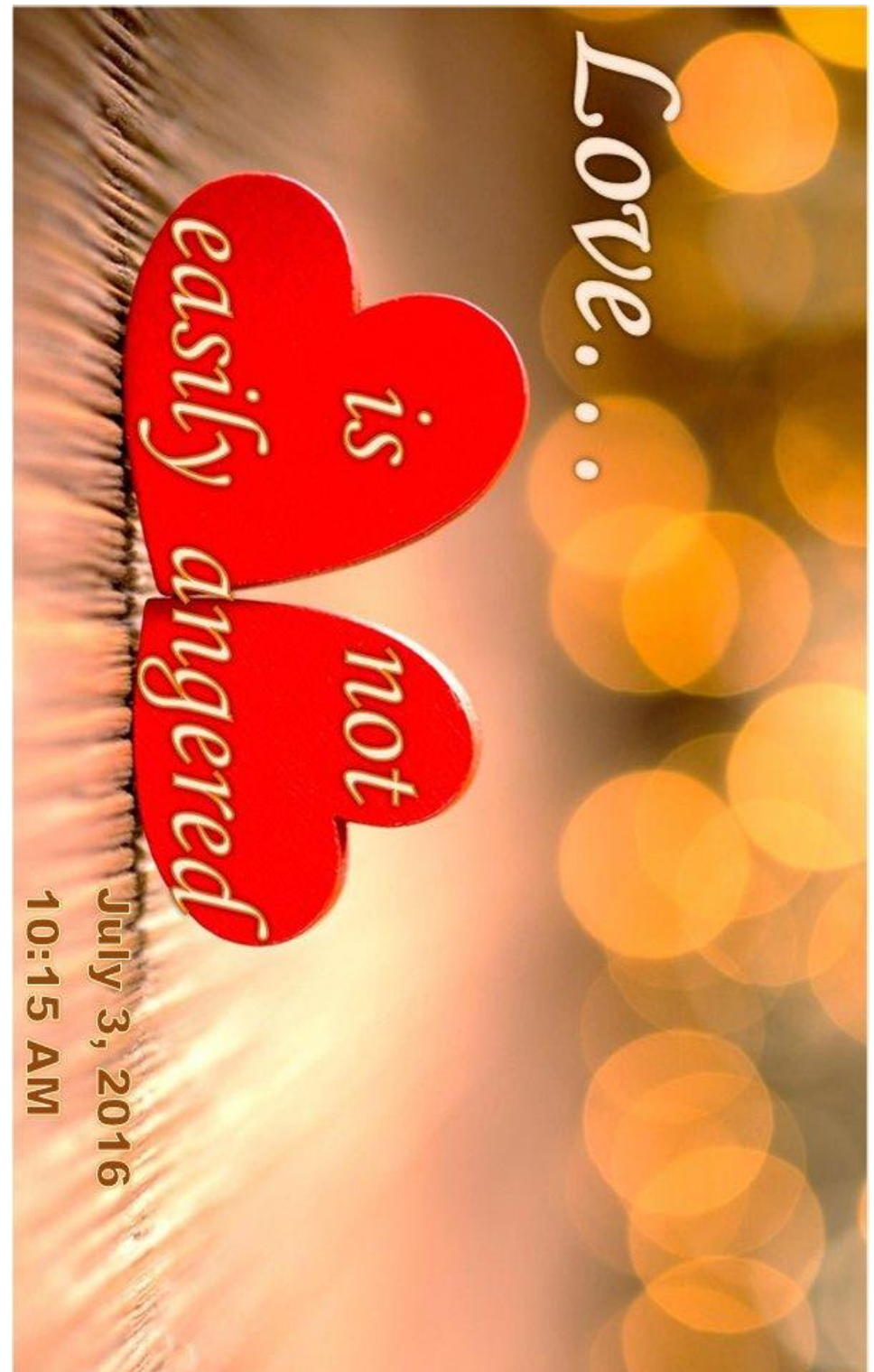
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Hempfield Church of the Brethren Welcomes You!

