

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 25, 2017

Traditional Service: 38

Blended Service: 177

Giving for June 25, 2017

General Offering: \$8,414

Building Fund Year-To-Date: \$6,005

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

July 2, 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:** Geoff & Sally Davis
- ✚ **Teams:** Leadership
- ✚ **Ministries and Specials:** Children, Discipleship Ministry
- ✚ **That They May Be One:** Unity Through Mutual Concern (1 Cor. 12:24-27)
- ✚ **Individuals with Specific Needs:** Mark Beach, Geoff Davis, Jim & Wilda Drake, Millie Hoffman, Frank & June Lantz, Cindy Lapp, Mary Lapp, Carl Lehman, Gladys Metzler, Pearl Miller, Jim Musser, Cheryl Myers, Butch Nachbar, Deb Nauman, Bob & Joyce Ober, Nate Polonchak, Dougie Shuman, Gerry Shuman, Bill Walters, Brenda Wright, Carrie Ziegler, Linda Ziegler

Family News

HELP PREP FOR VBS: Decorating and prep times - Monday, July 3rd, 9am to 2pm; Wednesday, July 5th, 5pm to 8pm; Saturday, July 8th, 9am to ?; Sunday, July 9th, 11:30am to ?. Everyone welcome to help!

PLEASE JOIN US FOR ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL THIS SUMMER. We will be having a seven week series trying to understand different faith backgrounds as selected by members in the Congregation, and how we can enter into conversations about Christ with those of different understanding. We will meet in the choir room during the Sunday School hour-9AM. ALL are welcome. Today is our first. Denny Hughes will lead our conversation on the Amish. Below is the schedule for July.

- July 2 - Amish - Dennis Hughes
- July 9 - Mormonism - Doug Hinton
- July 16 - Jehovah's Witness - Pete Kontra
- July 23 - Annual Conference report - Deb & Dave Bendit
- July 30 - Catholicism - Tom Connelly & Marianne Connelly

VBS TREATS NEEDED! For Vacation Bible School we are looking for donations of rice crispy treats and cookies. We need 10 pans of rice crispy treats and 20 dozen cookies of different varieties. No nuts or peanut butter cookies. You can drop them off at the church kitchen by next Sunday, July 9th. Please sign up in the narthex TODAY if you can help with this. Please contact Julie Myer at 371-0111 if you have any questions.

DISASTER RELIEF TRIP: Still looking for a few volunteers for Brethren Disaster Relief trip September 24-30. Please contact Dave Dum (davesdum@gmail.com, 278-0618) if you are interested in going.

BRETHREN VILLAGE WHEELCHAIR WALKS are scheduled for Thursdays July 27, August 24, and September 28 from 10:00 AM-11:30 AM. Please contact Gerrie Hurst (569-3047) or Lois Killian (560-9429) if you can help. The residents of the Village thank you!

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.

Sermon Notes

This Week @ HCOB

MON. – TUES.	Church Office Closed for 4 th of July Holiday	
MONDAY	9:00 A.M.	VBS Prep & Decorating
	7:30 P.M.	Education Team
WEDNESDAY	6:00 A.M.	Ladies Prayer Breakfast
	8:00 A.M.	Quilting Group
	5:00 P.M.	VBS Prep & Decorating
	6:30 P.M.	Praise Band Practice
THURSDAY	7:00 P.M.	Prayer Experience
SATURDAY	9:00 A.M.	VBS Prep & Decorating
SUNDAY	8:00 A.M.	Traditional Service
	9:00 A.M.	Sunday School
	10:15 A.M.	Blended Service
	11:30 A.M.	VBS Prep & Decorating

Upcoming Events

July 10-13—Vacation Bible School

July 14—WORDD Worship

July 18—WORDD Summer Celebration

July 19—Herald Deadline

Youth News

★ **Today**—NO Youth Cell Group

Worship Today

PRE-SERVICE MUSIC Improvisations from the piano J.L. Lantz

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

*HYMN SING

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

SCRIPTURE John 14:15-21

OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

Offertory Thought

Offertory—Moonlight Sonata

Beethoven

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

GLOBAL MISSION PRAYER VIDEO

MORNING PRAYER

SCRIPTURE Hebrews 12:1-3

MESSAGE Why?

PRAYING FOR PEACE

*HYMN Guide My Feet 546

BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE J. L. Lantz

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

Preacher—Pastor Kent Rice
Worship Leader—Doug Hinton
Pianists—June Lykens Lantz & B.J. Haverstick
Sound Techs—Blaine Garber & Rich Bushong
Video Tech—Doug Howard

THE FLOWERS are presented by Millie Hoffman to the honor and glory of God and in celebration of the wedding of her granddaughter Carlissa Cochran to Garrett Abernathy on Saturday, July 1.

PREPARE YOUR HEARTS FOR WORSHIP NEXT SUNDAY BY READING AHEAD! Next Sunday, **Pastor Pete Kontra will be preaching on Mark 10:46-52.** 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.