



# BRETHREN HIGHLIGHTS

Lancaster Church of the Brethren

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## STARLIGHT TEA EPIPHANY CONCERT - CELEBRATING THE BIRTH!

Each year at Lancaster Church of the Brethren, we celebrate the music of Advent, Christmas and the New Year with our **Starlight Tea Epiphany Concert**. This year's concert is **Sunday, January 3, at 7:00 p.m.** in the sanctuary. It is wonderful, after the hustle and bustle of family celebrations for Christmas and New Year's Day, to pause and take one more look at the music of the season, in a much more relaxed frame of mind!

This year the Chancel Choir will perform TWO major works, the *Magnificat* of G. B. Pergolesi, and a new work by British composer Cecilia MacDowall entitled *A Winter's Night*. We will have a string ensemble as special guests, who will accompany the *Magnificat* along with Margaret Marsch on harpsichord. *A Winter's Night* features arrangements of five beloved carols, with a stunning organ accompaniment. The choir will also sing an-

them by John Rutter (*What Sweeter Music*), Gilbert M. Martin (*Away in a Manger*), Dan Forrest (*The First Noel*) and Mark Hayes (*Mary, Go Tell It!*).



The Carillon Bell Choir will open the concert with a beautiful setting of the Advent hymn *In the Bleak Midwinter*, arranged by Martha Lynn Thomas, and will later ring a medley of carols entitled *At the Manger*, arranged by Michael Helman.

This concert promises to be a delight for all who love the music of Advent and Christmas! Please be sure to join us and invite friends and family, and be sure to stay for the Starlight Tea in the Family Life Center, featuring cookies from the chefs of our congregation! --Emery DeWitt

## 30<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY PRAYER BREAKFAST

Yes...30 years ago – January 15, 1986 – a Prayer Breakfast was held at Lancaster Church of the Brethren on a cold Wednesday morning. And, each Wednesday morning since then (with a few exceptions for weather and Holidays) the faithful have gathered to lift up prayers of praise and petition to God.



Jack Crowley,  
President of Water Street Mission

So that many more people are able to enjoy this time of prayer, praise and celebration for 30 years of Prayer Breakfast at LCOB, a special Saturday

edition of Prayer Breakfast will be held on **January 16, 2016**. Breakfast is at 8:00 a.m. with prayers at 8:30 a.m. and closing remarks at 9:30 a.m. The keynote speaker will be the President of Water Street Mission – Jack Crowley. Jack is a graduate of Franklin and Marshall College, majoring in Psychology and Government. He is also the former director of Teen Haven and Wonder Club Early Learning Centers. --Dave Hosler

Lancaster Church of the Brethren is a working, worshipping, learning Christian community, open and accepting without discrimination or force in matters of belief and practice.

# SERVING THIS JANUARY

## GREETERS

7:40 a.m. Mary and Jerry Thompson  
 8:40 a.m. Sue and John Groff  
 8:40 a.m. Wanda and Frank Fox  
 9:50 a.m. Carlene and Scott Hufford  
 9:50 a.m. Barb and Russ Morrow  
 10:15 a.m. Lorraine and Don Dotterer



## USHERS

**CHAPEL SERVICE 8:00 a.m.**  
 Warren Evans  
 John Graham

### **SANCTUARY SERVICE 10:15 a.m.**

*John Groff	Zachary Bachman	Rich Bohn
Marvin Harnish	Rodney St. John	Ed Riegen
Calvin Wenger	Shirley Wenger	
<i>*Head Usher</i>		

## CHURCH LIBRARY

**Staffed Sunday 9:45—10:15 a.m.**



Deborah Hall

## ACOLYTES

Week 1: Maria Ramirez  
 Week 2: Brooke Smith  
 Week 3: Luke Wenger  
 Week 4: Sadie Bowser  
 Week 5: Jack Smith



## VAN INFORMATION

Lin Moyer - 393-1648



## ATTENDANCE

November 15—320  
 November 22—329  
 November 29—374  
 December 6—366  
 December 13—353

## DIRECTORY CHANGES

Soon to be in a church mailbox near you... At the time of the newsletter production the 2016 Church Directory was at the printer.

## JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

1 Gibson Alvino	9 Logan Reynolds	22 Ervin Martin
Charles Denlinger		Jessica Dunbar
Del Akech Del	10 Alaina Bridgeman	
Phillip Deng	Shirley Gish Stauffer	23 Wanda Fox
James Kongor	Brian Shotzberger	Sarah Shearer
Chol Mading Deng		Ron Yunginger
Deng Kudior Bol	12 Grant Husted	
Jacob Kongor	Diana Lohr	25 Melissa Heck
	Wayne Stauffer	26 Craig Husted
2 Donald Dotterer		
3 Andrew Lefever	14 Mike Snyder	28 Norma Hollinger
		Bob Frick
4 Madeleine Miller	15 Terry Shearer	
Carly Deihm	Donald Nolt	30 Gloria Denlinger
		Glenn Shultz
6 Paul Herr	16 Barry Wilson	Shirley (Clyde) Wenger
Theresa Herr		
Shawn Smith	17 Ryan Brubaker	31 Eric Keepers
Elvin Heck	David Ebersole	

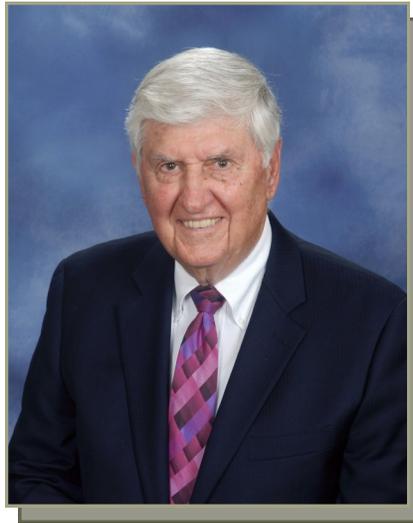


# FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Community, friendship and family are all precious components of a Christian congregation. Here at Lancaster Church of the Brethren we are genuinely attempting to enhance and magnify these values.

One of the ways in which this is happening is through our existing fellowship groups. Namely, they are the Climbers, Pathfinders, Seekers, Living Faith, New Directions, Connections, CRAVE, One Another and Single Servants. These are ongoing groups in our congregation, mostly based on age. They are not in the category of the small groups designed for a particular sharing – purpose centered on a specific subject for a concentrated and limited period of weeks or months. These are the ones which have been designed by Pastors Cindy Lattimer and Sherri Weaver.

The fellowship groups are able to achieve more vital relationships among many of our members and friends because they offer their participants a variety of opportunities to connect with each other in regular events such as brunches, social gatherings, service projects, en-



lightening programs, trips, intra communication and caring moments.

The history of LCOB Fellowship groups goes back to at least the 1930's. At that time there were Sunday School classes which met only on Sunday morning; as years went by they started to add additional gatherings. The first classes were the Andrew and Phillip class (men only) and the Gleaners (women only). Following them in order of their formation were Bethany, Strivers, Homebuilders before the ones listed above. The last ones to meet as Sunday School classes were the Pathfinders and Seekers.

It is our hope that every member and friend of the LCOB has an opportunity to be a member of one of these groups. They are a tremendous source of friendship and fellowship.

If you have not been a part of one of these, there is definitely a place for you. To pursue this contact either Kathy Focht (464-3453) or Calvin Wenger (368-6621) to discuss the best possibility for you. --Calvin Wenger

## 🎵 HYMN SING 🎵

On Sunday, November 29, around 45 members of our congregation gathered in our Chapel for an informal hymn sing. Led by Emery DeWitt and accompanied on the new Chapel organ by Margaret Marsch, we sang from both our current blue hymnals and the previous red version.

