



# HARTVILLE CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

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*To live, love, think, and act like Jesus*

**December 4, 2016**

**Worship Services: 8:00 AM; 10:30 AM**

Anthony DiMarco, Pastor  
Frankie Graber, Christian Education Director  
Brian Layman, Youth and Young Adult Coordinator  
Mary Jane Linton, Organist/Pianist

**FOR YOUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS**

## PHYSICAL NEEDS

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jack</li> <li>• <b>Mary Bettler</b></li> <li>• Mark Blankenship</li> <li>• <b>Mary Frances Cornel</b></li> <li>• Karen Fox</li> <li>• <b>Denise Hardie</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Carla Kears</b></li> <li>• Emily Kuhn</li> <li>• Nicholas Kuhn</li> <li>• John Long</li> <li>• Rick Overly</li> <li>• Sandy Palmer</li> <li>• <b>Nancy Phillips</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wendy Quartz</li> <li>• <b>Ellie Richardson</b></li> <li>• Mike Riggs</li> <li>• Priscilla Schlabach</li> <li>• Greg Send</li> <li>• <b>Jenna Ziegler</b></li> <li>• Unspoken</li> </ul>
<b>Bold Names Added November 27 or December 4</b>		

## Sermons and Scripture:

December 11	“Impatient for Jesus”	James 5:7-10
December 18	“It’s a Madison County Christmas”	
December 24	“The Best Gift Ever”	Titus 2:11-14
December 25	“Handling the Inheritance”	Titus 3:4-7

**Lake Area Clergy** has invited all area churches to join in a cycle of prayer for churches in our area. This week, we are asked to lift up **Evermore Community Church led by Ross Miller** and **Holy Spirit Catholic Church led by Fr. John Zapp**. Please keep them in your prayers throughout the week. Thank you.

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**Welcome Guests!** We’re glad you have joined us this morning! Please stop by the Information Booth for a special Guest Pack and coffee mug.

**Choir Practice** The Choir practices Sunday at 8:30 AM in the Choir Room south of the Sanctuary. We practice until 9:15 AM. All are welcome to join the singing.

**Toys for Tots** We are participating in the Toys 4 Tots collection again this year. As in the past, we are collecting new, unwrapped toys through Sunday, December 4. A can will also be available for monetary donations. Thank you.

**An Evening in the Village** All are invited to attend the 19th annual Christmas tree lighting and celebration in Historic Downtown Hartville today from 4:30-7:00 PM. The children will be playing the bells as well as other instruments beginning at 5:00 PM. There will be a collection of breakfast items for Lake Twp. FISH.

**Bible Study** Bible Study meets Monday at 7:00 PM. Please join us as we study I Corinthians. Everyone is welcome to attend.

**Christian Education Commission** The Christian Ed Commission will meet Tuesday, December 6, at 6:00 PM.

**Leadership Team** The Leadership Team will meet Tuesday, December 6, at 7:00 PM.

**Kid’s Club** Kid’s Club will meet for our Christmas Party Wednesday, December 7, beginning at 5:30 PM. Join us for a Bible Story, Christmas Carols, games and a Make & Take Craft. See Frankie if you would like to help.

**Youth Program** The Youth Group will meet Wednesday, December 7, at 5:30 PM. All youth are welcome to join in.

**Music & Worship Commission** The Music & Worship Commission will meet Thursday, December 8, at 7:00 PM.

**All-Adult Christmas Party** We will get together Friday, December 9, 6:00 PM, at John & Charlotte Schlabach’s. Please bring a dish to share and a \$5.00-\$10.00 gift if you would like to participate in the gift exchange. All adults are invited.

**BVS Christmas Cards** If you would like to send a Christmas card or greeting to a BVSer, there are a couple address lists on the table in the Narthex. Thank you.

**Staff Needed at YAC** The Young Adult Center (YAC) located in Hartville will have an opening in the position of Director after the first of the year. The YAC is a Christ centered environment and a safe, positive place for youth to fellowship and have fun. The YAC is open on Saturday and Sunday nights from 4:00 PM-Midnight. We are looking for someone who has a passion for missions, previous management skills, enjoys working with youth and a faith in Christ. The position is a 25-hours a week paid position. If you are interested, please call 330-877-2050 to receive an application or send your resume to [ross@evermorecc.org](mailto:ross@evermorecc.org).

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**CD Ministry:** CDs of the Service are available for **FREE**.  
Contact the office to request a copy.

Please be sure to check out the Information Booth for a number of new resources. Please check back often as items are added regularly. All items are FREE.

**\*Personal Audio Receivers** are available at the Sound Booth.

### CHURCH CALENDAR

**Sunday, December 4 thru Sunday, December 11**

SUN	8:30 am	Choir Practice
	5:00 pm	Evening in the Village
MON		<b>Leadership Team Reports Due</b>
	7:00 pm	Bible Study
TUES	9:00 am	TOPS
	6:00 pm	Christian Education Commission Meeting
	7:00 pm	Leadership Team Meeting
WEDS	5:30 pm	Kid's Club
	5:30 pm	Youth Group
THURS	7:00 pm	Music & Worship Commission Meeting
	7:00 pm	Worship Team Practice
FRI	6:00 pm	All-Adult Christmas Party – Schlabachs
SAT	2:00 pm	Fellowship Hall Reserved
SUN	<b>8:00 am</b>	<b>Worship Service</b>
	8:30 am	Choir Practice
	9:15 am	Sunday School
	<b>10:30 am</b>	<b>Worship Service</b>
	4:00 pm	Fellowship Hall Reserved



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### ***Worship***

Welcome

Joys and Concerns

\*Hymn: "Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus" #244

Special Music

Dismissal for Children's Church

Offering

Prayer

Scripture: Romans 15:4-13

Sermon: "Let People Check You Out" Pastor Anthony

### **COMMUNION**

- The Invitation
- Scripture: 1 Corinthians 11:23-26
- Prayer of Blessing
- Moment of Silent Meditation

\*Song of Sending: "Once in Royal David's City" #286

\*Benediction

\*Denotes congregation standing

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