

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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HCOB Family Facts

Attendance for October 2, 2016

Traditional Service: 45

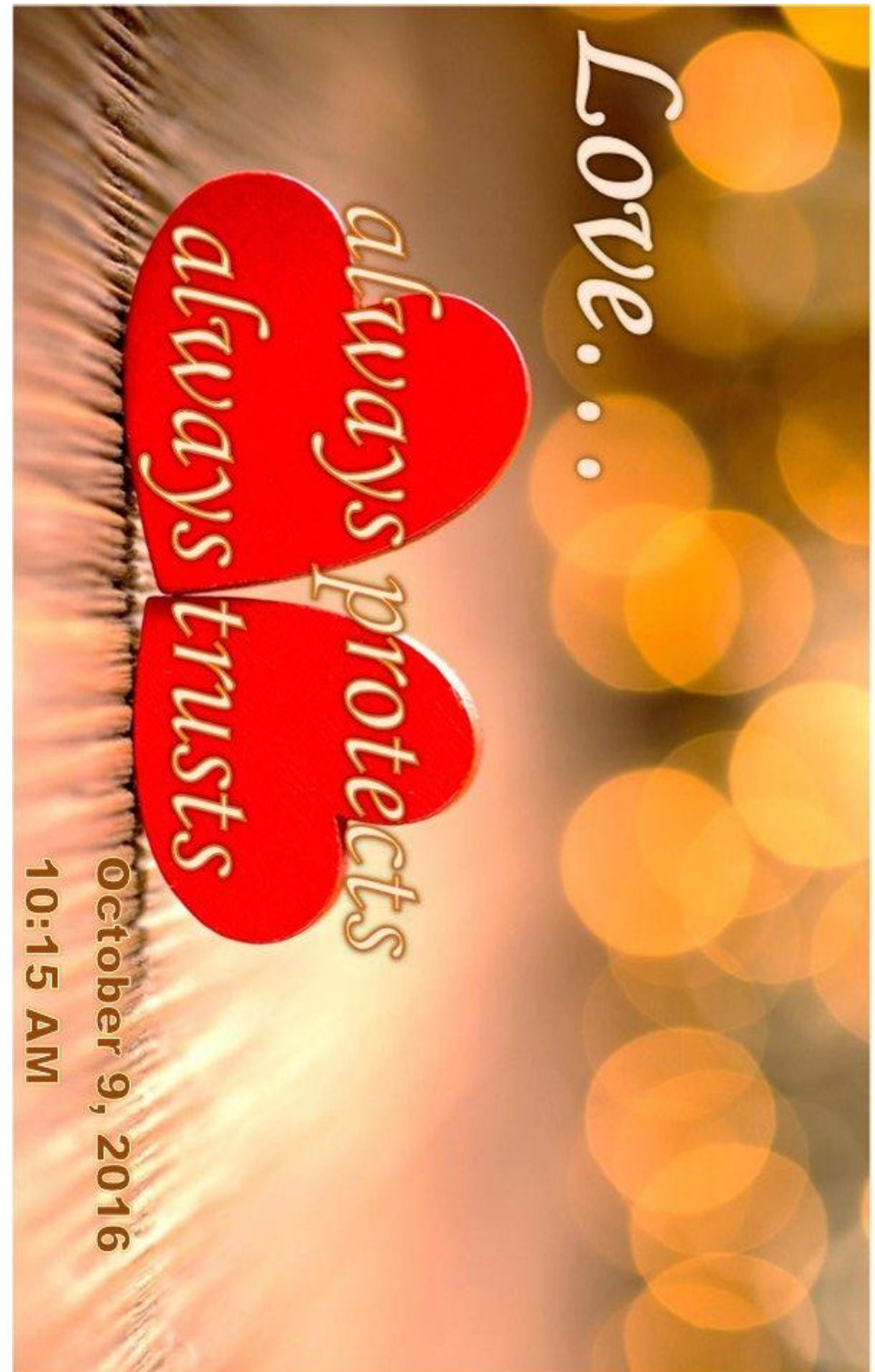
Blended Service: 168

Giving for October 2, 2016

General Offering: \$11,307.03

Building Fund Year-To-Date: \$6,144

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.
- ✝ 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:** Spiritual Gifts
- ✝ **Ministries and Specials:** College, Young Adults, Choir
- ✝ **Most Excellent Way:** Love Keeps No Record of Wrong (Jer. 31:34)
- ✝ **Individuals with Specific Needs:** Millie Brubaker, Angie Bryan, Reba Fisher, Frank & June Lantz, Bob & Joyce Ober, Dougie Shuman, Jim Slotter, Jason Smith, Vicki Smith, Brenda Wright, Linda Ziegler