Anyone present was encouraged to call out hymn numbers to sing, which led to a wonderful diversity of hymns. In the listing below, if the hymn number ends with "R", then it was found in the red hymnal.

- 17 We gather together
- 598 A wonderful Savior is Jesus
- 194R Thine is the glory
- 50 Praise the Lord, sing hallelujah
- 137R Away in a manger
- 480R We have heard the joyful sound
- 307 Will you let me be your servant
- 344 I will sing of my Redeemer
- 580 My life flows on (how can I keep from singing)
- 118 Praise God from whom
- 483R What a friend we have in Jesus (tune: CONVERSE)

- 573 What a friend we have in Jesus (tune: BLAENWERN)
- 104R Come, thou long-expected Jesus
- 327 Great is thy faithfulness
- 539 Make me a captive, Lord
- 321 Lift high the cross
- 582 Guide me, O thou great Jehovah
- 5 There is a place of quiet rest
- 201 Hark! the herald angels sing

In the coming year, we are planning more of these informal hymn sings, along with a more formal one with a guest instrumentalist. Be sure to join us for these celebrations of the musical heritage of our faith!

--Emery DeWitt



## WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP CRAFT EVENT



January 30 – 10:00 a.m.

**At Jen's Pottery Den**

711 Olde Hickory Road

(Olde Hickory complex off of Oregon Pike)

Lancaster, PA 17601

Meet at Jen's Pottery Den at 10:00 a.m. or  
Arrive at the church parking lot to carpool by 9:45  
RSVP to Myrl Greiner if you plan to carpool  
[mgreiner@comcast.net](mailto:mgreiner@comcast.net) or 471-4460  
Refreshments will be served!

## KITCHEN CLEANING THIS MONTH

On January 30, 2016, we will be meeting in the LCOB Kitchen at 9:00 a.m. to start off the New Year with a thorough cleaning. Please bring your bucket, sponge, rags and any all-purpose cleaner you would like to use. There will be a sign-up sheet in the Gathering Place. Call Deb Chillias with questions.



## FLC CLOSET CLEANOUT

On Saturday, February 6, beginning at 10:00 a.m. the **FAMILY LIFE CENTER CLOSET IS GETTING CLEANED OUT!!!** A team is being assembled to completely remove ALL contents of the



FLC closet in order to re-organize it to make better use of the space. It is highly encouraged that you or someone from each committee or group that has contents stored in this closet be present. Please let Jodi Yingling know who you are. However,

if you cannot participate on this date, if you or a committee in which you are on have anything stored in this closet **that absolutely must be kept**, please be sure to **contact Jodi Yingling** to mark the items appropriately. Anyone willing to lend a hand (or their backs) to this project is welcome. **Lunch will be provided.** Please contact Jodi Yingling with any questions and let her know if you are willing and able to assist at any point during this day. Thank you!

## Climbers Fellowship News

Climbers Fellowship Group will be meeting on January 9, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. in rooms 162-3. Sally and Bob Bingaman will share the History of Brethren disaster Relief Auction and show a current DVD of what goes into making this huge event happen. We invite anyone who is interested, especially new comers, to join us.  
--Dave and Darlene Creighton



The 2015 Steering Committee of Climbers Fellowship Group wishes to thank all who have participated and supported Climber activities this past year -- brunches, mystery dinner, programs, picnic, Horse-shoe Curve bus trip, annual banquet, etc. We had fun and we hope you did too.

Not only did we have fun and fellowship among ourselves, we also reached out to others who may not be as fortunate. As of this writing in early December, Climbers Fellowship collected and distributed Weis & Giant gift cards to the following charitable groups: LCCC Food Bank, Clare House, Milagro House and Drug Court. To date, \$655.00 in gift cards were distributed. Again, our sincere thanks to all who contributed.

