Notes to myself . . .



Preparing for Worship

Opening & Welcome

Scripture: Psalm 133

Songs of Worship

Prayers of the Community

Children's Time

Prayer of Thanksgiving

My Jesus, I Love Thee #448

Message: Transforming Friendship John 15:1-17

Celebration of Communion

What A Friend We Have in Jesus #452

Prayer & Closing

Postlude

The church nursery is open during the 10:00 a.m. worship service 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.

Wednesday Women's Bible Study: This gathering will resume this Wednesday, Jan. 17, at 9:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. We will journey through a seven-week study called "When You Pray," which explores six different prayers in the Bible. Contact Pastor Naomi for more details, and join us as we offer our praise, lament, thanksgiving and intercession to God.

Our first Corner Life meal of 2024 will be this Wednesday, January 17. If you would like to help with serving the meal or cleaning up afterwards, you can sign up at https://www.dillsburgbic.org/corner-life/

Our church will be hosting families from Family Promise starting on January 21st through the 28th. If you are interested in participating in this weeklong event, there are various ways in which you can help. First, we need people willing to serve as evening and overnight hosts. Next, we will be making the evening meals for these families. Lastly, we need to provide food for breakfast and lunch. Descriptions of each role with further information can be found on the sign-up genius pages which are available at https://www.dillsburgbic.org/family-promise/ For any other question, feel free to contact Scott and Cindy Raboci at (717)432-9140 or sraboci@yahoo.com. Thank you in advance for blessing so many families!

Save the Date! Our Annual Congregational Council meeting will take place on Saturday, February 10. This is where we elect members of Leadership Council and approve the 2024 budget and other recommendations of Leadership Council. The meeting is open to everyone who attends DBIC, although voting is restricted to members. We will start with a potluck breakfast at 8:30 a.m. and the meeting will begin at 9:15 a.m. Watch for more details!!

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 inperson 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 our website, www.dillsburgbic.org, for information regarding closures.

Our New Hope Ministries donation item for January will be facial tissues (i.e. Kleenex). You can place your donations in the New Hope boxes located in the parking lot entry and under the coat racks outside of the church office.

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

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.

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This Week's Prayer Focus:

Jay & Judy Smith (US/Global); A & TW (Sensitive Location); Paxton Ministries, Peace Promise

Financial Notes January 7, 2024

Offering:

Worship	\$ 11,223.00
Deacons	\$ 30.00
Christ's Birthday Offering	\$ 1,110.00

Year-to-Date Statistics:

General Fund Budget	\$ 10,545.29
General Fund Giving	\$ 11,223.00
YTD Christ's Birthday	\$ 24,208.00
2023 General Fund Giving	\$ 552,942.84

This Week's Calendar

Today

12:00 pm LC/MC/Staff Discipleship Meeting

Tuesdav

6:30 pm Ladies' Secret Pal Dinner

Wednesday

5:30 pm Corner Life Meal

6:30 pm Sharing and Prayer (Zoom)

6:30 pm Shine

6:30 pm Thrive

Thursday

5:30 pm Martin Brass Rehearsal

6:30 pm Leadership Council (FH)

6:30 pm Fresh Hope (Orange Room)

7:30 pm Zoom Prayer

Next Sunday

9:00 am Sunday School classes 10:00 am Worship Service Family Promise Hosting begins