

PLEASANT VALLEY  
CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN  
WEYERS CAVE, VIRGINIA

8:45 AM November 20, 2011

**Gathering**

**Welcome**

**Life of the Church**

**Call to Worship**

**Songs of Praise**

**Prayer Concerns**

**Preparation for Prayer**

**Prayer**

**Text**

**Offertory**

**Message** Pastor Fike

**Handbells** Blessed Jesus at Thy Word

**Response**

PROCLAIMING THE GOOD NEWS  
BY BEING  
CHRIST IN THE WORLD

11:00 AM November 20, 2011

**Prelude**

**Welcome**

**Life of the church**

**Call to Worship** Sing to the Lord a New Song Joseph Haydn  
A setting of Psalm 96 arr. Hal Hopson

**Invocation**

**\*Hymn** Praise the Lord, sing hallelujah 50

**Handbells** Blessed Jesus at Thy Word

**Reception of members**

**Anthem** The Time for Turning  
 “The leaf turns from its clinging and falls upon the ground. The flower  
 turns from blooming to slumber in the snow.

And so to all a season, a time for letting go.”

Pamela Martin/Craig Courtney

**Giving our tithes and offerings**

Offertory Hallelujah (From *Mount of Olives*) L.Beethoven

Prayer

**\*Hymn** Sing to the Lord of harvest 98

**Scripture**

**Message** Pastor Fike

**Response** O Praise the Lord, With Heart and Voice

(From *The Creation*) Joseph Haydn

**\*Hymn** Joyful, joyful, we adore thee 71

**\*Benediction**

**\*Postlude**

(\*Those who are able are invited to stand.)



### Senior High Youth Meeting

TONIGHT, Nov. 20, 6:30-8:00 at church

The next **Junior High Meeting** will be Tuesday, November 29

**Junior High Lockin** will be December 2-3. See Steve for forms/info.



**UNWRAPPED gifts for Kingsway Prison Ministries are due to church by December 4th! Tape your apple to the gift. THANKS**

Clean-Up Buckets: \$442.50 Children's money jug  
\$295.00 Donations  
\$600.00 Potato Bar



After supplies are purchased a date to assemble the buckets will be announced.

The Clymore Elementary School faculty and staff will provide a no cost meal to the families of their students in December. If you are able to support this outreach by donating any of the following (gift certificates to local grocery stores, heavy duty paper plates, seasonal napkins & cups, bottled water, iced tea, coffee, juice boxes, monetary donations, plastic forks, knives, spoons, seasonal decorations) or would like more information, please contact Miranda Ball at mball@augusta.k12.va.us or 245-5043.



### Upward Basketball early registration closes on **December 1:**

there are registration brochures available in the narthex. This sports outreach ministry is a worldwide program that is moving into our area with the support of several local churches. If you are interested in becoming a coach or referee (no experience required), please see Anna Manikus or Don Landes for more information, or call Suanne Scrogam at 363-2653.

### **Pleasant Valley Church of the Brethren**

91 Valley Church Road, Weyers Cave, VA 24486  
(540) 234-9921

Matthew Fike, Pastor

Steve Spire, Associate Pastor of Children & Youth Ministries

David Tate, Director of Music

Saul Rodriguez, Director/Accompanist Contemporary Service

Phil Roberts, Accompanist

### Our Church Today

8:45 am Worship  
9:50 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Worship  
All Church Lunch & Decorating  
4:00 pm Christmas play practice-speaking parts only  
6:30-8 pm Senior High Youth at church  
7:00 pm Community Thanksgiving Service at Weyers Cave United Methodist Church



The flowers in the sanctuary today are given by Teri Sumey in loving memory of **Randy Sumey** and **Bill Ritchie** in remembrance of their birthdays.

### Our Church this Week

**Monday** Church Office closed  
**Tuesday** Deadline for December newsletter  
Deadline for bulletin announcements  
**Wednesday** Praise Team  
8:00 pm  
**Thursday** **Thanksgiving**  
**Friday** AA  
8:00 pm  
**Saturday**

### Next Sunday

8:45 am Worship  
9:50 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Worship

### Last Sunday

**Attendance:** Worship: 208 Sunday School: 116  
**Offering:** \$5,329.00 (Envelopes & Loose)  
\$ 450.00 (rent)  
\$ 78.00 (Bible study books)  
2011 Weekly Budget Needs: \$ 6,191.00  
2011 *Budget Deficit:* \$9,939.87



Bill Hall Williams Whetzel  
 Alice Roadcap  
 Amanda Tomlinson Armstrong



All Church Christmas Decorating Time  
**TODAY** Right after worship  
 We will take a little time to eat lunch together and then decorate the church. Each Sunday school class is responsible for decorating its assigned areas.

Christmas play practice Sundays at 4 PM  
 Only speaking parts during the month of November...  
 No rehearsal on November 27th!



Community Thanksgiving Service  
**TODAY**, 7:00 pm  
 at Weyers Cave United Methodist Church  
 Speaker: Brad McMullen



Our Sincere Sympathy to

the family of  
**Clara Roadcap Miller**  
 who passed away on  
 November 15, 2011.



**Attention Literacy Tutors and Aides!**

There will be a meeting on Tuesday,  
 November 29th at 7:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall.

The purpose of the meeting is to set up the tutoring schedule for the Adult English classes running from January 9-April 2. Please contact Donna Tutwiler, Martha Carper, or Carol Wilson if you cannot attend.

We're excited to begin this part of the Karis project.



Dorcas Circle Christmas Luncheon  
 & December Meeting  
 Thursday, December 1st at 12 noon  
 in the Fellowship Hall

Both Christmas and New Year's are on a Sunday this year. Each day, there will be a single combined worship service at 10:30 am with no Sunday School.

As approved at the October 9th Congregational Business Meeting, the cost of cemetery lots will increase effective January 1, 2012. Lots may be purchased at the old price, \$300 for 4 sites, until that date. Lots are available to church members, regular attendees, and their families. If interested, please call Eddie Meyerhoeffer, Ronnie Ritchie, or Harry Houff.



**Dorcas Circle is collecting needed items for First Step through December 16 in the Parlor. Detailed list of items is on table in narthex.**



Karis is looking for donations of CDs and DVDs to sell in the store. Please bring them to the Karis store.

**Collecting WRAPPED gifts in the parlor for Western State through December 13. List of needed items is on table in narthex.**



Mary Baldwin College choirs will perform a concert of Christmas music December 1 at 7:30 pm in the sanctuary of the St. Francis Catholic church in Staunton.

The College Choir is conducted by David Tate. The concert is free and open to the public.



If you would like to remember someone special at Christmas with a poinsettia, please place your order at the table in the narthex **TODAY, November 27** or place your order form and check in the church office before November 30. Poinsettias are \$7.00. Make checks payable to PVCOB.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

Ready to volunteer for a life changing week (or day) of service? Our Disaster Ministries Team still could use some willing workers to go to **Pulaski, VA**, and continue rebuilding homes in the area damaged by the tornado earlier this year. The team will be working in Pulaski from December 4-10. Volunteers may sign up for the full week or take advantage of a daily bus connection from the District Office. Call Warren Rodeffer at 540-471-7738.

This is the last trip for 2011.

It's that time of year again - the Worship focus team is looking for folks to serve in the usher, soundboard, and audiovisual ministries. Please contact Rhonda Harris, Lynda Sheffer, or Jon Garber if you're interested in those ministries. Also, if you are currently serving in those ministries, please advise a member of the focus team if you don't wish to be included in next year's schedule.