Family News

E100 READING: This coming week (Oct. 9-15) please complete the following readings in your E100 book and be prepared to discuss them with your small group:

Moses: Birth & Call

- ✓ What Are You Doing?: Exodus 1-2
- ✓ Encounter with God: Exodus 3:1-4:17

COLLEGE STUDENT AND MILITARY PERSONNEL CONTACT INFORMATION NEEDED BY TODAY. If you know of any HCOB family members who are in college or the military, we would like to have their address to send them notes of encouragement and to list them in the annual church directory. Please complete the short form in the tray labeled “College & Military Addresses” in the outer office or call Doris Wright at 898-8296.

ANNUAL BRETHREN VILLAGE AUXILIARY SPONSORSHIP DRIVE- Suggested Sponsorship levels are \$5, \$10, \$25, \$50 and other.

Thank you for your response that will be greatly appreciated, as it helps with the many programs that the Auxiliary provides for the Village. Look for your representatives in the narthex today and the next two Sundays.

-Gerrie Hurst and Lois Killian

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS—Cereal, crunchy peanut butter, jelly, pasta, spaghetti sauce, rice, tuna & other canned meats, macaroni & cheese, canned fruits, vegetables, juice, canned tomatoes (14-16 oz), Chicken noodle soup (10 ½ oz.), Chicken Rice soup (10 ½ oz.). Please continue to donate egg cartons & grocery bags.

TLC DINNER—The Outreach Team is once again sponsoring a table at the TLC Recognition Dinner. The dinner will be held at the Eden Resort on Thursday, October 20 beginning at 6:00. Please join us for a wonderful meal and to hear how TLC is making a difference in our local community. There is no cost for the meal, but donations will be received. If you are interested in attending, please RSVP to Jason Hoffman by Wednesday, October 12. (203-6061 or jasonhoffman11@verizon.net)

KIDS' PRAISE AND WORSHIP--Kids' Praise and Worship will begin today! Hooray! We will use the last 15 minutes of our time together for Kids' Church to sing praise songs to our amazing God! We will meet the second and fourth weeks of each month. Our parents can pick us up in either the Preschool/Kindergarten class or in Starfish Studios.

Family News

ATTENTION YOUNG ADULTS AND YOUNG FAMILIES! We will be meeting at the church the first and third Tuesday of each month from 6:00-8:00 to fellowship and work through the E100 book. Our time together will start with dinner at 6:00, followed by discussion from 6:30-8:00. Childcare will be provided. We will start with the *Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob* section of our book. Hope to see you then. Contact Janelle Witter (484-459-9681) or Doug Hinton (951-5290) with questions.

ALPHA & OMEGA FUNDRAISER @ ISAAC'S--The annual Alpha & Omega Community Center Night Out will be held at the Isaac's Restaurant and Deli located on Granite Run Drive. The date is Thursday October 13 from 5:00PM - 9:00PM. You can use the flyer in this bulletin or pick one up from the display in the narthex. Bring the flyer with you to Isaac's, fill it out and hand it to the server when you pay. 25% of the cost of your meal will go directly to Alpha & Omega Community Center. You can also place a takeout order (560-7774) - just bring your flyer when you pick up your order. Please contact Dennis Hughes with any questions (569-3332).

2016 FALL CONGREGATIONAL GATHERING

The date for the Fall Congregational Gathering has been changed to Sunday November 13 following the worship service, rather than Thursday November 10 as indicated on the Church Calendar. The Gathering material, including the 2017 budget and 2017 Ministry Team slate, along with the Ministry Team and staff reports will be available Sunday October 30. Leadership will be available during the Sunday School hours on November 6 and 13 to answer any questions or concerns and voting will occur after the worship service on November 13. In addition, any amendments raised during the Sunday School hour discussions will be addressed at that time.

FREE BLOOD PRESSURE CHECKS will be given by nurses after church today. Please feel free to stop by and ask them any questions about this issue.

FRIENDSHIP COMMUNITY IS HOLDING ITS 44TH ANNIVERSARY DINNER on Thursday, November 3 6:30 PM at Shady Maple Restaurant. Tickets are complimentary, but reservations are required. A free will offering will be taken and all proceeds will benefit Friendship Community. For more information and to register visit www.friendshipcommunity.net/event/44th-anniversary-celebration-dinner. Or read the flyer on the bulletin board in the outer office of the church. Or contact [kleaman@FriendshipCommunity.net](mailto:kleman@FriendshipCommunity.net) or 717-656-2466 ext 1101.

