Hummel's Church

THE MESSENGER

March 2023



For as the earth
bringeth forth
her bud,
and as the garden
causeth the things
that are sown in
it to spring
forth;

so the Lord GOD
will cause
righteousness and
praise to
spring forth
before all the
nations.

Isaiah 61:11



ADULT CHOIR PRACTICE

will be held this Thursday, March 2nd at 7 pm!

OUR SAVIOR'S SERVANTS

will meet on Sunday evening, March 5th at 6:30 pm in the Yarger Fellowship Hall!

FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST

will meet Monday morning, March 6th at 8:30 am at the RISE & SHINE RESTARURANT in Mt. Pleasant Mills!

SISTERS IN CHRIST

Will meet Wednesday, March 15th at 7 pm.

PAINT PARY/YOUTH FUNDRAISER

Will be held Thursday, March 16th at 6 pm. There's a sign up sheet in the narthex!

<u>REACHING OUT MINISTRY</u>

will be having its next monthly food distribution on Saturday, March 18th from 9 am to 10:30am!! Spread the word! If you have any questions or would like to help...please see Beth or Ron Mull

MOVIE NIGHT & ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Will be held Saturday evening, March 18th at 6 pm.

FOOD COLLECTION CONTINUES

Please consider bringing in non-perishable food items here to the church so that our Reaching Out Food Ministry can distribute them. You can place the food in the food collection box in the narthex! Thank you for your help in this effort!



Get ready for the Egg Hunt!!

Please feel free to grab a bag of empty eggs from the box in the narthex and return them filled with candy for the hunt.

Helpers are needed before, during, and after the egg hunt. Please see Brenda Craven if you can help.

Start passing the word about
the egg hunt being held
Saturday, April 1st at 10 am!
It will include a puppet skit prior
to the hunt and all sorts of
games following the hunt!

Monthly Events

Our Savior's Servants meet the 1st Sunday of each month at 6:30pm!

Fellowship Breakfast held 1st Monday of each month at Rise and Shine at 9am!

Quilters Unlimited meet every 1st & 3rd Monday of each month at 6:30pm!

Prayer Team meets every 2nd & 4th Monday of each month at 7pm!

Sister's in Christ & Men's Group meet the 3rd Wednesday of each month at 7pm!

Grace Notes & Rocket Club TBA



3/3 Tammy LeValley

3/4 Tanner Fry

3/8 Lori Keister

3/10 Zachary Hackenberg

3/18 Pat Kreamer

3/19 Edna Hackenberg

3/20 Marge Smith

3/21 Leon Wagner

3/22 Joshua Jeirles

3/28 Laurie Kneller-Walter

3/29 Billy Bohm Tiffany Fry Gloria Kratzer Parker Newman

3/30 Elizabeth Jeirles





3/1 Roy & Nicole Zimmerman
3/3 Dan & Tammy LeValley
3/9 Ray & Belle Perkinson
3/11 Joel & Carolyn Hauck
3/14 Brad & Vera Brouse
3/23 Steve & Cheryl Brandt
3/29 Bruce & Brenda Craven
Donald & Norma Stahl



Recent Hospital Stays

Lorraine Conrad
Butch Kuhns
Eleanor Walter

Surgeries/Procedures

Jim Smith

Pray for our Nursing Home Residents

Guy & Edna Hackenberg....Nottingham Village
Gladys Smith....Riverwoods

Shut-Ins

Lynn Keister Jeanette Reich



Pray for our School Students and staff each day!

<u>Our College Students:</u>

Saramae Radel ... Mansfield University

~ Rest assured ~ no matter how things appear, God has whatever you're facing under control.



Our prayers and deepest sympathies go out to Francis VanKirk and Eleanor Walter on the passing of their brother, Ken Smith.

Also, please remember in prayer the families, loved ones, and friends of Violet Hummel who went home to be with our Lord and Savior.

They will be missed!

