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The Lord's Day

December 30, 2018

Prelude Special Music Hymn #150 Prayer Time Reading #715 Offering / Pew Pads Kids Korner Worship Music Bible Message Hymn #511 Benediction

*No Sunday School classes today...back to our regular schedule next week

*T<u>OMORROW NIGHT</u>...**6:00 p.m.** celebrate. Music. Testimony. Holy Communion. Join us for our New Year's Eve CELEBRATION. This service is an opportunity to reflect on 2018 and share a testimony from your own life.

<u>WEDNESDAY</u> - No adult or children's activities or choir. *COMMON GROUND youth <u>will</u> meet at 6:30

A word of THANKS to each person who went Christmas caroling <u>and</u> to each person who contributed music in the various Christmas music programs. This also includes those who helped with light, sound or computer! And a special tribute to Ryan Eberly and his musicians who did so much <u>preparation</u> for BEHOLD THE LAMB OF GOD. We will carry the blessing of your music with us into the new year!

Last Week			
Attendance		259	
General	\$	8,196.50	
Missions	\$	2,999.00	
Building Fund	\$	1,998.00	
Sunday School	\$	166.00	

WELCOME TEAM

- Dec. 30 Jim Hart
- Jan. 6 Tom & Christopher Keely
- Jan. 13 Ben & Brock Widder
- Jan. 20 Scott Garling Family
- Jan. 27 Gary & Grant Murray

Dec. - First Service Ushers Bob Stoner - Head Usher Perry Norris Gene Weagley Ed Tracey Sean Tracey

The Altar Flowers are from Keith & Cindy Leckron in memory of their daughter, Melissa



Pastor:

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	This Week	Next Week
1 st Nursery	Lauren Elliott & Becky Sipes	Ressler Family
2 nd Nursery	Combined service	Cindy Rawley
Acolyte	EJ Fleming 1 st	TBD
Greeters	Guy & Gladys Fritz	Sean & Tara Tracey Family
Prelude	Daphne Murray	Leta Sipes

JANUARY SERMON SERIES

The sins of our culture are often egregious and outrageous. We feel angry and justified in our anger. In our pride we feel that we must compare quite well against "such sinners". But God does not share that view. All sin is offensive to him. He is holy. The Old Testament prophets often addressed this issue of condemning the community or world but ignoring our own self. They often described God's coming judgment, not only to "other nations" but upon ourselves. During January, the Sunday sermons will address this issue of personal humility and self examination.

"<u>PERILOUS TIMES"</u> Jan 6 - I Will Not Turn Back My Wrath (Amos) Jan 13 - Prepare To Meet Your God (Amos) Jan 20 - Rip Your Heart (Joel)

Jan 27 - The Lord ROARS (Joel)

Please check your church mail box for Christmas cards, 2019 offering envelopes, and the 2019 Greeter Schedules.





CHURCH DIRECTORY

We haven't forgotten that we took pictures earlier this year. We will be printing the photo directories very soon. If you didn't submit a picture earlier, this is your last call to be included. Please submit your photo as a

pdf file to <u>facility@greencastleub.org</u>. A photo directory will help people to recognize their church family and put a name with a face.

Building Fundraiser

Show your support for Otterbein United Brethren In Christ Church by purchasing a bookmark



featuring a picture of the church's congregation. \$3/per bookmark. These would make a great stocking stuffer or to give with a book. Contact Lori Webb @ (717) 369–9971.



2019 Signup Sheets for the **Nursery Volunteers** and **Altar Flow**ers are on the lower lobby desk.

Please contact the church office if you don't currently have offering envelopes, but would like to have them for tax reporting for 2019, or if you would like to have a church mailbox. (717) 597-8525



2018 Tax Letters The 2018 Tax Letters will be sent in mid-January.

HA HA. The small boy was standing near the escalator watching the moving handrail with great fascination. "Something wrong, son?" inquired a man walking past. "Nope," replied the boy. "Just waiting for my chewing gum to get back!"