



HARRISBURG BRETHERN IN CHRIST CHURCH

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We Welcome You!

Harrisburg Brethren in Christ Church WORSHIP SERVICE

July 18, 2010

10:30 am

GROCERY GIFT CARDS

Gift cards for Giant, Weis, & Karns grocery stores will be available in the foyer **July 25 & Aug. 8**. For every card that you purchase, the church receives 5% of the face value. This is a great way to help raise funds for the church without spending any extra money!

Worship Leader:	Root Side Up
Keyboard:	Marilyn Miller

E-TITHING

The church offers “e-tithing” for those who would like to give their tithe and offerings through electronic fund withdrawal. You can choose to give on the 1st and/or 16th of the month at whatever interval you choose (monthly, bi-monthly, quarterly, etc.). Forms to begin e-tithing are available at the Welcome Center. If you have any questions, contact Pastor Lynda or Aaron Boor, the church treasurer.

CELEBRATE RECOVERY

Our *Celebrate Recovery* support group for anyone who struggles with addiction meets each Friday evening from 7:00 to 8:30 pm. New participants are especially invited to attend! Celebrate Recovery is generally held in the CE Room - just come to the door at the rear of the church (along Greenwood St.).

Opening Hymn

Welcome & Announcements

Praise and Worship

Pastoral Prayer

Tithes & Offerings

(Children in kindergarten through 5th grade dismissed for Junior Church)

Message

Pastor Hank Johnson

Holy Communion

Benediction and Postlude

SERVING US TODAY

Sound Tech: Matt Messinger
Projectionist: Andrea Miller
Keyboardist: Marilyn Miller
Infants: TBA
Toddlers: Josh, Steve, Gideon
3 & 4 Yr Olds: Dawn, Sheila, Suzette
Junior Church

SERVING US NEXT WEEK

Sound Tech: Randy Miller
Projectionist: Rick Souder
Keyboardist: Marilyn Miller
Infants: TBA
Toddlers: Marcy V., Reagan W.
3 & 4 Yr Olds: Nora, Michael, Autumn
No Junior Church

Junior Church meets on the 1st, 2nd, & 3rd Sundays. Children will be dismissed during the Service.

“...to worship God and make Him known through a loving, discipling community.”

THIS WEEK'S CHURCH SCHEDULE

Mon. 6:30 pm, Children's Ministry Team Meeting
Wed. 5:30 pm, Community Meal (served until 6:10 pm)
6:30 pm, Kids Club
6:30 pm, Youth Group
6:30 pm, Intercessory Prayer
6:45 pm, Adult Studies
Thu. 7:00 pm, Gospel Choir
Fri. 4:00 pm, Food Pantry
7:00 pm, Celebrate Recovery
Sat. 2:00 pm, Women's Day of Pampering

THANK YOU TO ROOT SIDE UP

We extend our thanks today to the music group, *Root Side Up*, for leading us in worship this morning. *Root Side Up* is composed of Judah Fickett, Micah Fickett, Seth Fickett, Josiah Long, and David Rosentrater. We appreciate your sharing your ministry with us!

DAY OF PAMPERING

Women's Ministry is sponsoring a Day of Pampering for adult women of all ages this Saturday afternoon, **July 24**. Come relax, unwind and fellowship at Brother Stanley & Pastor Cedra's pool, 1700 North 27th St., 2 – 4 pm. Light refreshments and cool beverages will be provided. Learn a relaxing craft – crocheting; get your nails done or do them yourself; enjoy a chair massage (available for a per-minute fee); swim if you'd like. Bring your swimsuit, towel, & a chair. See the sign-up sheet at the Welcome Center!



OPEN HOUSE FOR MARK & ANGIE

Catch up with what we have been doing in the Middle East. On Saturday, **July 31**, drop by between 10am -7pm at 2 South 21st Street, Harrisburg (Glen & Wanda Heise's house). Call 238-1513 for more details.

LIFE GROUP FACILITATOR TRAINING POSTPONED

The facilitator training session scheduled for July 24 has been postponed. Watch for further announcements about the future date.

Pastor Lynda is on vacation this week, returning to the office on Monday, July 26. If you need anything, please contact the church office.