Those we love remain with us...In the whisper of the wind. In a soft rain that falls from Heaven. In each sunrise. In every single star that lights the night sky and in every single memory we hold within our hearts. "Mary Chandler Huff"

Please note: During the week, if you or someone you know needs prayer, you do not have to wait until Sunday morning to get the word out. There are a few ways you can have people immediately praying for the need you are lifting:

You can contact Scott Dreese at 570-374-9531 or dreese49@ptd.net OR, contact Leah Smith at 570-765-4804 or 570-837-1151 to add to One Call Now!

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Youth News

If you are a young person entering grade 3 and up...come join us!
We would be glad to have you!



Just some reminders...

When dropping off youth, please walk them in to the building and let the leaders know you are dropping them off and of any details that leaders should be aware of. The same goes with picking up youth, please come in and let the leaders know you are there and taking youth with you. This is for their safety and for leaders to have peace of mind knowing that they are safe!

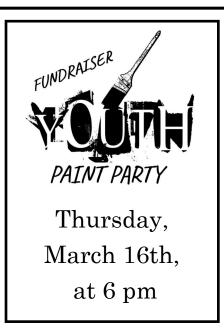
Youth Group Mission Statement

We are the future of Hummel's church, young disciples, striving toward a life-long relationship with Jesus Christ. We meet together to study God's word and pray so as not to be deceived by Satan's lies, and fellowship to encourage peers positively as we face uncertain teenage challenges. We will use our time together to learn to take the message to those we meet in our schools, community, and wherever God leads us to go.

Children's Church Memory Verse: March 2023

"David said about Him: "I saw the Lord always before me. Because He is at my right hand, I will not be shaken."

Acts 2:25





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Attention Congregation!

Did you know that the youth group is growing? While our numbers were near 10, recently, we have nearly doubled this most Tuesday evenings! We are rejoicing at this! But with this, comes responsibility. While we have been getting people to help, mostly it is parents of the youth who stay. We are thankful for all and any help, but we need YOU! Please pray and ask if God is calling you, then act and let us know when you are available. The youth sometimes relate and open up to people who aren't their parents and we long to have someone or multiple people to help. Scott will continue leading the youth, but we would like to see more Church members to be involved. We also have a need for a Jr. youth (grades 3-6) teacher—even if you can only do one a month, this also can be a job where many hands make light work. As always, if you can't help in any other way, we covet your prayers.

Upcoming events:

*Youth Group--held every Tuesday 7:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m.

Looking ahead:

*Paint Party Fundraiser -- March 16th - 6 pm
*CPYM Summer camp in Ocean City, MD (6th grade and up)--June 18th-23rd.

Stay in touch:

Like us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/hummelsyouth
Tell the office to add you to the youth one call now.
See/Text/Message/Call: Scott or Hollie Johnson



Teach us to pray

In Luke 11:1-13 (NIV), Jesus teaches about prayer.

Directions: Add or subtract the letters indicated and unscramble the letters to form a new word, using hints from the passage. Then unscramble the circled letters to answer the question below.

party
$$-t = \underbrace{\mathbf{r}}_{\mathbf{r}} \underbrace{\mathbf{r}}_{\mathbf{r}} \underbrace{\mathbf{r}}_{\mathbf{r}} (v. 1)$$

drab + e =
$$(v. 5)$$

$$rod + o = _{(v.7)}$$

bask
$$-b = _{--} _{--} _{--} (v. 9)$$

$$keeps - p = (_) _ _ _ (v. 9)$$

define
$$- ee = __(_)__ __ (v. 9)$$

$$sneaky - y =$$
 ___ _ _ _ (v. 11)



What will the Father give to those who ask of him?

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MARCH MISSION OFFERING: "Woody Wolf-Heart to Hands"



Lord, You are my easis in this desert of ceaseless distractions. Let me rest in the shade of Your calming presence. Let me feel on my face the cool breeze of Your affirming love.