And finally, the 2015 Steering Committee wishes to extend congratulations and best wishes to the newly installed members of the 2016 Steering Committee. May you have a very successful and rewarding year.  
--The 2015 Committee: Bob & Mary Ann, Elvin & Linda, Mo & Rachel

## MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. -

### HOLIDAY & CELEBRATION

An opportunities to join with the African- American community locally in remembering the good work of Dr. King and the continuing journey toward equality for all of God's children on Monday, January 18, from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. **INSPIRA: THE POWER OF THE SPIRITUAL** is an exciting hour long journey the capturing hope and struggle in African American spirituals. **FREE** with donation requested. The Church has ten (10) VIP seats secured by an anonymous member's donation. **Location is Lancaster Catholic High School**, 650 Juliette Avenue, Lancaster



If interested in this program, please contact David Hosler or the Church Office



## THANK YOU FROM WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

Women's Fellowship filled 80 Christmas stockings for people living in group homes at Excentia. Excentia provides necessary supports to enable people with developmental needs to live as independently and fully as they desire within the community. **THANK YOU**, to everyone who supported this project.

--Marilyn Hummel.



## THANK YOU ALL

As we reach the end of another year, I would like to say thank you to all who heard the plea of distress from EYN, the Church of the Brethren in Nigeria. Too many people were driven from their homes, their families and opportunity to attend their church and schools. It has been great to see the US church respond so well to this crisis.

Members and friends of the Lancaster CoB donated \$25,000 which has been sent to the EYN Crisis Fund. (You still may make contributions to LCOB with 'EYN' on the memo line).

In addition, through the effort of many people, spearheaded by Monroe Good, more than 50 members of EYN visited 22 CoB congregations in more than a dozen districts in the US this past summer. Donations for EYN were received at every concert they gave. They sang and shared stories of their faith under dire circumstances in Nigeria. EYN visitors also participated in Annual Conference in Tampa. I do remember well the Sunday when the EYN Women's Fellowship Choir presented us with their 'joyful noise' in our sanctuary during a combined Sunday morning service. In the end, more funds than needed to cover the costs were received, therefore \$ 22,206.56 of the excess was sent to our denominational office in Elgin for the Nigeria Crisis Fund. Once more, Thank You all for your generosity.

Through our Outreach we follow the biblical call to help the sojourners in our midst and also those in far away lands. May the God of all people bless all of his children.

--Otto Schaudel for the Outreach Ministry Team

## CHANGES IN INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY

With winter comes the possibility of a major snowfall or extreme icy conditions on a Sunday morning. In an effort to address a weekend snowstorm, the Church Board modified the inclement weather policy as follows:

- \* In the event of an accumulative snow, there will only be a 10:15 service. The 8:00 service and Sunday School will be cancelled.
- \* In a major snowstorm or with extreme weather conditions, all church services will be cancelled.

Notification and announcements will be on the church website, Phone Prayer Line (397-1888) and on WDAC radio.

--Kathy Focht



## THANK YOU TO LCOB

Dear Sisters and Brothers of the Lancaster Church of the Brethren,



Thank you for extending to me the opportunity to share in ministry with you since September. I have greatly appreciated learning to know the congregation and walk with you for this season. The ministry of caregiving and prayer within the congregation has inspired me. The devotion and dedication for meaningful times of worship is most evident. The compassion towards those in need and the intentional witness to the peace and hope of Jesus through tangible expressions of generosity has encouraged me. Though our time together was brief, I am deeply thankful for God's connection of our lives. May we each continue to experience the love of Christ and reflect this love in all our next steps. --Sheri Weaver

**BV NEWS**

**Thanks to everyone who donated cookies** and/or purchased some cookies at the Brethren Village Christmas Cookie Sale on Friday, December 4. Also, thank you to Jeanne Heck for helping at the Cookie Sale.

**Thank you to Jeanne Heck and Marilyn Wagner** for helping to set up and decorate trees for Christmas on the Brethren Village Campus.

