

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.

### Welcome Guests!

To better connect with you,  
we encourage you to email us at  
[connect@dillsburgbic.org](mailto:connect@dillsburgbic.org).

Do you have a prayer request?

Would you like:

To receive emailed prayer  
requests?

To receive the weekly DBIC  
email?

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### This Week's Prayer Focus:

Refugees and persecuted Christians;

Dave and Joyce Jones

(training emerging leaders in Uganda);

Collaboratory at Messiah University;

Northern York County School District.

### Statistical Notes November 16, 2025

Attendance: 152 in-person/49 online

#### Offering:

Worship \$ 5,530.00

Deacons \$ 3,000.00

#### Y-T-D Statistics:

General Fund Budget \$ 503,700.00

General Fund Giving \$ 483,122.28

### This Week's Calendar

All Week: Family Promise Hosting

#### Today

2:00 pm Christmas Choir rehearsal

#### Wednesday

9:00 am Ladies' Bible Study

6:30 pm Shine

6:30 pm Thrive

6:30 pm Sharing and Prayer (Zoom)

#### Thursday

6:30 pm Fresh Hope

7:30 pm Zoom Prayer

#### Next Sunday

9:00 am Sunday School

10:00 am Worship

2:00 pm Christmas Choir rehearsal



# DILLSBURG BIC CHURCH

GROWING DEEP REACHING FAR

November 30, 2025 - 10:00 Worship

Preparing for Worship

Opening & Welcome

Lighting of the Advent Wreath

O Come, O Come, Emmanuel #129

Prayers of the Community

Children's Time

Gift of Music

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Of the Father's Love Begotten #130

Message: Waiting for the Light  
John 1:1-5

Songs of Worship

Prayer and Closing

Postlude

**Each year New Hope has an event which is called the "Christmas Blessings Express".** Eligible guests of New Hope will be able to "shop" at the Center for unwrapped gifts for the whole family. If the guests desire, there will be volunteers on hand there to wrap the gifts for them. All gift-wrapping supplies are donated, also. If you would like to participate and can purchase a new gift for this event you will see the "Blessings Tree" in the Narthex which has "light bulbs" with needed items designated. Please take one, purchase the item designated and place it UNWRAPPED in the New Hope container beside the tree. (You are also welcome to purchase any item that you think would be nice to receive.) All gifts are **due by Dec 7**. May you be blessed as you shop and give!!

**Senior Center update:** Thanks SO much to all who participated in the Dillsburg Senior Center fund raiser at Hoss's by eating there on November 13!! The total of the meals purchased was \$1791.67 which qualified the Center for 25% of that amount. Hoss's presented the Center with a check for \$447.91! Your support is greatly appreciated and benefitted all who frequent the Senior Center.

**New Hope news:** On Tuesday, December 2, 2025, The Metzler Family Foundation will MATCH dollar-for-dollar the first \$25,000 in financial gifts received for New Hope Ministries! Please consider making a generous gift on #GivingTuesday – your giving will be multiplied!

**Joy to the Burg:** Last week **Tim Lyne** shared information about a project of area musicians to raise funds to help those experiencing homelessness in the Harrisburg area. If you would like more information, it is available at <https://www.joytotheburg.com/>

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