HATFIELD MEETINGHOUSE

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JULY & AUGUST 2023 NEWSLETTER

God created summer for your enjoyment. Thank Him by having fun this beautiful season. Join us Sunday mornings: Morning Worship: 10:00am.

Sunday 9am. Wired Word Bible Study with fellowship time will resume in the fall.



LIFE IS LIKE A CAMERA

Focus on what is important and you will capture it perfectly.

FOCUS ON FOLKS!



JULY BIRTHDAYS 02 – Wesley Bruning 06 – Carl Holbert, Sr. 10 – Christina Pellak

JULY ANNIVERSARY - NONE



AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

07 – Carter Pellak 07 – John DiSimone 20 – Debbie Haines

AUGUST ANNIVERSARY

07 – Paul Jones & Robin McMahon 25 – Clay & Linda Moyer

DIRECTORY UPDATE

Please record this information in your Church Directory

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Working on a new 2024 Directory. If any information has changed for your listing, please let me know ASAP. Thank you. Connie Holbert

ANNUAL CONFERENCE "Living God's Love"

Ephesians 5:1-2

is the theme of this year's Annual Conference of the Church of the Brethren. It will be held in Cincinnati Oh, Tuesday, July 4th, noon through Sunday, July 9th, noon.

Robin McMahan is our Delegate.

Please keep the conference in prayer and those attending.

Check the Bulletin Board Weekly

CAMP SWATARA Women's Camp August 18th and 19th Information is forth coming.

Senior Adult Trip . . . NOAC September 4th – 8th 2023 Lake Junaluska, NC "God is Doing a New Thing" Isaiah 43:19 National Older Adult Conference. Come worship, play, and learn.

ANE District Conference 2023

October 6th – 7th,2023. Elizabethtown, PA **"The Tie That Binds"** 1 Peter 3:8 *"Finally, all of you have unity of the spirit, sympathy, love of the brethren, a tender heart, and a humble mind."*

FAITHFUL COMMUNITY What Is Happening?

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Wired Word will resume in the fall. Start date TBA

JULY 2023



+++ Saturday, July 1st ECR Worship Team Noon – 2:00pm.

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Sunday, July 2nd

Morning Worship 10:00am. Pastor Lynne Allebach ECR Worship 11:30am.

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Tuesday, July 4th Food Cupboard CLOSED

Happy July 4th Enjoy!

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Tuesday – Sunday, July 4th – July 9th Annual Conference

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Saturday, July 8th ECR Worship Team Noon – 2:00pm.

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Sunday, July 9th Morning Worship 10:00am. Pastor Lynne Allebach ECR Worship 11:30am.

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Saturday, July 15th Food Cupboard 8:30am – 11:00am.

ECR Worship Team Noon – 2:00pm.

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Sunday, July 16th

Morning Worship 10:00am. Pastor Clay Moyer ECR Worship 11:30am.

+++ Tuesday, July 18th Food Cupboard 10:30am – 1:30pm.

+++ Saturday, July 22nd ECR Worship Team

Noon – 2:00pm.

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Sunday, July 23rd

Morning Worship 10:00am. Pastor Lynne Allebach ECR Worship 11:30am.

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Monday, July 24th Food Cupboard 5:30pm – 7:30pm.

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Saturday, July 29th ECR Worship Team Noon – 2:00pm.

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Sunday, July 30th Morning Worship 10:00am. Pastor Clay Moyer ECR Worship 11:30am.

STEWARDSHIP IN ACTION July 2023 Sunday Ministry Team Don & Annette Hanks

Greeters

Don Hanks, Rob Hanks, Dan Sibley

Worship Leaders 02 – Annette Hanks 09 – Pastor Lynne Allebach 16 – Robin McMahon 23 – Annette Hanks

30 – C Holbert

Accompanist

- 02 Annamarie Dieterle
- 09 David Himmer
- 16 Annamarie Dieterle
- 23 Annamarie Dieterle
- 30 Annamarie Dieterle



2023 Tuesday, August 1st Food Cupboard 10:30am – 1:30pm.

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Saturday, August 5th ECR Worship Team Noon – 2:00pm.

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Sunday, August 6th

Morning Worship 10:00am. Pastor Lynne Allebach ECR Worship 11:30am.

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Saturday, August 12th ECR Worship Team Noon – 2:00pm.

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Sunday, August 13th

Morning Worship 10:00am. Pastor Clay Moyer ECR Worship 11:30am.

Tuesday, August 15th

Food Cupboard 10:30am – 2:00pm.

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Saturday, August 19th

Food Cupboard 10:00am – 11:00am.

ECR Worship Team Noon – 2:00pm.

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Sunday, August 20th

Morning Worship 10:00am. Pastor Lynne Allebach ECR Worship 11:30am.

+++ Saturday, August 26th

ECR Worship Team Noon – 2:00pm.

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Sunday, August 27th

Morning Worship 10:00am. Pastor Clay Moyer ECR Worship 11:30am.

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Monday, August 28th

Food Cupboard 5:30pm – 7:30pm.

STEWARDSHIP IN ACTION AUGUST 2023

Sunday Ministry Team Carl & Connie Holbert

Greeters

Don Hanks, Rob Hanks, Dan Sibley

Worship Leaders

06 – C Holbert 13 – Robin McMahon 20 – C Holbert 27 – Annette Hanks

Accompanist

06 – Annamarie Dieterle 13 – David Himmer 20 – Annamarie Dieterle 27 – Annamarie Dieterle

Message

06 – Pastor Lynne Allebach 13 – Pastor Clay Moyer 20 – Pastor Lynne Allebach 27 – Pastor Clay Moyer

Steward Counter

Connie Holbert

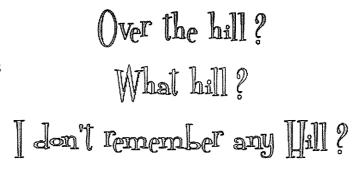
Please enjoy the attached, *"Over the Hill".* It was written by a resident of Londonderry Village, in Palmyra, PA and submitted with permission by Kathryn Keim. I think we can all relate! ENJOY.

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Village Voice

Recently while attending a local school activity I overheard a young couple talking about her Grandfather being "over the hill". The Grandfather in question is someone I happen to know. He's at least fifteen years younger than I. The over the hill statement made me question "what hill were they referring to? Was there a hill somewhere I don't know about or have I been over it for so long I don't remember it; and worse of all am I over the hill like her Grandfather?"

Lots of questions, so I turned to my old friend Google for the answer to my question of the meaning of being over the hill. Google's definition is someone who is old (what's that?) and no longer useful or past your prime. I don't know of a single person, young or old, that doesn't have worth. However, we all recognize the signs of aging that



are all around us such as: when you try to straighten out the wrinkles in your socks and discover you aren't wearing any – it takes two or more tries to get up from your chair – your address book has mostly names that start with Dr. – everything hurts and what doesn't hurt doesn't work. At the breakfast table you hear snap, crackle, pop and you're not eating cereal or your back goes out more than you do, and last off, your idea of weight lifting is standing up.

In conclusion, the words of Abe Lincoln seem appropriate to end this question of being "over the hill". He said *"In the end, it's not the years in your life that count, it's the life in your years."*

Still looking for that hill! El Foore

