



DILLSBURG BIC CHURCH

GROWING DEEP REACHING FAR

December 22, 2019 - 9:00 Classes 10:30 Worship

Preparing for Worship

Opening and Welcome

Lighting of the Advent Wreath

Christ's Birthday Offering

Angels We Have Heard on High #137

Prayers of the Community

Invitation to Give

O Little Town of Bethlehem #138

Message - I Wonder as I Wander: The Questions of Advent
Luke 1:39-45

Choral Ministry

Postlude

This Week: Dec. 22 - 29, 2019

Today:

9:00 am Classes

10:30 am Worship

Tuesday 24th

7:00 pm Christmas Eve Service

Saturday 28th

8:00 am Work Day

9:00 am Prayer Walking

Sunday 29th

NO classes

10:30 am Worship

Looking Ahead:

Dec. 31, 7:30 pm Game Night

Jan. 8, Regular Wed. evening

Activities resume

Please visit the Connection Center in the lobby, where you can find more information and a gift for guests!

I WOULD LIKE:

___ to talk to someone about what it means to follow Jesus ___ to learn about ways to serve or help within DBiC
___ information about ways to connect with a small group ___ other: _____

QUESTIONS/COMMENTS/PRAYER REQUESTS

Please provide your name and address on the reverse side in case we need to contact you.

___ This is a confidential prayer request
___ Please send to the email prayer chain

Work Day Saturday, December 28th 8:00 am to Noon. Projects include 23 W York Street repairs/painting and light repairs in the church. Work day is being sponsored by Thrivent Action Teams.

David & Patti Miller will be with us for the worship service on December 29 and will bring greetings and an update about their church plant in Quebec. David served on our pastoral staff for a number of years in the 1990s, and two of their children still live in Pennsylvania. Mary Hulbert is his mother.

Attention all post-high school ladies: If you have not received your personalized Secret Pal Dinner invitation yet, please see Nina Hoover, Sue Lawver, or Susan Hatch and they will be happy to give you one. RSVP's need to be turned in no later than January 15, 2020.

Can you help in the nursery next year? We are in need of someone to serve in the baby nursery during worship service on the first Sunday of every other month, beginning Jan. 5. We also need someone to fill a slot during the Sunday School hour on the second week of each month. Please contact Patty if you can help in this way. Thank you!

Announcements for the January 5 bulletin need to be in the church office by 9 am tomorrow (Dec. 23). Announcements received after that will be included in the "DBIC this week" email on January 3.

Welcome Guests To better connect with you we encourage you to complete a Connection Card tear-off. You may drop it in the offering plate OR bring it to Connection Center in the lobby so that we can greet you and give you a welcome packet.

The nursery is not staffed today so that everyone may enjoy the Christmas worship service. It is open for use by parents who need it. In addition, there will be **NO Cherub or Junior Church today**.

Calendar Note: The church office will be closing at 1 pm on Monday, December 23 for an extended holiday break and will reopen at 9 am on Monday, January 6, 2020. The email will be checked periodically and you may contact the pastors directly as needs arise.

In case of inclement weather, the policy of DBIC is to cancel any morning activities if Northern York School District is on a 2-hour delay. This would not impact afternoon and evening activities. All activities will be canceled if the district is closed for the day or dismisses early due to the weather. If there are activities on the weekends or days when school is not in session, please check for radio and TV (ABC27) announcements or our website (www.dillsburgbic.org) for information regarding closures.

Plan to join us in prayer walking Saturday, December 28 at 9:00 a.m.. Our plan is to walk and pray through neighborhoods in Dillsburg. If the weather is not suitable to walk, we can prayer walk through our church building. Children and strollers are welcome! Questions? Contact Kimberly.

Funeral Services for Mary Long (John Long's mother) will be held at 10 a.m. on Saturday, December 28th at the Grantham Church. Visitation will begin at 9 a.m.

The Doulos, our church newsletter, needs writers for the New Year! If you are interested in writing a cover story to share a personal, inspirational story or testimony, please contact Carolyn Kimmel.

Do you have a prayer request?

Would you like:

To receive emailed prayer requests?

To receive the weekly DBIC email?

A church mailbox?

Offering envelopes?

Use the tear-off flap to share your need with the church staff! You can also contact us using the info below.

Statistical Notes as of
December 15, 2019

Attendance: Worship 273

Giving:

Worship \$9,590.00

Debt reduction \$650.00

David Miller family \$40.00

Year to Date:

General Fund Budget \$449,038.46

General Fund Giving \$472,300.09

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Connection Card

Date: Dec. 22, 2019

Full Name - Mr. | Mrs. | Ms. _____

Children: include age/grade _____

Full Name - Mr. | Mrs. | Ms. _____

___ First Time Guest(s) ___

Returning Guest(s) ___

Regular Attender(s) _____

Emergency # for child(ren) in Cherub or Junior church _____

If you are new or need to update your contact information in our database, please complete the following:

Address _____

Phone 1. _____ Email 1. _____ Y | N I would like to receive the DBIC weekly email.

Phone 2. _____ Email 2. _____ Y | N I would like to receive the DBIC weekly email.