PLEASE UPDATE YOUR DIRECTORY INFO

A bright pink copy of the church directory is at the Welcome Center this morning. Please take a moment to check your entry in the directory to make sure all of the info is up to date, and mark any changes with the attached red pen. And if you are not yet in the directory, please add your info. Thank you for your help as we work toward publishing a new directory later this summer!

KITCHEN COMMITTEE FUNDRAISER

The kitchen committee is considering repeating its successful fundraiser of selling quarts of delicious, homemade chicken corn soup later in the year. The first step in the process is freezing corn this summer. If you would be interested in being called to possibly help with the corn sometime in August, please sign up at the Welcome Center. Lots of hands are needed!

BHA CONCERT OF HOPE

Brethren Housing Association will be having a *Concert of Hope* on Thursday evening, September 9 at Elizabethtown Church of the Brethren, featuring special music by Ken Medema. Admission is free for this fundraiser event; however due to limited seating, complimentary tickets are required. A free will offering will take place during the concert, with all funds given going to support BHA's programs helping homeless families get back on their feet. Tickets may be obtained online at www.bha-pa.org/register.asp or by mail by using the form available at the Welcome Center. Contact Elizabeth Schwartz if you have questions.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY WORKERS

As we look ahead to the fall, our children's ministry has many needs for volunteers! Contact Pastor Patty for more information about any of the following needs:

- K-2nd grade Sunday School (teachers and helpers)
- 3rd-5th grade Sunday School (teachers and helpers)
- 3 year olds during worship (teachers and helpers)
- 4 year olds during worship (teachers and helpers)
- K-2nd grade Jr. Church (teachers and helpers)
- 3rd-5th grade Jr. Church (teachers and helpers)

PLEASE TURN OFF LIGHTS

In an effort to conserve energy and cut down on our electricity costs, please be sure to turn off lights when you're done in areas of the building. And if you don't need full lights, consider turning on partial lighting. Also, if you notice air conditioning (or heat during the winter) on at times when an area of the building is not in use, please take a moment to let Pastor Lynda know. Thanks for your help in keeping energy costs down!

WELCOME VISITORS!

It is our privilege to have you join us for worship today. Please take a moment to fill out this form, detach it, and place it in the offering plate. Thank you!

Name(s) of Adults

Street Address

City, State, Zip Code

Phone Numbers (Day/Evening)

E-mail Address

Your age group: Under 20 20-30 30-40 40-50 50+ *(please circle one)*

Children living at home:

_____ age _____

_____ age _____

_____ age _____

_____ age _____

Please **X** all that applies:

- Visiting for the first time
- Visiting & guest of: _____
- New resident
- College Student
- Looking for a church home

I would like information about:

- Adult Ministries *(Bible studies, small groups, accountability groups)*
- Youth Ministries
- Children's Ministries
- Women's / Men's Ministries
- Young Adult Ministries
- Other: _____
- I would like to receive a call from a member of the pastoral staff

Congratulations to Jona and Jen (Heise) Cordova on the birth of Jonatán Daniel, who was born July 7 in Oaxaca, Mexico. Praise the Lord for his new life!

SUMMER CAMP UPDATE

We are so excited to report that we are sending a total of 48 children and youth to Kenbrook Camp this summer - the most that we have ever sent in one year! We want to thank all those who were able to contribute to our church's scholarship fund. We are still in need of \$175 to fund all of the scholarships, but know that the Lord will provide. Thanks again and continue to pray for those attending camp this summer. God will do great things through them.

LOOKING AHEAD TO AUGUST - BACKPACKS



If a child in your family, or someone close to you, is in need of a backpack for the coming school year, please leave a note in the church secretary's mailbox with your name and phone number, and the age, gender, and grade of each child. (Also, donations of backpacks, calculators, rulers, staplers, highlighters, and pencil bags to distribute to children are needed! Donations can be dropped off in the foyer.)

BAPTISM SERVICE

The pastoral staff are in the process of choosing a date for a late summer/early fall baptism service. If you would like to be baptized as a believer in Christ Jesus, please sign up on the sheet at the Welcome Center or contact the church office so the pastors will know of your interest.

CHURCH PICNIC PLANNING

Sign up at the Welcome Center if you'd like to help Pastor Lynda with the planning of a fall picnic for the church family. Our church picnics are always a special time of fellowship and connecting with one another. Assistance is needed in the planning and leading of this event. Thanks!

