

Our Purpose

The West Side Brethren in Christ Church exists to help people come to know God personally and develop into mature followers of Jesus Christ.



The West Side Youth Group exists to cultivate a generation for the purpose of Christ.

If you have prayer

requests you'd like added to the list for **Wednesday**

evenings or you have an

update, please let **Paula Townsley** know.

You may call 717-816-7224 or email

office@westsidebic.org, or submit a request on our website at www.westsidebic.org





Don't Forget to turn your clocks ahead one hour at 2 am next Sunday, March 12th!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

If you would like to submit a prayer request for the 24 hour Prayer Vigil, please write your request on an **index card**, which can be found in the pews and **place it in the basket at the Welcome Center.**

Nathaniel Burkholder's birthday is on March 8th. Please consider sending a birthday card with a note of encouragement. His address is 745 Twin Bridge Road, Chambersburg, PA 17202.

In preparation for the Easter Egg Ministry event, an **Easter Egg Stuffing Party** is scheduled for **March 25th from 9 AM-12 PM**, here in the Fellowship Hall. All are welcome!

The **Operation Christmas Child** items needed for the month of **March** are toys such as: foam balls, Kickball with airpump, baseball and mitt, tennis balls, hacky sacks, finger puppets, slinkys, etch-a-sketch, plays cars, trucks, or boats, plastic tools, plastic dinosaurs, yo-yo, costume items to play dress-up, kite, small Frisbee, kaleidoscope, marbles. Ages groups are 2-4, 5-9, 10-14 for boys and girls. Please set donated items on the coat racks, or give to Patty Heck.

My Brother's Keeper is hosting a fundraising banquet at Mrs. Gibbles Restaurant on Friday, **March 24th at 6 PM.** If you are interested, please contact Paula Townsley.

The new issue of **Our Daily Bread** and the **BICUS Monthly Challenge** for March is available at the Welcome Center.

March 5, 2023



**WEST SIDE BRETHERN
IN CHRIST CHURCH**

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Music Director—Nathaniel Byers

SUNDAY SERVICES

Prayer Time—9:00 AM

Sunday School—9:30 AM

Sunday Worship—10:30 AM

WEDNESDAY SERVICES

7:00 PM

Children & Youth Clubs

Adult Bible Studies

Supervised Nursery—Up to age 2
In Person Services & Live streaming

WELCOME TO MORNING WORSHIP

PRELUDE *Nathaniel Byers*
 WELCOME *Pastor Dave*
 ANNOUNCEMENTS *Pastor Dave*
 PASTORAL PRAYER *Pastor Dave*
 *SERMON *O Worship the Lord*
Pastor Dave

TITHES AND OFFERING
Offertory Nathaniel Byers
 WORSHIP IN SINGING *Nathaniel Byers*
 BENEDICTION *Pastor Dave*
 POSTLUDE *Nathaniel Byers*

**Junior Church is available during the sermon for children ages 3 thru 3rd grade*



The Altar flowers today are presented by Li Seif- "I always love God".

We also want to thank Li Seif for presenting last week's altar flower arrangement.

VERSE OF THE WEEK
 O worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness.
1 Chronicles 16:29

THIS WEEK

Today 6 PM Wadel Home Group
 Tuesday 6 PM Christian Education Committee Mtg.
 Wednesday 4 PM Youth Community Connection
 6 PM Special Prayer
 7 PM Adult Bible Study, GNC
 7 PM Youth Night
 Thursday 6 PM Easter Choir Practice
 7 PM Worship Team Practice
 Saturday 10 AM YOUTH- Zoo America

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next **Men's Fellowship Breakfast** is scheduled for **March 18th at 8 AM**. If you would like to attend, **please sign up at the Welcome Center**. If you have any questions, please see **Mike Brindle**.

 If you are interested in being **baptized** to demonstrate your faith, **please contact Pastor Dave**. Baptisms will take place on **Sunday, April 2nd**, during the Worship Service.

 Anyone who desires to become a member of West Side, **please contact Pastor Dave**. **Reception of New Members will take place on Sunday, April 9th**, during the Worship Service.

 Our Music Director, **Nathaniel Byers**, is **leading a choir for Easter Sunday**. The practices are every **Thursday at 6 PM**. Even though the first practice was this past Thursday, interested participants can still join every Thursday evening at 6 PM.

 A **24-hour Prayer Vigil** is scheduled to begin on **Tuesday, March 21st at 6 PM** and will end on **Wednesday March 22nd**, during our Wednesday evening services. If you would like to participate, please sign-up for a time slot (or more) at the Welcome Center.

ANNOUNCEMENTS & CALENDAR ITEMS

A special meeting, to include the **Church Board and Outreach Committee members**, has been scheduled for **March 14th at 6 PM**. Topic of discussion will be the demographic data of our community, and to solicit suggestions **for attracting people to our church**.

Jennie Mooney has designated **classroom #10** as the **control center for the Easter Egg Ministry**. It will be the place where you can take your candy donations, pick up and drop off plastic eggs after they are counted, drop off bracelets, etc.

Donna Sollenberger will be contacting congregants to focus on prayer on Saturday evenings, in preparation for the Worship Service on Sundays. You will be given a list of topics for prayer.

The Tide Your Soles~ Their Souls Shoe Drive Fundraiser will be kicking off on **March 12, 2023**. If you have any gently used or new shoes to donate, please bring them to the church and place them in the box under the table next to the mailboxes. Our goal is 100 pair of shoes! **Please contact Patty Heck with any questions**.

 Brochures for the **Christian Retreat Center Summer Camp 2023** are available at the Welcome Center. Children **who attend West Side** and who would like to attend a **Christian summer camp can have 1/2 of their tuition reimbursed** by West Side. Please see Sam Yoder for details.

The Tide Night of Worship, will be on **March 11th at 6 pm** at **Antrim BIC Church, 24 Kauffman Rd, Chambersburg, PA**. For more information, you can contact The Tide office at 717-264-7288 or email info@thetide.org

 Copies of the **Brethren in Christ Church Core Values** are available at the Welcome Center.

