

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 14, 2017

Traditional Service: 42

Blended Service: 193

Giving for May 14, 2017

General Offering: \$13,176.22

Building Fund Year-To-Date: \$3,615

Amount needed weekly to meet budget = \$10,914

May 21, 2017

One

10:15 AM

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:** Deacons & Deaconesses
- ✚ **Ministries and Specials:** Nursery, Vacation Bible School
- ✚ **That They May Be One:** Unity Through Diversity (Romans 12:3-8)
- ✚ **Individuals with Specific Needs:** Mark Beach, Maggie Carper, Geoff Davis, Jim & Wilda Drake, Melvin Hess, Millie Hoffman, Glen Krebs, Frank & June Lantz, Cindy Lapp, Mary Lapp, Carl Lehman, Pearl Miller, Cheryl Myers, Butch Nachbar, Deb Nauman, Bob & Joyce Ober, Dougie Shuman, Gerry Shuman, Bill Walters, Brenda Wright, Carrie Ziegler, Linda Ziegler

Family News

E100 READING: This coming week please complete the following readings in your E100 book and be prepared to discuss them with your small group:

Ministry of Truth and Love

- ✓ The Active Ingredient: 1 Corinthians 13
- ✓ Supernatural Hero: 2 Corinthians 4:1-6:2

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.). Egg cartons are no longer needed. Please continue to donate grocery bags.

THE CHURCH ADMINISTRATOR WILL BE ON VACATION until Tuesday, May 30. She will not be checking e-mails or voice mail during that time. Thank you for your understanding.

FREE LOVE FEAST BOWLS: A few Love Feast Bowls from East Petersburg COB are available to HCOB members in Chapel Hall while supplies last. The Fellowship & Hospitality Team is unable to use the bowls due to new food regulations, since some bowls are chipped and/or cracked.

REQUESTING DONATIONS FOR REFUGEES—Dave and Deb Bendit and Pastor Pete and Shelley will be attending Annual Conference in Grand Rapids, Michigan from June 28-July 2, 2017, and would appreciate your prayers as they serve as delegates and/or representatives from Hempfield COB. There is an opportunity to donate to local service missions in Grand Rapids, and since both couples will be driving they can take a number of items to donate from our congregation. **Bethany Christian Services Refugee Program** (www.bethany.org/grand-rapids) is asking for twin and full sheet sets, pens and pencils, notebooks, Scotch tape and envelopes. The **Refugee Education Center** (www.refugeeeducationcenter.org) is asking for back packs, peanut-free granola bars, small bags of crackers (Cheeze-its, Goldfish, Wheat Thins, etc.), small bags of pretzels or popcorn, and small bags of dried fruit. Please give the donations directly to the Bendits or Kontras, or drop off in the church office with a note. Items will be accepted through Sunday, June 25th. Thank you in advance for helping to bless the city who is hosting Annual Conference!

GRADUATION SUNDAY WILL BE JUNE 4TH. Please come and join us in honoring our HCOB high school and post-high school graduates.

Family News

NO KIDS' CHURCH TODAY. We are asking that children stay with their families to enjoy Celebration Sunday!

VBS MEETING—Sunday, June 11th, following the 10:15 service there will be a meeting for anyone interested in helping with VBS this year. PLEASE prayerfully consider it! We have lots of spots open! You will be blessed. Guaranteed! There will be a light lunch for those who attend! It will only be a short meeting.

THE HELPING HANDS MINISTRY is sponsored by the Outreach Team and is available to help you if you have a need for some extra help around the house, getting to appointments, cooking meals, yard work etc. If you could use a Helping Hand or would like to be a part of this ministry by helping others please contact Kent Rice at 732-6197.

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.

EVENING OF MELODY-- The Brethren Village Auxiliary invites you to join them for "Evening of Melody" Saturday, June 3, 2017 at 7:00 PM in Wolfe Auditorium. There will be an offering during the evening...all money given will directly benefit those living on the campus of Brethren Village.

This Week @ HCOB

SUN. – MON.	Church administrator on vacation	
TODAY	9:00 A.M.	Membership Class
	6:30 P.M.	Youth Cell Group
TUESDAY	7:00 P.M.	Leadership Team
WEDNESDAY	6:00 A.M.	Ladies Prayer Breakfast
	8:00 A.M.	Quilting Group
	6:00 P.M.	E100 Study
	6:30 P.M.	Praise Band Practice
SUNDAY	8:00 A.M.	Traditional Service
	9:00 A.M.	Sunday School
	9:00 A.M.	Membership Class
	10:15 A.M.	Blended Service
	6:30 P.M.	Youth Cell Group

Upcoming Events

- May 29**—Memorial Day—Office Closed
- June 1**—Monthly Prayer Experience
- June 4**—Graduation Sunday
- June 9**—WORDD Worship
- June 11**—2-Cent-A-Meal Offering
- June 11**—VBS Meeting
- June 12-16**—Friends Together Week

Youth News

★ **Today, 6:30 PM**—Youth Cell Group @ the church

Worship Today

PRE-SERVICE MUSIC

Prelude in Fugue
Sanctus

J.S. Bach
Gounod

WE GATHER IN PRAYER

Morning Prayer
Prayer Station
Closing Prayer

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

Revelation 14:2-4

MEDITATION

Pastor Pete Kontra

WORSHIP PRELUDE

Glorify Thy Name
I Love You, Lord

Instrumental Ensemble

VIDEO

All In

*HYMN

Holy, Holy, Holy

120

*WE RESPOND

Here I Am, Lord
Go Ye Into All the World
Heaven Is Waiting

Sanctuary Choir

GOD'S FAITHFULNESS

E'en So Lord Jesus, Quickly Come
He's Always Been Faithful
Worthy

Sanctuary Choir

BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

Postludium

Kern

*LIFTING OUR PRAISE TO GOD

10,000 Reasons
Jesus Messiah

Praise Band

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

Music Director—Laura Meiser

Organist/Pianist—June Lykens Lantz; Video Tech—Dave Bendit

Sound Techs—Mitchell Barnes & Rich Bushong

Praise Band Leader—Kent Rice; Acolyte—Preston Howard

SCRIPTURE

Psalm 86:1-13, 15

OUR CHILDREN REJOICE

God Is So Good
Jesus Loves Even Me

HCOB Kids

THE FLOWERS are presented by Jean & Jerry Barger to the honor and glory of God.

OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

Offertory Thought
Offertory—Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring

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

THANK YOU to Pastors Pete, Geoff, and Doug for their faithful visits and prayers during my recent illness and hospitalizations. And to all of my friends and family here at Hempfield for their visits, prayers and cards while I recover and await the next procedure. In Christian love, Millie Hoffman

*HYMN

Come Thou Fount

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PREPARE YOUR HEARTS FOR WORSHIP NEXT SUNDAY BY READING AHEAD! Next Sunday, **Pastor Pete Kontra will be preaching on Hebrews 13:1-3.** Please read and prayerfully study this passage this week as we prepare to worship together. More information on the sermon topic can be found at our online church calendar (www.hempfieldcob.org) when you click on the Sunday service for next week.

SCRIPTURE

Psalm 103:1-18

WE ACKNOWLEDGE GOD'S WORK IN OUR LIVES

Who Am I?

Women's Choir