



DILLSBURG BRETHREN IN CHRIST

a river of hope and healing . . .

December 23, 2018
9:00 am Classes
10:30 am Worship

Preparing for Worship

Opening & Welcome

Scripture (*Psalms 25:1-11*)

Hark! The Herald Angels Sing (#159)

Lighting of the Advent Wreath

Christ's Birthday Offering

Prayers of the Community

Away in a Manger (#144)

Invitation to Give

Making a Beautiful Christmas:
Beauty and Delight (*Matt. 2:1-12*)

Choral Ministry

Choral Blessing: *And the Glory of the Lord*

Prayer & Closing

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.

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 (k-grade 2) meets in the class across from the men's restroom and Junior Church (grades 3-5) will be meeting in Room 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 **no Sunday School classes** for children or adults on December 30.

There is a need for **teachers for the K-5 Sunday School** class beginning in January. Are you available one Sunday a month to help these children grow in their faith? Contact Emily (children@dillsburgbic.org).

Christmas Eve services will be held at 7:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m. on Monday, December 24. At DBiC we value variety in worship styles. We typically express this by blending styles together in our services. This year's Christmas Eve services will be more distinct than usual. The 7:00 service will be more traditional and will include communion. The 9:00 service will be more contemporary in style. Come to whichever fits your schedule or style, or feel free to come to both!

2019 Offering envelopes have been distributed. If you don't currently have offering envelopes but would like to use them next year, please contact the office (office@dillsburgbic.org or 717-432-3847).

Old Christmas Cards? When clearing out your old Christmas Cards, please think about donating them for reuse to Karen Deyhle, missionary in India. She makes new cards with them or booklets for sharing the gospel in India at Christmas. Jaylene Shannon will be collecting them for Karen from our church. If you want to see a sample booklet, Jaylene will be glad to show you one. Thanks for your help!

Food, Fun, and Fellowship Here's your chance to get to know those who sit in the pew next to you. Crazy 8's is a ministry designed to bring our church body together while reaching out to our community. Participants are placed on a schedule to enjoy meals with 3 other couples/singles 3 times throughout the year. The host is encouraged to invite someone who does not attend our church to your meal as well. You may indicate if you would like to be a host. In most cases, children are welcome to attend the meal, too! New schedules will be placed in mailboxes in January. If interested, please find the sign up sheet on the bulletin board in the foyer and if you have any questions contact Grace Horton.



Poinsettias were placed...

In Memory of...

•Eddy Robinson	by Jeff & Lois Conrady
•Thelma Conrady	by Jeff & Lois Conrady
•Mary Ann Engle	by Nevin Engle
•Samuel & Sarah Oldham	by Helen Leach
•Howard & Elaine May	by Julie May
•Jan Kevern	by Julie May
•Bennie & Ruth Fadenrecht	by Dwight & Annabeth Rotz
•Irene Spurrier	by Jim & Faithe Spurrier
•Ruth & Eber Dourte	by Jim & Faithe Spurrier
•Larry & Mary Keyser	by Ed & Marj Strayer
•Charles & Margaret Strayer	by Ed & Marj Strayer

In Honor of...

•J-Lynn & Harriet Conrady	by Jeff & Lois Conrady
•Wanema Green	by Jeff & Lois Conrady
•Sharon & Preston Brandt	by Poppy & Nana Klick
•Jacob, Sophia & Samantha	by Poppy & Nana Klick
•Jim & Faithe Spurrier	by Jason & Naomi Smith
•Ed & Marj Strayer	by Marilyn Smith
•The Lord Jesus Christ	by Ed & Marj Strayer
•Sherry Eyster	by her Secret Sister
•Eleanor Poe	by her Secret Sister

Please take your poinsettia home either today or Christmas Eve.

White poinsettias go to Jeff & Lois Conrady (2), Sherry Eyster (1), Helen Leach (1), and Jim & Faithe Spurrier (1).

Everyone else, please choose a red poinsettia.



Calendar Notes

Dec. 23, 2018 through Jan. 6, 2019

Today	9:00 a.m.	Christmas Carol Sing (Sanctuary)
	10:30 a.m.	Worship
Monday 24 th	7:00 p.m.	Christmas Eve Service
	9:00 p.m.	Christmas Eve Service
Wednesday 26 th		No Activities
Sunday 30 th	9:00 a.m.	No Sunday School
	10:30 a.m.	Worship
Wednesday 2 nd	6:30 p.m.	Intercessory Prayer and Praise
	6:30 p.m.	Thrive
		Note: No Faith Finders tonight
Sunday 6 th	9:00 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:30 a.m.	Worship

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