

Beech Grove
Church of the Brethren
3420 Harrison Road
Hollansburg, Ohio 45332



1st Sunday of Advent

“The Candle of Hope”

Sunday, December 2, 2018

Sunday School 9:30 am.

Fellowship 10:15 am.

WORSHIP SERVICE 10:30 AM

Morning Worship Service
WELCOME

Worship Leader: Dale Ary

Prelude “*Hope was born this Night*” by *Sidewalk Prophets*

Announcements/Joys and Concerns/Prayer

Songs of Worship “*O Come, All Ye Faithful*” Page 249 Red

Call to Worship

L: The day is near. And so, we wait.

**C: We wait with hope, for the brokenhearted to be healed, for the downtrodden to be lifted up.
We wait for the coming of the Christ child.**

L: In this meantime, We will sing into the silence.

C: We will light a candle against the darkness.

L: Holy God of Hope, Give us ears to hear and hearts to trust the promises you offer to us in this season of Advent.

ALL: As we worship together, we offer ourselves to you and we open ourselves to your abundant grace. Our Hope is in You. Amen.

Song of Praise: “*My Life is in You, Lord*” slide

Offering “Today, as we decorated the sanctuary we were really preparing the way for the coming of the Christ child. May each decoration symbolize a special meaning as we usher in the advent season. **Lord, You are the Hope and the Reason for the Season.**”

Lighting of the Advent Candle of HOPE 

Jr. Worship Tonya Westfall & Darlene Ary

Congregation Scripture Reading 1 John 1:8-10

Scripture Reading Matthew 19:13-15

Sermon “*Bea Child*” *Tom Wilson, guest speaker*

Closing Song: “*The First Noel*” (1st & 2nd verses) Page 265 R

Benediction

Postlude Pam Bevins

Announcements

Dart ball– No game this week, we have a bye!

Upcoming Holiday Services & Events:

Sun. Dec 16th Holiday Cookie Drive

Please bring 4 dozen cookies before church.
After church you can collect an assortment of mixed cookies.

Sun. Dec. 16th Children's Christmas Program

Title: "It's About the Cross"

**Come and enjoy this celebration of the birth and
life of Christ! Invite your family and friends!**

Sun. Dec. 16th Community Christmas Musical

@ Cedar Grove Church of the Brethren 6:30 pm.

Title "Almost There"

Sun. Dec. 30th Youth Sunday

Youth group called "Reflect" will provide the service.



Christmas Program Practices

Sun. Dec. 9 Youth- 9:30- 10:20 am

Children -9:30-10:20 am

Sat. Dec. 15 Final Dress Rehearsal- Time to be determined.

**** Congregational reading: I John 8-10**

⁸If we claim to be without sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. ⁹

If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins
and purify us from all unrighteousness. ¹⁰If we claim we have not sinned,
we make him out to be a liar and his word is not in us.

Prayer Requests This Week

The Campbell family in the loss of their grandmother
Patti Hicks- Mark Bevin's mother in law
Barbara Bevins
John Purdy
Lugene Ignaffo
April Bubb

Brian, Judy, Liam and Grace (Rachel Heck's family)
Mark and Pam Posten and Family
Erin Naig
The Westall Family
Rick and Myra Ary

Sunday, November 25, 2018

Attendance: 51 Offering \$ 1197.31

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View our Sunday morning bulletins and upcoming events.

Music & Worship List

Sunday, December 9, 2018

Worship Leader: Mark Ashworth

Jr. Worship: Darlene Ary & Tonya Westfall

Musician: Pam Bevins & Darlene Ary

Sunday, December 16, 2018

Worship Leader: Jason Baker

Christmas Program

Musician: Pam Bevins & Darlene Ary

Sunday, December 23, 2018

Worship Leader: Dale Ary

Guest Speaker: Samson Bowman

Jr. Worship: Tonya Westfall & Naomi Voke

Sunday, December 30, 2018

Youth Sunday