

Advent Art

Advent Art: Calling all artists, crafters, photographers, poets, chefs... and more... for art contributions to the Advent Art Show! Like last year, we plan to collect art throughout the month of November, and display it in around the church as an act of worship during the Advent season (starting December 1).

Art can be left in the Church Office, with your name connected (with the exception of your culinary art—bring that to share on Sunday, Dec. 8!). Please also fill out this link to tell us more about your work: <https://tinyurl.com/advent-art>. Contact Julie Lerew at Julie.lerew@dillsburgbic.org for more details, and thank you in advance for using your art to help celebrate our Savior this Christmas!



DILLSBURG BIC CHURCH
GROWING DEEP REACHING FAR

October 27, 2024 - 10:00 Worship

Preparing for Worship

Opening & Welcome

Scripture: Psalm 16:5-11

Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart #73

Prayers of the Community

Children's Time

Gift of Music

Prayer of Thanksgiving

I Am Thine, O Lord #485

Message: That You May Have Life
John 6:41-69

Songs of Worship

Prayer & Closing

Postlude

There will be individuals available to pray with you at the front of the sanctuary following worship.

The church nursery is open during the 10:00 a.m. worship service for children ages 0-4 (any kids not yet in kindergarten). You can sign in your children in the nursery room (next to the library) and pick them up after the service.

October is Pastor Appreciation Month, and at DBIC we have a lot to be grateful for as we reflect on all that our pastors do for our church family and extended community. Please take time this month to offer your gratitude via cards or other means to our pastors: Rob, Jeff, Naomi, Colin, and Esther. "I thank my God every time I remember you." Philippians 1:3

Collaboratory?? What kind of word is that? Has it made the Oxford English Dictionary yet? We have a unique opportunity to connect with our people who lead teams of Messiah students to other countries (Tim Van Dyke, Randy Fish, Ray Knepper) and find out what they've been doing. **Saturday morning, November 2**, in the Fellowship Hall, brunch will be available at 10:00 a.m. with a program to follow for all including families and children! Sign up at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10CoF44A9A722A20-52415705-collaboratory>

Our family promise guests will be at our church from November 17th through the 24th. At present, there are two families consisting of three parents, two tweens, and one school-age child. If you are interested in participating, there are several ways in which you can help. First, we need people willing to serve as evening and overnight hosts. Next, we need donations for breakfast and lunch foods. And finally, we will be providing evening meals for them. Descriptions of each role with further information can be found on the sign-up genius sites listed in the weekly email for by going to www.dillsburgbic.org/family-promise. For any other question, feel free to contact Scott and Cindy Raboci at (717)432-9140 or sraboci@yahoo.com. Thank you for being a sweet blessing!

Save the Date! Erika Pease and Joey Hecker are getting married on Saturday, December 21, 2024 at 1:00 here at DBIC. Everyone in the congregation (ages 7 and up) is invited to attend the ceremony. Due to space constraints, the reception is by invitation only. We hope you can come celebrate with us!

Do you have a prayer request?

Would you like:

To receive emailed prayer requests?

To receive the weekly DBIC email?

A church mailbox?

Offering envelopes?

You can contact us by email at connect@dillsburgbic.org or by using the individual contact info below.

Welcome Guests! To better connect with you we encourage you to email us at connect@dillsburgbic.org.

This Week's Prayer Focus:

Luz, Alegria y Esperanza BIC (York Springs PA); Macha Sport and Learning Project (Zambia); Medina family (Amazon tribal people of Ecuador); New Hope Ministries.

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Statistical Notes October 13, 2024

Attendance: 127 in-person/53 online

Offering:

Worship \$ 23,806.00

Year-to-Date Statistics:

General Fund Budget \$ 432,352.88

General Fund Giving \$ 451,287.40

This Week's Calendar

Monday

7:00 pm Deacon Meeting (Zoom)

Wednesday

9:00 am Ladies' Bible Study (201)

6:30 pm Shine (K-Grade 5)

6:30 pm Thrive (Youth)

6:30 pm Sharing and Prayer (Zoom)

Thursday

5:30 pm Martin Brass Rehearsal

7:30 pm Zoom Prayer (Zoom)

Saturday

10:00 am Brunch & Collaboratory Update (FH)

Next Sunday

9:00 am Sunday School

10:00 am Worship Service