



## **HARRISBURG BRETHERN IN CHRIST CHURCH**

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### **GROCERY GIFT CARDS**

Gift cards for Giant, Weis, & Karns grocery stores will be available in the foyer **Sept. 12 & 26**. 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!

### **DIRECTED STUDY COURSES**

Did you know that the Brethren In Christ Church offers semester-long Directed Study courses in their *Equipping for Ministry* program? Topics being offered this fall include: Bible Survey; The Prophetic Books; Biblical Interpretation; Evangelism; Intentional Discipleship; Discerning God's Call; Focusing our Faith; Money, Ministry and Me; Cultivating Sustainability in Youth Ministry; Focusing our Worship. For more information or to register online go to [www.bic-church.org/equipping](http://www.bic-church.org/equipping) or you can contact Donna Sturr at [dsturr@bic-church.org](mailto:dsturr@bic-church.org) or 697.2634, X 5435.

### **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.).

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### **SERVING US TODAY**

Sound Tech: Rick Souder  
Projectionist: Andrea Miller  
Keyboardist: n/a  
Infants: TBA  
Toddlers: Fannie, Gideon  
3 & 4 Yr Olds: TBA  
No Junior Church

### **SERVING US NEXT WEEK**

Sound Tech: Max Shradley  
Projectionist: Keith Wetzell  
Keyboardist: TBA  
Infants: Patti S., Alissa P.  
Toddlers: Allyson, Lisa, Reagan  
3 & 4 Yr Olds: TBA  
Junior Church

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

# *We Welcome You!*

## **Harrisburg Brethren in Christ Church**

### **WORSHIP SERVICE**

### **August 29, 2010**

### **10:30 am**

Worship Leaders: Andy & Jennifer Rash

Opening Hymn

Welcome & Announcements

Cooperative Ministries / Missionaries Offering

Praise and Worship

Pastoral Prayer

Tithes & Offerings

Prayer for Amy H.

Children's Story – Julia Tilley

Message

Pastor Woody Dalton

Closing Song

Benediction and Postlude

*"...to worship God and make Him known through a loving, discipling community."*

## THIS WEEK'S CHURCH SCHEDULE

Sun, 9:00 am, Quizzing Breakfast  
Wed. No Regular Evening Activities  
6:30 pm, Kids Club Meeting  
7:00 pm, Gospel Choir  
Fri. 7:00 pm, Celebrate Recovery

## AUGUST CHANGE OF SCHEDULE

Throughout the month of August, we will not have Sunday School classes or Wednesday evening activities. This allows all those who give of themselves in teaching and leading a much-deserved break. Wednesday evening activities, including our Community Meal, will resume on September 8, and Sunday School will resume on September 12. Our Sunday morning worship service will continue at 10:30 am. Junior Church will continue to meet on the first, second, and third Sundays of August.

## EGG CARTONS NEEDED

The Food Pantry is in need of empty egg cartons. Please drop them off in the brown bin outside the Food Pantry (near the CE Room kitchenette). Thanks!

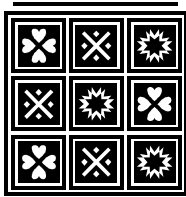
## PLEASE HELP WITH CHAIRS

In order to prepare to have the sanctuary carpet cleaned by section during this month, you're asked to help stack chairs after services as follows:

- August 29 – far left section (near the nursery)

This will greatly assist Theresa Baltimore, our beloved custodian. Thanks for your help!

## SILENT AUCTION FOR QUILT



A new quilt is hanging on display near the ramp to the CE Room, a nine patch patterned quilt in red, white, blue, and tan. It is 85x67 inches, twin-bed size (to use with a dust ruffle). The quilt was made by Carolyn Clay, with assistance in quilting from Betty Oldham, Jane Monn, and Fannie Ellenberg. The Silent Auction for this quilt begins Sunday August 1 and will end at 12:30 pm on Sunday, **September 12**. The proceeds from the sale of the quilt will go to the building fund.

## 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:

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

## OPPORTUNITIES FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH

- We are looking for Children and Youth who would like to share their musical talents with the church in an offertory or prelude. Please sign up at the welcome center.
- Youth (6<sup>th</sup> grade and up) are eligible to help out in the Children's ministry. Please sign up at the welcome center and Pastor Patty will contact you.

## WEDNESDAY NIGHT COOKING

If you might be interested in trying your hand at cooking a Wednesday Evening Community Meal, contact Patti Shradley or Pastor Lynda. The schedule for the fall meals will be developed soon, and we're always happy to have more cooks or cooking teams, even on a trial basis!

## THE TIDE DINNER INVITATION

You are invited to join *The Tide* for an evening of fun, food and fellowship while also hearing about lives God is changing through *The Tide's* international radio ministry. This year's banquets will be featuring special music by Douglas Curry, director of worship at Messiah College. Preregistration for the dinners, which are being offered in various locations, is required. You may either register online at [www.gospeltide.org](http://www.gospeltide.org) or call one of the hosts listed on the flyer which can be found at the Welcome Center. (The dinner in our area will be on Sept. 20 at Mechanicsburg BIC Church.)

