### PLEASANT VALLEY CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN



#### GROWING TOGETHER IN CHRIST'S SPIRIT

10:30 AM JANUARY 5, 2020

**Gathering Music** 

Call to Worship

\*Song of Praise

Holy Spirit

Life of the Church

**Deacon Consecration** 

**Affirmation of Congregation** (Unison)

In God's joy and hope, we welcome you as Deacons in our congregation. We promise to pray for you and join with you in service. May God lead us in trust, encouragement, cooperation, and prayer. Together, may we more fully share the love of God.

**In Prayer Together** 

**Hymn** Come, Let Us All Unite to Sing

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**Children's Time** 

**Sharing Our Gifts** 

**Offertory Invitation** 

Offertory

\*Hymn Take My Life (verses 1,2,3,6)

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**Prayer of Dedication** 

continued

**Scripture Reading** Philippians 1:1-11

**Sermon** The Good Beginning

**Scripture Reading** Matthew 26:26-29

Celebration of Bread and Cup

**Receiving the Bread** 

All: This bread we break is the communion

of the body of Christ.

**Receiving the Cup** 

All: This cup we bless is the communion of Christ's blood poured out for many.

**Prayer of Thanksgiving** (Unison)

Lord, as you have given, may we receive,

for the renewal of our souls,

the renewal of your love,

the coming of your healing in the earth.

May we never take it for granted,

but receive it new each day,

as fresh nourishment for our souls.

Remind us, that this is not our church,

but that we are your church. Amen

\*Hymn You Are Salt for the Earth

\*Benediction

\*Postlude

Alan Tunucci - Guest Pianist
Michael Scrogham - Director of Contemporary Music
David Tate - Director of Music
Rebecca House - Worship Leader
Daniel House - Preacher

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Pat Harrold Martha Stout Millard Driver John Childs Karen Meyerhoeffer Alden Wilson Karen Wyrick

Sue Whisman, mother of Matt Whisman

The Journeymen Adult Sunday School class is starting a new video based curriculum titled "It's not supposed to be this way" by Lysa Terkeurst and would like to invite anyone who is interested to join them during the Sunday School hour! This class meets on the main floor of the church in the parlor/conference room by the fellowship hall. This study will begin on today, January 5th, but if you want to join at a later time they would love to have you! Questions, contact Lauren Carper at 540-908-1229.

# Changes in church schedule and cancellations due to inclement weather will be reported on WHSV - Channel 3.

#### BackPack Pals



Packing will resume
(downstairs on Wednesdays at 5:30 pm)
on January 8th for all who can help. Place
your donations of pudding cups and ramen
noodles in the blue bin in the narthex.
Questions? See Barbara Glovier

#### Pastor Rebercca will be out of the office January 7-9th attending the Clergywomen's Retreat in Arizonia.

January is Equal Exchange coffee ordering month. Order

forms are on the bulletin board in the narthex.

Place completed form in box # 129.

Orders will be received through Sunday,

January 19th. Thanks,

Sharon and Ron Reich



## Family Activity

January 17th 5:30 - 7:30 pm Simple Dinner provided



2465 Lee Highway Mt. Sidney, VA 24467 (540) 248-4511

Open: Thursday-Friday: 10am-5pm & Saturday: 10 am - 4 pm
Stop by and visit, browse and shop; enjoy lunch in the café (served until 2 pm)

### The Upper Room - January-February, 2020 devotional guides are now available on the table by the east entrance.



Get your hightops and Jordans laced back up! Pleasant Valley is starting something new for 2020......an Adult Men's Basketball Team. Games will be played twice (2x) a week from March through May at Eastern Mennonite High School. If interested, please contact

James Hall by February 1st, 2020 at the following <a href="mailto:jehall8084@gmail.com">jehall8084@gmail.com</a> or call/text (540) 569-6263.

#### Raising the Roof: Widening Our Wings

Our building project **pledges** and **donations** are coming in! There is a poster in the narthex which shows our giving thus far. Be sure to check it out each Sunday. **Donations may be mailed to the church office or placed in the pew envelopes and then put in the offering plate on any Sunday. Actual donations can be turned in from now through January 31, 2020. Donations as of December 29, 2019 are \$122,880.** 



The new year is an opportunity

to sort out the useless tasks and plan for the important;

to review the failures and resolve to be successful;

to take an inventory of causes and pledge life to purpose and service.

These being done, the new will truly be new, different and better.

—C. Neil Strait



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

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Rebecca House, Youth Pastor (540) 430-2089
Anne Bowman, Administrative Assistant
David Tate, Director of Music
Jeremiah Padilla, Pianist/Organist
Michael Scrogham, Director of Contemporary Music

#### **Our Church Today**

9:30 am Sunday School
10:30 am Combined Worship

December Meeting and I

Deacons Meeting and Luncheon

#### **Our Church this Week**

Monday Church Office closed

Tuesday Wednesday

5:30 pm Packing for BackPack Pals, downstairs

7:00 pm Adult Choir 8:00 pm Handbell Choir 8:00 pm Praise Team

Thursday Friday

7:00 pm Prayer Group meeting for "Lydia House"

8:00 pm AA

**Saturday** 

#### **Next Sunday**

8:50 am Contemporary Worship

9:30 am Sunday School

11:00 am Traditional Worship

Church Board Retreat/ Fellowship Hall

3-5:00 pm Sunday Night Live at Bridgewater College

Carter Chapel & Indoor Pool

#### **Last Sunday**:

Attendance: Combined Worship: 80

**Offering:** \$8,283.00 (Envelopes and Loose)

\$1,750.00 (Roof)

\$ 70.00 (Cookbook sales/Youth) \$ 833.33 (Mt. View payment)

2019 Weekly Budget Needs: \$6,734