ROXBURY CAMP MEETING

This year Roxbury Holiness Camp Meeting celebrates its 75th anniversary with the theme, *Greater Things*. The camp meeting dates are **July 30- August 8**. All are welcome to come and be a part of camp meeting. Brochures with all the details are available at the Welcome Center. Our church is responsible for providing 10 volunteers to help serve the meals at Roxbury on Thursday, August 5. Please sign up at the Welcome Center, and be sure to check off which meals you can help.

DATES TO REMEMBER

The following things are on the church calendar for the coming months:

- July 24 – Women’s Day of Pampering
- July 25-30 – Youth Missions Trip to Bay City, Michigan
- August – No Sunday School Classes, No Junior Church, No Wednesday Evening Activities
- August 21 – Backpacks for School Distribution
- September 8 – Wednesday Evening Activities Begin
- September 12 – Sunday School and Junior Church Begin
- September 18 – Fun In the Sun Day Outreach Event
- October 15-16 – Budgeting Workshop
- October 23 – Fall Church Work Day
- October 28 – Meet & Greet Outreach Event
- November 5-6 – Local Children’s Ministry Conference
- November 13 – Hosting Capital Bible Quiz Tournament
- November 20 – Thanksgiving Basket Outreach Event

BIC CHURCH SEEKS EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF FINANCE

The Brethren in Christ Church seeks an experienced financial professional to lead the denomination’s finance team. This full-time position is critical to advancing the vision of the church by financial projections for strategic planning, cost benefit analysis, and budget management. In addition to supervising the finance and accounting functions, the Executive Director of Finance will have the responsibility of insuring a balanced budget, monitoring the portfolio of investments, interacting with church pastors and treasurers, and participating as a member of the Leadership Council. The job description is posted at www.bic-church.org/news/employment. Applications will be received through July 31. Any questions may be directed to Don McNiven, General Secretary of the denomination at 697-2634, ext. 5421 or by e-mail to dmcniven@bic-church.org.

DONATIONS REQUESTED

Barb and Josiah Kelley will be going on a missions trip to Honduras in August with MAMA Project (www.mamaproject.org), and they are seeking contributions of items for newborn kits and school kits to benefit some of the most vulnerable of children and improve their chance of survival. Lists of needed items are available at the Welcome Center. Donations of any of the items (or full kits) need to be received by August 8 to be delivered this summer. If you have any questions, please contact Kevin or Barb Kelley.

BABY BOTTLE BLAST

This is a last call for turning in bottles, either empty or filled, for the Capital Area Pregnancy Center’s Baby Bottle Blast. Please see Mike or Peggy Spellman if you still have a bottle.

JULY 18, 2010

Please keep the following people and situations in prayer this week:

Pray for the many people from our church currently looking for employment. Ask the Lord to open doors for jobs that will meet their needs and use their gifts. Pray for a miracle of provision.

Pray for our youth missions team as they prepare for their summer missions trip to Bay City, Michigan, which begins next Sunday, July 25. Pray for unity among the team and wisdom for the leaders. Pray for Pastor Hank as he pulls together many of the last-minute details.

Continue to pray for all those in need of physical and/or emotional healing. Ask the Lord to bless each one with wholeness.

Praise the Lord for the opportunity that Pastor Woody had to preach a message about the biblical call to racial reconciliation and multicultural churches at General Conference last weekend. Pray that the seeds planted among pastors and church leaders across North America will be watered in the days ahead, taking root and helping to shape the church in this new decade.

Pray for the annual Roxbury Holiness Camp Meeting, which will be held July 30 to August 8. Ask the Lord to bless each participant with spiritual growth.

PRAY FOR THE WORLD



July 18 – NICARAGUA - Pray for Executive Minister German García who has the task of filling various pastoral vacancies. Ask God to give him wisdom as he seeks to find the right fit between the pastors’ gifts and the congregations’ needs.

A box is available at the Welcome Center for your prayer requests. You can elect to make your requests available for next week’s bulletin, or you can mark them for pastoral staff only and they will be kept confidential. Prayer requests can also be shared with our phone prayer chain by calling Mary Lou at 763-8691 or Ann at 732-8826, or with our e-mail prayer chain by sending them to [Lois at lsaylor@comcast.net](mailto:lsaylor@comcast.net).