

Finding our true selves in Jesus

January 17, 2016

9:30 am Sunday School ~ Classes available for all ages

10:30 am Morning Worship

Prelude	Jan Livengood
Welcome/Call to Worship	Terry Rotruck
Worship in Song	Doris Ours
<i>"There's a wideness in God's mercy" HWB #145</i>	
<i>"Marvelous grace of our loving Lord" HWB #151</i>	

Announcements, Sharing Joys and Concerns

Offering/Offerory

Worship in Song

"For God so loved us" HWB #167

"I will sing of my Redeemer" HWB #344 v. 1, 2, 4

Dismiss for PreK Worship

Scripture Romans 3:21-28

Message "Accepted" Pastor Merle

Song of Response "I love to tell the story" HWB #398 v. 1, 2

Blessing

Song of Sending "I love to tell the story" HWB #398 v. 3

6:00 pm Benefit Music Program at the Old Furnace Church of the Brethren to raise funds for a mission trip to Haiti in February by Pastor Dave Sutton and others. A variety of special music and congregational singing is in store. All are encouraged to come this evening and contribute, if you desire, to this ministry.

Children's Workers

This Sunday: PreK Worship: Karen Morgan; No Jr Worship

Next Sunday: PreK Worship: Karen Morgan;

Jr Worship: Young Adults

Last Sunday Attendance: Sunday School: 51
Morning Worship: 58

Announcements

Remember to bring your food gifts for the Super Soup-er Bowl drive for Union Rescue Mission. Check the poster by the office for details.

Reminder: February 7, noon: Souper Bowl Fellowship Fundraiser Meal to support our youth

It's not too early to think about Summer Camp at Laurelville. Please get your Registration Forms from Wayne and Roveen Yoder and return them by next Sunday. Since we are no longer eligible for the Allegheny Conference discount, it is important that we participate in the January Early Bird discount.

We have been invited to join a Fundraiser at the South Cumberland Assembly of God church for a local person, Judy Conn. Conn is on kidney dialysis and is awaiting a transplant. They will be selling made-to-order Roast Beef and Turkey Hoagies on Friday, Jan. 29, 4:30-7:00. Your participation in this effort would be greatly appreciated.

For Your Prayer Time

Pray for the group from Old Furnace Church of the Brethren as they again travel to Haiti to share the good news.

Ask God to be with the leaders and participants (including Pastor Merle) in the Eastern Mennonite Seminary School for Leadership Training as they meet this week.

Remember those who are continuing to deal with stress due to illness or other issues.

Give thanks for those who show faithfulness in marriage, especially Al and Betty Anderson who celebrated their 47th anniversary last week.

Praise God for His acceptance of us all, even though we all have sinned.