**Help Needed**—Please check if your calendar is clear on Monday, January 4, to help take down Christmas trees and decorations at Brethren Village. Meet in Village Center, 8:30 a.m. If you are available to help, call Marilyn Hummel, 295-9121.

--Marilyn Hummel

**JANUARY PMT ENERGY TIP**

Save with Motion Sensors! Using motion sensors with outdoor security lighting is a good way to help save money on your electric bill. The US Department of Energy recommends using a combination motion sensor and photo sensor to get the most impact. That way the lights only come on when it's dark and when someone or something is detected by the motion sensor.



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- B. Stroke/Carotid Artery** — Uses ultrasound technology to visualize inside the carotid arteries in the neck for fatty plaque build-up that could lead to a stroke. Studies show blocked carotid arteries cause 70-80 percent of all strokes. Over half of all victims show no prior warning signs.
- C. Thyroid** — With ultrasound technology, the thyroid is examined for any nodules, enlargements or other general abnormalities that may include cancer. Ultrasound detects abnormalities that may not be detected by a thyroid blood test.
- D. Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm** — Ultrasound is used to visualize the aortic artery in the abdomen for an aneurysm—a balloon-like enlargement. This hereditary condition is usually fatal if a rupture occurs.
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## CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN GENERAL SECRETARY SPEAKS OUT AGAINST ANTI-MUSLIM RHETORIC CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN NEWSLINE, DECEMBER 11, 2015

Church of the Brethren general secretary Stanley J. Noffsinger has issued a statement against the current escalation of rhetoric that seeks to demonize Muslims. Citing Jesus' commands to love God, and love neighbor as self, and the parable of the Good Samaritan, the statement also calls church members to revisit portions of the 1991 Annual Conference statement "Peacemaking: The Call of God's Peace in History" that direct the church to "explore avenues of interfaith dialogue leading toward a visible expression of God's plan for human unity."

The statement follows in full below, with a shorter video version available at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ymd5uQ6b9kg>. **General secretary statement against anti-Muslim rhetoric**

Our nation is struggling to respond to violence and terrorism in Paris, Lebanon, Syria, Nigeria, and elsewhere. However, I am troubled by the hateful rhetoric that seeks to demonize Muslim neighbors and friends. More profoundly troubling is that the words of hate and demonization are surfacing among Christians.

Throughout the Gospels, Jesus implores us to "love the Lord your God" and to "love your neighbor as yourself." In Luke, however, a scholar of the law presses Jesus further, asking, "And who is my neighbor?" (Luke 10:29). Jesus' response is the parable of the Good Samaritan. A priest and a Levite ignore a dying man on the road to Jericho, but a Samaritan – a cultural and religious outcast – stops, bandages the dying man's wounds, and finds him shelter for the night.

Equating radical Islamic ideology with the faith Muslims misrepresents and muddies Christ's message with fear. We must resist the temptations fear elicits, holding strong to faith in the redemptive power of Christ. Suffering knows no religion.

As the conflict in Syria escalates, our mercy and compassion cannot be selective. Refusing to aid those fleeing violence and injustice, especially on the basis of religion, likens us to the priest and the Levite who ignored the dying man on the road to Jericho. Giving in to words that demean Muslims betrays our belief that everyone is a child of God.



In 1991, the Church of the Brethren Annual Conference reissued a call for peace among people of all religions in the "Peacemaking: The Call of God's People in History." It states in part:

"Therefore, the Church shall:

- a. initiate and participate in efforts to overcome strife and differences within the Christian family;
- b. work with those of other denominations, nations, and religions in the interests of peace, while maintaining our Christian witness and proclaiming God's love for all humanity;
- c. engage in the creation and support of ecumenical, cooperative, and coalitional efforts in peacemaking;
- d. provide informational and educational materials to assist in a better understanding and love of people of other religions and faith traditions;

e. explore avenues of interfaith dialogue leading toward a visible expression of God's plan for human unity."

Finally, there is a word of hope. "God still wills wholeness and unity for God's people."

