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DILLSBURG BIC CHURCH
GROWING DEEP REACHING FAR

January 1, 2023 - 10:00 Worship

Preparing for Worship

Opening and Welcome

Scripture: John 17:20-26

Angels from the Realms of Glory #140

Prayers of the Community

Gift of Music

Prayer of Thanksgiving

O Little Town of Bethlehem #138

Message: Flipping Christmas
Exodus 33:12-23

Songs of Worship

Wesley's Covenant Service

Prayer & Closing

Postlude

There will be individuals available to pray with you at the front of the sanctuary following worship.

The church nursery will be **open but not staffed** today and so that our nursery workers can be present with their families.

Share your story! Has God been working in your life in a special way, speaking into your spirit about something in particular or answering prayers in unexpected or wondrous ways? Consider sharing your experience in a Doulos cover story. It's a wonderful way for us to encourage each other with testimonies of grace and mercy on our personal journeys that can inspire and uplift others. Please contact Carolyn Kimmel at carolynkimmel@comcast.net if you're interested.

Offering Envelopes: Offering envelopes for 2023 have been distributed. Using offering envelopes helps the ushers and the financial secretary to ensure accuracy in our recordkeeping. If you have not used envelopes in the past and would like a box, or if you had envelopes this year but no longer want them, please let Kathy know (office@dillsburgbic.org or 717-432-3847).

In case of inclement weather, the policy of DBIC is to cancel any in-person morning activities if Northern York School District is on a 2-hour delay. This would not impact afternoon and evening activities. All in-person 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.

Join us for our first Corner Life of 2023 this Wednesday!

Come to the Fellowship Hall for a delicious free meal served from 5:00-5:45 p.m. Everyone is welcome to linger after the meal for songs and activities for all ages including Thrive youth group which will begin at 6:15 pm.

You are invited to... Shine! Starting on Wednesday, January 11, all elementary-aged kids (K-5th grade) are invited to join us on Wednesday evenings from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. We will meet Bible characters, sing songs, play games, make crafts, enjoy snacks, and more. We hope to see you there!

Welcome Guests! To better connect with you we encourage you to email us at connect@dillsburgbic.org.

COVID-19 precautions: Masks are not required during worship in the Fellowship Hall or in the Sanctuary but you should feel free to wear one. Masks ARE required for everyone in the basement on Sunday mornings. Hand sanitizer is available throughout the church. Please continue to be extra-attentive and sensitive to others' personal space. Offering plates will not be passed but have been placed in each worship space to receive your offering.

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?

You can contact us by email at connect@dillsburgbic.org, or by using the individual contact info below.

This Week's Prayer Focus:

Luz, Alegria y Esperanza BIC

(York Springs PA),

Macha Sport and Learning Project

(Zambia)

Steve & Bonnie Westberry (Bronx NY),

New Hope Ministries.

Financial Notes December 25, 2022

Offering:

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| Worship | \$ | 22,707.00 |
| Christ's Birthday Offering | \$ | 7,050.00 |

Year-to-Date Statistics:

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| General Fund Budget | \$ | 530,000.00 |
| General Fund Giving | \$ | 523,785.96 |
| Christ's Birthday Offering | \$ | 28,362.82 |

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This Week's Calendar

Wednesday

5:00 pm Corner Life

6:15 pm Thrive

6:30 pm Sharing and Prayer Time (in-person and Zoom)

Thursday

6:30 pm Fresh Hope meeting

7:30 pm Prayer Meeting (Zoom)

Next Sunday

9:00 am Sunday School classes

10:00 am Worship Service