Remember in Prayer

Please ask permission of those to uplift in prayer. Notify Jodi Weaver-Church office to add/update Prayer concerns.

Ongoing Concerns: Robert Beach, Barb & Galen Bortner, Robyn Bortner, Tori and Susan Challenger, John and Linda Covalt, Tony Covalt, Heidi Flood, Connie and Steve Forbush, Matt Green, Ashlee Gwinn, Jake Haring, Tammy & Jaimie Hartlaub, Blayde Lehr, Michelle Long, Daegan O'Brien, Naz Reeves, Rich & Joy Shaffer, Amber & Dustin Shaw, Beth Shifflet, Amier Steckel; and Please pray that the hatred in the World will STOP!

<u>Care Facilities</u>: Mel & Harriet Fleming, Ed Grady, Helen Rappoldt, Liz Rill, Rich Shaffer, Chrystelle Strausbaugh, Ruthanna Stremmel and Grace Wildasin.

<u>Grieving family and friends of:</u> Janet (Feltch) Sunday-11/14 Pam Grimes, Nov.

<u>Uplift:</u> Wanda Anderson, Ruth Athey, Jeff Brauning, Steve Brenton, John Covalt, Dave Dulaney, Nevin Garvick, Tom and Jackie Howdyshell, Chris, Joyce Myers, Kase Ort, Mark Robinson, Caleb Stickles, Mark Stone, Betty Weaver, Grace Wildasin.

<u>Welcome to Brooks Steven</u> born to Marcus and Alissa Kehr on 11/22. Congratulations to his entire family.

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Welcome to

Black Rock Church of the Brethren

Come as you are,

Experience God's love,

Go out like Christ.

Sunday, December 7, 2025 Second Sunday of Advent Bread & Cup Communion



Today, Sunday, Dec. 7, Second Sunday of Advent.

Bread & Cup Communion

Sermon: "Are we ready or Not?" Scripture: Matthew 3: 1-6

9:00 am Adult Sunday school classes

10:15 am Worship and Children's Sunday school class

1:00 pm Church Christmas Party at Craft Eats, 304 Poplar St.

Hanover, PA 17331 directions on the encouragement card table.

Monday, Dec. 8, Cookies going to Carlisle Truck Stop Ministry.

Tuesday, Dec. 9, Leadership Team Meeting at 7 pm.

Wednesday, Dec. 10, Bible Study by Conf. call, all are invited.

9:30 am call #1-832-831-2424 then enter the ID# 262798.

Next Sunday, Dec. 14, Third Sunday of Advent

9:00 am Adult Sunday school

10:15 am Worship

Adult Choir - Following Worship

Order of Worship Sunday, December 7, 2025

Gathering as the Body of Christ

10:10 am Gathering: "Watchmen tell us of the night" by Mason 10:15 am Greeting & Announcements:

Entering into Worship

Prelude: "Emmanuel" by McGee

Lighting of the Advent Candles: Accompanist Esther Kipple

Advent Reading:

Invitation to Worship: Isaiah 40:1-3

*Opening Hymn: #176 "Comfort, comfort, O my people"

*Opening Prayer:

Sharing our Prayers and Praise

Joys and Concerns: Raise your hand to share aloud or complete a yellow prayer card in the pew rack and drop it in the offering plate.

Pastoral Prayer:

Adult Choir: "Great Light!" Words and Music by Michael Barrett and David Angerman.

Offering Ourselves and Our Gifts

Invitation to Give:

Offertory Duet: "Silent Night"/ "Prelude in C" by Gruber/Bach *Offering Hymn: #191 "O Little Town Of Bethlehem" (Vs 1 and 3)

*Offering Prayer:

Proclaiming the Word

Scripture: Matthew 3:1-6, John the Baptist Prepares the Way. Centering Hymn: #178 "Come Thou Long Expected Jesus"

Sermon: Are we Ready or Not? Pastor Brandon

Communion Preparation Hymn: 206 "Infant holy, infant lowly"

Service of Bread and Cup Communion:

Going Forth to Serve

*Closing Hymn: # 174 "Blessed Be the God of Israel"

Sending

Postlude: "Oh Beautiful Star of Bethlehem" by Boyce

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Serving the Congregation		
Pastor	Brandon Grady	
Accompanist & Advent	candle lighter, Esther Kipple/Suzanne	
Welcomer	Sandie Keller and Connie McMaster	
Worship Leader	Mike McIntire	
Co-Head Ushers	Reg Baugher, Duane Shaulis	
AV techs	Amy/Randy Hoffacker, Jodi Weaver	
Encouragement Cards	Sharon Myers	
Offering Counters	Tammy Hartlaub, Linda Myers	
Narthex Display-	Suzanne Werner	
Monthly Phone Visitor		
Attendance tracker	Sharon Myers	
Decorators	Bonnie, Jill, Connie and Robyn	
Sunday school secretary	yJean Kehr	



Today, please place cookies for the Truck Stop ministry in the Library. Cookies will be taken to Carlisle on Monday, Dec. 8.

Black Rock COB- Christmas Eve Service, at 4 pm Chestnut Grove Meeting house - Christmas Eve at 9 pm

Attendance: Nov. 30, 2025 Worship-30 Sunday school-0

Sunday Offering:	last Week	Year to Date
2025 Budget:	\$ 4,612.71 /weekly	\$221,410.08
Reg. Offering:	\$ 1,527.00	\$169,758.75
Total Revenue:	\$ 1,649.00	\$209,146.75
Special Civing: Music Materials donation: \$100.00		

Poinsettia money: \$ 22.00