

Notes to myself . . .



**DILLSBURG BIC CHURCH**

**GROWING DEEP REACHING FAR**

January 22, 2023 - 10:00 Worship

Preparing for Worship

Opening and Welcome

Scripture: Isaiah 40:28-31

Come, Christians, Join to Sing #1

Sanctity of Life Moment

Prayers of the Community

Children's Time

Gift of Music

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Fairest Lord Jesus #114

Message: Joy to the World—Living a Life of Christmas Joy

1 Peter 1:3-9

Songs of Worship

Prayer & Closing

Postlude

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

**The church nursery is open** during the 10:00 a.m. worship services for children ages 0-4 (any kids not yet in kindergarten). You can sign in your children in the nursery room (next to the library) and pick them up after the service.

**The Spring Ladies' Bible study** starts this Wednesday at 9:00 a.m. Joins us as Emily Wingert leads us through "The Wellness Revolution", where we are invited to lose what weighs us down so we can love God, ourselves, and others.

**Perspectives on the World Christian Movement** is being offered in person this year at West Shore Free Church, very near to us. Classes begin Thursday evening, January 26, and run from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. until early April. Students are permitted to attend the introductory session on January 26 and the class on February 2 free of charge in order to check it out. Register online at [www.perspectives.org](http://www.perspectives.org), or contact Joy Nixon (717-512-3759 or [alegria555@comcast.net](mailto:alegria555@comcast.net)).

Additional **Gratitude Journals** have been ordered. If you haven't received or requested one already and would like one, please contact the office (717-432-3847 or [office@dillsburgbic.org](mailto:office@dillsburgbic.org)).

**Congregational Council meeting:** Our annual congregational council meeting will be held on February 4. We will share a potluck breakfast beginning at 8:30 a.m., and the meeting will begin at 9:15 a.m. Suggested contributions for the breakfast are as follows: If your last name begins with: A - L Fruit, M - S Pastry, T - Z Breakfast Casserole. Coffee, juice, paper products and utensils will be provided. Everyone is welcome to attend, regardless of membership status. Please mark your calendars and plan to join us.

**From New Hope Ministries:** A large number of New Hope Guests ask if we could offer tutoring for their children. We are looking for volunteers to tutor Elementary and/ or Middle School Students to start an agency wide free after school tutoring program. Full details are listed in the DBIC this week email. If you have any questions or are interested in volunteering for this program, please email or call Gina Staton, our Youth Program Manager ([gstaton@nhm-pa.net](mailto:gstaton@nhm-pa.net) or 717-443-9935).

**Welcome Guests!** To better connect with you we encourage you to email us at [connect@dillsburgbic.org](mailto: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](mailto:connect@dillsburgbic.org), or by using the individual contact info below.

### **This Week's Prayer Focus:**

.Matt & Julie Walsh (Western Africa),  
Bruce & Merly Bundy (Spain),  
Tony & Veronica Beers (Zambia),  
Family Promise

### **Financial Notes January 15, 2023**

Offering:	
Worship	\$ 3,055.00
Deacons	\$ 30.00
Year-to-Date Statistics	
General Fund Budget	\$ 31,298.08
General Fund Giving	\$ 19,679.00

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### **This Week's Calendar**

#### **Tuesday**

7:00 pm Ladies' Bible Study (Zoom)

#### **Wednesday**

9:00 am Ladies' Bible Study  
6:00 pm Thrive  
6:30 pm Shine  
6:30 pm Sharing and Prayer Time (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