*Jeremiah writes, "I will fulfill to you my promise and bring you back to this place. For I know the plans I have for you, says the Lord, plans for welfare (shalom) and not for evil, to give you a future and a hope" (Jer. 29:10-11).*

-- Find the full 1991 Annual Conference statement on peacemaking at [www.brethren.org/ac/statements/1991peacemaking.html](http://www.brethren.org/ac/statements/1991peacemaking.html).

This article is taken from the CoB website: <http://www.brethren.org/news/2015/general-secretary-speaks-out.html>

### From the Annual Conference Office

There will be a change starting this coming year for congregations registering delegates for Annual Conference. Both delegate and non-delegate registrations will open on the same day, **Wednesday, February 17, 2016**. There will be no "early" delegate registration beginning in January as in the past.

A letter with more registration details and information will be sent directly to all congregations in December. Anyone with questions can contact the Conference Office at [annualconference@brethren.org](mailto:annualconference@brethren.org) or by calling 800-323-8039, ext. 365.

## ADULT EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

January 2016

9:00 - 9:45 Sunday Mornings

*The following classes are open to everyone. All are invited.  
Even though these groups are "ongoing," they are always looking for new members.*

**The Chapel Bible Study Group** meets in the chapel. Their theme for January will be *Four Weddings and a Funeral*. Biblical texts from both the *Old* and *New Testaments* will be studied, using the Brethren publication, *A Guide for Biblical Studies*. Teachers will be **Al Cott**, **Bob Frick**, and **Calvin Wenger**.

The **Sacred Parenting Class**, led by **Linda Husted**, meets in room 170.

Jan. 3 & 10 – **Kathy Focht** will teach *Developing Stages of Children*, highlighting things to expect from your children as they grow and change. Kathy is a retired early childhood educator who has taught this material to many groups of parents.

Jan. 17, 24, & 31 – will feature the video ***Ted Talks on Parenting***, with discussion.

The **Thoughtful Life Class**, meeting in rooms 162-163, features resource persons who lead stimulating discussions in a variety of topics. The January topics are:

**Jan 3 – Jennifer Koppel**, Executive Director of the Lancaster County Coalition to end homelessness, will give us *An Overview of Homelessness in Lancaster County*.

**Jan. 10-31—Dr. Lee Barrett**, Lancaster Theological Seminary, will give us insights into various Protestant Denominations:

Jan. 10 – Lutheranism and the Reformed Tradition (Anglicans/Episcopalians, UCC, Presbyterians and some Baptists)

Jan. 17 – Methodism and other forms of Pietism

Jan. 24 – Anabaptists

Jan. 31 – Evangelicals and Pentecostals

**Connections** is a casual conversation group meeting in Room 200 for coffee. It is open to everyone interested in connecting with other people on a more personal level. In January, we will be doing a series on ***The Wired World***, discussing current events analyzed in a Biblical context. Follow the **Connections** signs to Room 200 on the second floor. For details, contact Rick Bowser at 201-8734 or [rbowser4@yahoo.com](mailto:rbowser4@yahoo.com).

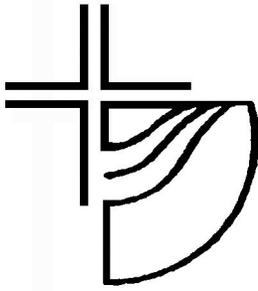
The **Maranatha** ministry offers an adult Sunday School class in Spanish and English, taught by **Arelis Sable**. Further details are available from her.

### HOW TO GET PUBLISHED

If you are interested in submitting an article or letter, here's how to do it!

1. **The deadline is the 15th of every month.**
2. ***Electronically submitted is best!*** Email to the church office at [lancob@comcast.net](mailto:lancob@comcast.net).
3. Please do not extensively format emailed submissions. Simple paragraph form is best. An attached file should be in a *Word* document.
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<p>The deadline for every issue is the 15th of the previous month.</p>		