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Newsletter of the Huntington Church of the Brethren

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... by love, serve one another

I usually tell my students that they can learn anything, but they have to be willing to learn. That means they have to make an intentional effort to learn. They also have to realize they have more to learn. The same can be said of our faith. We can grow in our faith if we are willing. That means we have to desire to have a deeper relationship with Christ. We have to acknowledge there is room to grow. My desire is that we all seek spiritual growth. That we will be good students of faith.

Tim

Women's Fellowship: 1:00 PM Tuesday, Sept. 1.

Men's Breakfast: 8:00 AM Saturday, Sept. 5.

Book Swap: 10:00 AM-Noon Saturday, Sept. 5.

Thursday, Sept. 17, 6:00-7:30 PM.

Deacon's Meeting: 9:00 AM Sunday, Sept. 13.

Ministry Team: 6:30 PM Tuesday, Sept. 15.

60+: meets Tuesday, Sept. 22. See Joann for details.

Building & Grounds: 6:30 PM Thursday, Sept. 24.

Love INC: Our goal for September is 40 items of canned vegetables (not green beans).

Thank you: We got a card from the Corlene Flora family with this message. Ladies: Your desserts were magnificent! Thank you for your support also. Pastor Troyer: Your support with physical presence through the whole viewing; the funeral service and graveside memories are all wonderful memories for us!

Excerpt from another thank you: The recent gift from your congregation, representing the completion of your annual allocation to Bethany, allows for continued connections within and beyond the walls of Bethany Seminary. I send you thanks both for choosing to make Bethany one of your outreach recipients for 2015 and for continuing to keep Bethany as a first thought in theological education for the Church of the Brethren and the world. Sincerely, Monica Rice

District Conference: This takes place on Sept. 19 at the Manchester church. Please pray for conference and our delegates (Joann, Laura, Dean and Tim). All are welcome to attend.



Cinnamon roll sales: Thanks to the big group of people who helped make 21 dozen rolls on Aug. 8. Pioneer Festival is the weekend of Sept. 26-27. Let us know if you can help.

Prayers: Prayers have been requested for those in the state of Washington and other areas of the

western United States who are affected by wildfires. The community of Tonasket, Wash.--where there are two Church of the Brethren congregations and where Jim and Kim Yaussy Albright live--has been affected by mandatory evacuations.

CROP Hunger Walk: Sunday, Oct. 4. We need walkers and donors for our church. Please see Barb Wood for information.

Iran letter: Two Church of the Brethren denominational staff have signed on to a letter from Christian leaders to the US Congress, urging approval of the diplomatic agreement with Iran. General secretary Stanley J. Noffsinger and Office of Public Witness director Nathan Hosler are among some 50 Christian leaders who have signed the letter. Others signing on to the letter include J. Ron Byler, executive director of Mennonite Central Committee.

Peace Day: Peace Day, Sept. 21, is quickly approaching, and On Earth Peace is urging your congregation to participate in building peace in your community by planning peace-focused events in Sunday services on Sept. 20.

Letter from Nigerian Brethren: A letter of condolence has been sent to Emanuel AME Church in Charleston, SC from leadership of EYN, the (Church of the Brethren in Nigeria). The letter, sent through the General Secretary's Office of the Church of the Brethren in the United States, expresses caring on behalf of the entire membership of EYN, following the shooting attack in which nine members including the pastor of Emanuel AME were murdered during a Bible study.

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