This Week @ HCOB

TODAY	6:30 P.M.	Youth Cell Group
TUESDAY	9:00 A.M.	Sewing Circle
	12:00 P.M.	Silver Singles
	6:30 P.M.	Fellowship & Hospitality Team
	7:00 P.M.	Stewards of Property
	7:00 P.M.	Worship Team
WEDNESDAY	6:00 A.M.	Ladies Prayer Breakfast
	9:00 A.M.	Sewing Circle
	6:00 P.M.	E100 Study
	7:00 P.M.	Choir Rehearsal
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 Doug Hinton Preaching "Stephen"
		Acts 6:8-15
	6:30 P.M.	Youth Cell Group

Upcoming Events

October 19—Herald Deadline

November 3—Prayer Experience

November 13—Congregational Gathering

Youth News

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

Worship Today

October Memory Verse—1 Corinthians 13:12

For now we see only a reflection as in a mirror; then we shall see face to face. Now I know in part; then I shall know fully, even as I am fully known.

PRE-SERVICE MUSIC

Andante
Imbue Me with Thy Loving Kindness
A Time for Rejoicing
Amazing Grace

Antonio Vivaldi
Simone
arr. by Hazelle
Harmonized by Robert Hebble

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

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

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP Isaiah 41:8-13

*PRAISE SONGS

Good, Good Father
It Is Well

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

OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

Offertory Thought
Offertory—Amazing Grace Hastings / Livingstone
Visitors, please complete the welcome card in your pew and place it in the offering plate.

THE FLOWERS are presented by Millie Hoffman to the honor and glory of God and in loving memory of Jim.

CHURCH FAMILY, I WANT TO THANK YOU all for your cards, calls, visits, gifts, and most of all the prayers that I received during my recovery from shoulder surgery. I am truly blessed to have such a supportive church family. Thank you very much! Blessings, Abby Wright

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!

SCRIPTURE John 16:1-31

*HYMN Gentle Shepherd, Come and Lead Us 352

MORNING PRAYER

SCRIPTURE John 17:1-26

MESSAGE Love Always Protects, Always Trusts

*HYMN What a Friend We Have in Jesus 573

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE Solemon March Mozart / Troutman



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WHERE: Isaac's Famous Grilled Sandwiches
Granite Run Square
1559 Manheim Pike Lancaster, PA 17601
(Valid at this location only)

WHEN: Thursday, October 13, 2016, 5:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

HOW: Bring this flyer with you to Isaac's, complete the information, and hand it to your server when paying.

TAKEOUT: No time to sit down and eat? Call your order in ahead of time to 560-7774 and place a takeout order.

*This form can be used for Dine-In, Takeout and Online Orders at www.isaacsdeli.com. Use coupon code **FUND** for online fundraiser orders.*

Please complete this information for your server.

Name: _____

Number of People in Party: _____

Total Cost of Meal (excluding tax): _____

***Coupons, discounts, or specials not valid during this fundraiser.**

I want to receive Isaac's special offers and discounts by email.
Email: _____

Want to help your organization earn even MORE? Add an Isaac's **Gift Card** to your check and **15%** of the gift card sale will be added to the fundraiser! Gift card must be used on future visit.



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Year-to-Date Actuals vs. Budget***

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But with such love, generosity not only is possible but inevitable. ~*

John MacArthur

	Actual	Budget*	Actual
	Jan-Sep	Jan-Sep	Under/(Over)
	2016	2016	Budget
Beginning Balance 1/1/16	\$2,922		
<u>Income</u>			
General Fund Offerings	\$353,199		
Interest	\$3		
Total Income	\$356,124		
<u>Expenses</u>			
Finance	\$36,870	\$38,745	\$1,875
Outreach Team	\$84,187	\$102,788	\$18,602
Education Team	\$14,681	\$21,525	\$6,844
Deacons	\$512	\$4,350	\$3,838
Worship Team	\$20,349	\$23,474	\$3,125
Leadership	\$157,611	\$174,104	\$16,492
Stewards of Property	\$34,353	\$58,233	\$23,880
Fellowship & Hospitality	\$3,035	\$4,013	\$978
Total Expenses	\$351,597	\$427,231	\$75,633
2016 Actual % of Budget	82.3%		
Checking Account as of 9/30/16	\$4,527		

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