

Otterbein United Brethren in Christ Church



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A Church That
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THE LORD'S DAY

March 12, 2023

Prelude
"Alleluia" (91)
Prayer (screen)
EXAMINE YOURSELVES ...
Worship Music
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"O How He Loves" (513)
HOLY COMMUNION
"God Be With You" (602)

*Children's church (9:00 and 11:10)

*Unto the King
eternal
immortal
invisible
all knowing God
be honor
and glory
forever.
(I Timothy 1:17)*

WE COME TODAY to lift our voices unto God AND to listen for his voice unto us. To examine his love for us AND to examine our love for him. To give unto him the gift of our selves AND to receive from him the gift of Christ ... body and blood. So glad you are

TODAY

- WORSHIP TIME – 8:30 and 10:45
- SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES – 9:50

Wednesday ... We invite you to join with others in prayer, Bible study, discussion and activities for children, youth, and adults (6:30)

*Adult CHOIR – 7:40

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	<i>This Week</i>	<i>Next Week</i>
1st Nursery	Deb Michalsky & Amy Fleming	Michelle & Perry Norris
2nd Nursery	KD & Stephanie Rife	Cindy Rawley
Acolyte	Corinna Ruelas 1 st Shelby Rife 2 nd	Jake Tracey 1 st Saffron Lance 2 nd
Prelude	Ryan Eberly	Ellen Fritz
Greeters	Bob Zeger & Larry Wingert	Andy Webb Family

Last Week...	3/5/23
Attendance	219
General	\$ 11,054.63
Missions	\$ 5,045.50
Building Fund	\$ 1,980.50
Sunday School	\$ 204.00

March 14 – Martin’s Potato Rolls Tour (Limit of 25 people). Leaving church at 10:30. Meeting for lunch, 12:15 at Stoners Restaurant (If you don’t go on tour, feel free to just join for lunch). RSVP to Fran & Bob Stoner by March 12. (717-597-0189)



Thanks to each one who shared meals or homes with our visiting missionaries last week!

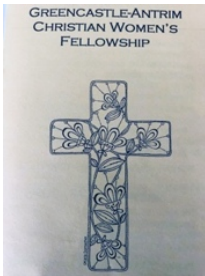
- To each person who made a FAITH PROMISE of money for missions support, we THANK YOU for your commitment throughout this coming year.
- THANKS to those who donated toward dental tools for the Mission of Harmony. The goal was \$440 and you gave \$965!

EASTER FLOWERS



Order lilies, tulips and/or hyacinths for the Easter Service on Sunday, April 9. You can take the plants home after the service. The cost for each plant is \$12. Deadline for orders is March 19.

How to place an order: There will be order forms and envelopes on both the downstairs entry table and the upstairs landing table. You can make your dedication "in memory of" or "in honor of." Put the card and money in the envelope and drop in the offering containers. The envelopes will be collected by the church office. A list of dedications will be printed for the Easter Service.



Greencastle-Antrim Christian Women's Fellowship
March 28, 2023, 9:30 – 11:00 at Evangelical Lutheran Church (130 N Washington St, Greencastle)
Stephanie Ziebarth will be speaking on "A Story of Hope and Mentorship"

Next SOUP FOR MISSIONS (fundraiser for the Common Ground mission's trip to Mexico) – March 29, 2023. (This will be the last soup night we will be having). Soup choices will be chili or jambalaya. Quarts will be available for pick up at 5:00 and bowls of soup with cornbread will be available at 5:30. Be watching for other fundraisers coming soon.





EXAMINE YOURSELF TO SEE ...

(II Corinthians 13:5-6)

evident/evidence ... _____ ... _____ ... _____ ... _____

Has this happened for you/to you/in you? (Acts 26:18)

- eyes _____ (darkness > light)
- heart _____ (Satan > God)
- gift _____ (forgiveness of sins)
- life _____ (holiness of faith in Christ)

***Everything that is real
leaves a trail of evidence.***

BECOMING A CHRISTIAN is incredibly SIMPLE yet profound, far reaching, all encompassing, dangerous, and overwhelming. (Mark 12:29-31)

- √ _____ heart – actually accepting the diagnosis and cure offered by God (Rom. 6:23)
- √ _____ heart – confidence neither in your own intelligence or strength but Christ alone (Acts 4:12)
- √ _____ heart – acknowledging Christ as Lord (Master, Ruler) of your life (Rom. 10:9-10)
- √ _____ heart – love for God’s will/kingdom/church; desire to serve (John 21:15-17)
- √ _____ heart – seeking a relationship with God; growth in understanding and commitment (Eph. 6:24)

CONNECTION – initiated through _____ and strengthened through individual _____ of time and communication with God. (Col. 2:6)

COMMITMENT - _____ of honoring this friendship with God by following his teachings and expectations (John 15:14, Mark 1:17, James 4:4)

Where Is The Evidence?

1. Do I acknowledge the Bible as God’s _____ and _____? Are there things which I do or refrain from doing because I’m “told so” in the Bible? (Matt. 4:4)
2. Does my _____ reflect God’s _____? If someone followed me around, would they see God’s nature at work in my deeds and choices? (I John 2:3-6)
3. Do I _____ God? Is this _____ by the use of my time, talents, and resources? Is this _____ from my involvement in worship and fellowship/prayer with believers? Do I identify/participate with the body of Christ (church) (Heb. 10:22-25)? Do I show a loving interest in all people (I John 4:19-21)?