



Vision:

To become a Presence-driven, prayer saturated, relational church, where people are loved, forgiven, healed, trained, and released to reach others.

Sunday School 9 AM Worship 10:15 AM

Dear Hempfield Church Family,

Next Sunday, September 27th, at the **10:15 am** service, we continue our series, **Mission Possible**. The first week we looked at our Hempfield church mission and vision statements from the Biblical mandate. We then discussed the first practical step — making hospitality a priority. Last week we focused on community life — getting connected into small groups for exponential spiritual growth.

This Sunday we will dig into the Biblical teaching regarding Spiritual gifts. Each believer has been given at least one spiritual gift for the purpose of serving others in the body of Christ and touching other lives in the community. This is one of the most exciting aspects of growing in the Lord. We each have a God given calling on our lives. When we discover that calling and start using our gifts we truly experience the joy and excitement of being part of God’s ministry team. **If you have questions** about spiritual gifts and/or any part of the discovery process, please write us an email davem@hempfieldchurch.com or gregt@hempfieldchurch.com. We would like to address your questions in the message. Please get them to us by Thursday of this week. See you Sunday and don’t forget to bring your Bible and invite a friend!

Church Work Day - Planned for Saturday, Sept. 26 at 8 am. ***YOUR Help is much Appreciated!!***

In Christ,

Pastor Greg & Pastor Dave

Quick Links:

[Bulletin Announcements](#) - What’s Happening?

Mission Possible Series: #1 - Hospitality
Mission Possible Series: #2 - Groups

Coming Soon to a Church Near YOU! **(FREE)**
Family Movie Nights - Fridays @ 6:45 PM
Oct. 16 - [“Imagine That”](#)
Oct. 23 - “TinkerBell and the Lost Treasure”
Oct. 30 - [“Monsters vs. Aliens”](#)

Coming Events:

Saturday, September 26
Church Work Day - 8 Am

Friday, October 2
Free Coffee & Donuts - 7 Am

Friday, October 4
Communion Sunday

Fri-Sat, October 9 & 10
Men’s Retreat in Carlisle, PA

Sunday, October 11
Child Dedication

Friday, October 16
Family Movie Nights Begin

Community Connection:

Each Sunday, at 9 am the Sunday Morning Groups are in session. Walk-ins are always welcome! HBIC provides groups for all ages making this time ideal to go deeper into the word of God, make connections with other believers, and grow in your personal walk with God. Your children or grandchildren will also have an opportunity to grow in their faith and make friends with other children their ages. We find that those who connect in this way begin to build lasting spiritual friendships and find their spiritual growth advance exponentially. Check out a group this Sunday.

SUNDAY MORNING GROUPS

Adult Classes

- “Turning toward Integrity” by David Jeremiah - **Room 6** (led by Lee & Paul Keefer)
- “Life’s Journey Group” - **Room 7** (continued study with Jim Ketner)
- Book of “Isaiah” Study** - **Room 11** (facilitated by Jeff Patzer)

Children Classes

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3 year olds thru Kindergarten - Room 1 (3 year olds must be potty trained)

1st thru 3rd grade - Room 8

4th thru 6th grade - Room 9

7th-12th grade - Youth Lounge

We purpose to ask God to make us effective in helping unconnected people find connection in the family of God. We know that unconnected people are dear to the Father's heart. He longs for all of his sheep to have a shepherd -- a place to belong. We believe God is asking each family unit to pray for, and reach out to, at least one person who is not connected to Jesus Christ or does not have any church family. Have you started your prayer list? Are you intentionally asking God for opportunities to extend hospitality, make connections, encourage, and invite?

Please remember the other useful items on our church website at www.hempfieldchurch.com. It is a valuable tool. Check out the Church Calendar, Photo Gallery, Videos, Sermons Online, Pictorial Church Directory, and much more. If you need the username or password for the restricted areas, just call Lisa at the office at 295-9800. Share this link with friends who might be looking for a church home, or connect them to a favorite message you think they might enjoy. Feel free to download or listen online at <http://www.hempfieldchurch.com/resources/sermons.html>

