

HOLY WEEK
OBSERVANCES

Maundy Thursday ~ March 29

Have you ever joined a “Maundy Thursday” gathering?
Consider coming for these special opportunities:
6:00 p.m. **Men’s and Women’s Foot Washing** (201, FHW)
6:30 p.m. **Fellowship Meal** (Fellowship Hall)
7:30 p.m. **Sharing Communion** (Fellowship Hall).

Celebrate Jesus on Easter Sunday ~ April 1

9:00 a.m. Worship Service (Sanctuary) *
10:15 a.m. Refreshments (Upstairs)
10:30 a.m. Worship Service (Sanctuary)

*Adults classes will be on Easter break. Children’s classes will meet during the 10:30 worship service.)



Calendar Notes

Mar. 11 - 18, 2018

Today	4:00 p.m.	Easter Choir Rehearsal
Monday 12 th	3:00 p.m.	Middle School Mondays
	6:30 p.m.	Human Trafficking Meeting (Strayers')
	7:00 p.m.	Women’s Bible Study (201)
Wednesday 14 th	9:00 a.m.	Women’s Bible Study (201)
	6:15 p.m.	Faith Finders
	6:30 p.m.	Intercessory Prayer and Praise
	6:30 p.m.	Thrive
Thursday 15 th	6:30 p.m.	Leadership Council (201)
Sunday 18 th	9:00 a.m.	Congregational Council and Classes
	10:15 a.m.	Worship

Statistical Notes as of March 4, 2018

Attendance: Worship	209
Giving:	
Worship	\$12,975.00
Deacon Fund	\$545.00
Year to Date:	
General Fund Budget	\$72,461.89
General Fund Giving	\$82,368.00

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BRETHREN IN CHRIST

a river of hope and healing . . .

March 11, 2018
9:00 a.m. Classes
10:15 am Worship

Preparing for Worship

Opening and Welcome

Scripture (Psalm 140)

Fairest Lord Jesus #114

Prayers of the Community

Invitation to Give

Songs of Worship *

Message: The God Who Won’t Stay Away
Exodus 24:14-25:9

Blessed are the Poor in Spirit #508
(to the tune of Brethren We Have Met)

Prayer and Closing

Postlude

* (Children Pre-K - grade 5 to Cherub & Jr. Church)

Welcome Guests To better connect with you we encourage you to complete a guest registration card located in the pew pockets. You may drop it in the offering plate OR bring it to welcome center in the lobby so that we can greet you and give you a welcome packet.

Cherub and Children’s Church This year Pre-Kindergarten through 5th grade will be joining us for the first part of the service and then will be released to their classes mid-service. Cherub Church (Pre-Kindergarten - 1st Grade) meets in the class across from the men's restroom and Junior Church (2nd - 5th Grade) meets downstairs in B1. **Please pick your child up from their classroom in a timely manner after the service.** If you're visiting, please fill out a Cherub/Junior Church Attendance Card, located in the pew rack, and bring your child to meet their teacher near the coffee bar/welcome center when the children are dismissed from the service.

There will be a brief meeting after church for **anyone considering church membership and baptism.** Even if you are only thinking about it, join us for more information about these next steps

Easter Choir will be singing at the Palm Sunday service on March 25th. Remaining rehearsals will be held in the sanctuary today and Sunday, March 18 from 4:00-5:30 p.m. and Thursday, March 22 from 7:00-9:00 p.m. Please direct any questions to Randy Fish.

Join us for prayer walking next Saturday (March 24). We will meet at the church at 9:00 .am. Our plan is to walk and pray through neighbor-hoods in Dillsburg. If the weather is not suitable to walk, we can prayer walk through our church building. Children and strollers and are wel-come! Please contact Kimberly Tucker with any questions.

Put your change to work! This year's **My Coins Count** (formerly Penny Power) collection will benefit Mennonite Central Committee's **food** projects. Loose change, paper money and even checks (made out to: MCC) are accepted. The collection container is located in the narthex. Children and adults are invited to help sort and count coins at the PA Relief Sale on April 6-7 at the Farm Show complex in Harrisburg. ~ *Kimberly Tucker, MCC Advocate*

Congregational Council: We will be having a brief Congregational Council meeting at the beginning of Sunday School on March 18, at 9:00. The intention is to consume only as little time as necessary with the hopes that Sunday School will still occur. The central topics are address-ing personnel items like our representatives to Regional Conference and General Assembly. We would also like to affirm Susan Hatch as the head of Congregational Life ministries. More information to follow.

Gift Baskets We will be distributing 175 gift baskets from the church to the addresses in closest proximity to the church after the service on March 25. Please plan on participating in this opportunity to give public expression to our faith.