## FOOD PANTRY HOURS

- 2nd Monday of the month from 1:00- 2:00
- 4th Friday of the month from 4:00-6:00

If you have an emergency please call the church at 561-2170.

*Note: The Food Pantry will be closed on Monday, September 13 & will reopen on Friday, September 24.*

## 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

*The roses on the altar today are in honor of the birth of Cadence Adara-Renee Carter, daughter of Shaina & David Carter, who was born on August 7; and Thatcher Stephen Thompson, son of Brie & Stephen Thompson, who was born on August 21.*

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## FUN IN THE SON DAY (FITSD)

The Fun In The Son Day (FITSD) Committee is collecting \$5 and \$10 Giant **GIFT CARDS** to use as prizes at this year's block party. If you'd like to donate any, please stop at the table in the foyer where the gift cards are sold Sept. 12. Simply tell the people at the table that your purchase is for FITSD and they will hold on to the cards for the committee.

One of the features of Fun In The Son Day is a **CLOTHING CLOSET** where people can get clothing they may need. If you have **gently used clothing items** to donate for this, please place them in the Open Area, on the table near the foyer entry. If you have any questions, contact Pat Hall or Pastor Cedra.

Lots of people will be needed to help with our community outreach block party, Fun In The Son Day, on Saturday, September 18. A **Sign Up Sheet** with all of the needs is at the Welcome Center in the foyer. Be sure to sign up to be a part of this exciting day! Please see Pastor Cedra if you have any questions.

## MORE THAN EQUALS CLASS

This fall we will be offering our introductory racial reconciliation class, *More Than Equals*, on Sunday mornings, beginning September 12. Please sign up at the Welcome Center if you would like to be a part of this class. The class size will be limited. (Note: We plan to offer our second racial reconciliation class, *Next Steps*, beginning in January; this will be open to those who have already completed the *More Than Equals* class.)

## MORE THAN EQUALS BOOKS

If you have a copy of *More Than Equals* that you no longer need and would like to make it available for someone else to use, please place it in the box in the foyer (near the trophy case). Thank you.

*We would like to thank everyone who brought meals and gifts after the birth of our son Isaac. We really appreciated everyone's encouragement and generosity, and we are thankful for the support of our church family. – Tim & Lanette Johnson*

## **KIDS CLUB**

We are looking for volunteers to help guide our kids through *Cosmic City* and help them see that our God is awesome. Kids will participate in whole group worship time and then rotate between four stations over two Wednesday evenings. Help is needed in the following areas:

1. Station leaders: lead one of the following areas- crafts, games/snacks, story, or lab experience. (You could volunteer to lead a station for one of the two-week sessions, pair up with a friend to cover every other two-week session, or cover all five two-week sessions. We are flexible and will work with your schedule.)
2. Crew leaders: guide a group through the stations, help crew members learn memory verses, and lead short group devotional/pray. No preparation needed to be a crew leader. You just need to be willing to get to know the kids in your crew and share Jesus' love with them.
3. On-call volunteers: substitute as needed when another volunteer is unable to attend a Wednesday evening.

If you are interested in learning more about Kids Club (Wednesday evenings children outreach), please join us on Wednesday, Sept 2nd, at 6pm for our fall planning and prayer meeting. For more information, contact Pastor Patty or Marcy Velez.

## **GENERAL CONFERENCE SERMONS**

If you missed Pastor Woody's sermon at General Conference in July, or any of the other evening speakers, they are now available on the denomination's web site at the following link: <http://bic-church.org/gc2010/>

## **DATES TO REMEMBER**

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

- August – No Sunday School Classes, No Wednesday Evening Activities
- September 8 – Wednesday Evening Activities Begin
- September 12 – Sunday School Begins
- September 18 – Fun In the Son Day Outreach Event
- September 25 – Life Group Facilitator Training
- 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

## **AUGUST 29, 2010**

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

Pray for Tim & Lanette Johnson's five year old nephew, Caleb Johnson, who got malaria on his return to his home in Burkina Faso, Africa. Pray for the medicine to rid it from his body and for his healing.

Pray for safe travel for Chris & Marlys Book as they depart for Zambia today.

Continue to pray for Rosemary Yovic, who had her first chemo treatment this week. Treatments will continue for four months.

Pray for wisdom for the parents in our church, as they seek to nurture their children: Pray for those who parent babies. Pray for those who parent toddlers and preschoolers. Pray for those who parent elementary-age children. Pray for those who parent teenagers. Pray for those who parent young adult and adult children. Every stage has its joys and challenges. Pray that each one will seek the Lord's help, guidance, and instruction in their parenting.

Pray for college students as they prepare to begin their school year, both students from our church going to school and students who will attend our church while they're studying in this area. Pray that this will be a good year of learning and growth for each of them. Pray, too, that they will grow in ministry to others during this year.

Pray for those who have lost their jobs and are seeking work. Ask the Lord to open doors of opportunity for them. Pray that they will have persistence in their search for work.

## **PRAY FOR THE WORLD**



August 29 – **MALAWI** - Pray for wisdom for Doug and Barb M as they counsel new Yawo believers. Pray that the Lord will lead new believers to testify of their faith by water baptism.

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.