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:** Kent & Karen Rice
- ✝ **Teams:** Education
- ✝ **Ministries and Specials:** Youth, TNT, East Petersburg Civic Center
- ✝ **Most Excellent Way:** Love Does Not Envy (Psalm 37:1-2)
- ✝ **Individuals with Specific Needs:** Nancy Haas, Frank & June Lantz, Harold Musser, Deb & Doug Nauman, The Family of Corinne Nissley, Joyce Ober, Gerry Shuman, Jason Smith, Brenda Wright

Family News

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.

ATTENTION LADIES! The annual Women's Fellowship Camp at Camp Swatara, near Bethel, is August 21-23. You may go for the full time or just a day. Rosie Weary, a Christian author from Jackson MS, will speak on “Living with Shadows: Walking by Faith.” This is a wonderful time to relax and enjoy nature, fellowship with others and learn from God's word. Child care is provided for ages 3-8. Information is posted on the bulletin board in the office. If interested in going contact Ruth Johnson (569-2430) by July 25.

Family News

YOUTH TRANSPORTATION—We are looking for one more driver to pick up a van on Saturday, July 16 in the afternoon to pick up the youth from Philadelphia International Airport. Our flight lands at 11:46pm. If someone is willing to pick us up, Pastor Doug can drive the van back from the airport to the church if that would be helpful. Prayerfully consider this and contact Pastor Doug if you are willing to do this.

BRETHREN VILLAGE WHEELCHAIR WALKS are scheduled for Thursdays 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!

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!

Sermon Notes

This Week @ HCOB

MONDAY	Office Closed for Independence Day
TUESDAY	Leadership Team
WEDNESDAY	6:00 A.M. Ladies Prayer Breakfast 6:30 P.M. Praise Band Practice 6:30 P.M. Young Adults Fellowship
THURSDAY	7:00 P.M. Prayer Experience
FRIDAY	6:45 P.M. WORDD Worship
SUNDAY	8:00 A.M. Traditional Worship 9:00 A.M. Sunday School 10:15 A.M. Blended Worship Pastor Pete Kontra Preaching "I'll Show You!" 1 Peter 3:8-22

Upcoming Events

July 10-17—Youth Missions Trip to Costa Rica

July 20—Herald Deadline

Youth News

- ★ **Sundays, 6:30 PM**—Youth Cell Group
- ★ **June 28-July 3**—Creation Festival
- ★ **July 10-17**—Costa Rica Missions Trip
- ★ **July 3, 10, and 17**—Due to Creation and our trip to Costa Rica, we will not have cell group on these dates

Our Vision: Firmly rooted and living deeply in the character of Christ to become a healthier church that powerfully shares Christ with the world.

Worship Today

July Memory Verse—1 Corinthians 13:8

Love never fails. But where there are prophecies, they will cease; where there are tongues, they will be stilled; where there is knowledge, it will pass away.

PRE-SERVICE MUSIC Piano Melodies

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

*PRAISE SONGS

Children ages 3 years old-5th grade are invited to Kids Church

SCRIPTURE John 1:14-16

MORNING PRAYER

SPECIAL MUSIC

Donna Reed

OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

Offertory Thought

Offertory

Visitors, please complete the welcome card in your pew and place it in the offering plate.

*HYMN Renew Your Church 363

SCRIPTURE Matthew 20:1-16

MESSAGE What Is Fair?

*HYMN Great Is Thy Faithfulness 327

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

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

Preacher—Pastor Kent Rice
Organist/Pianist—June Lykens Lantz
Sound Techs—Blaine Garber & Rich Bushong
Video Tech—Doug Howard
Praise Band Leader—Laura Meiser

THE FLOWERS are presented by Laura & Darren Meiser in celebration of their 21st wedding anniversary.