

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.

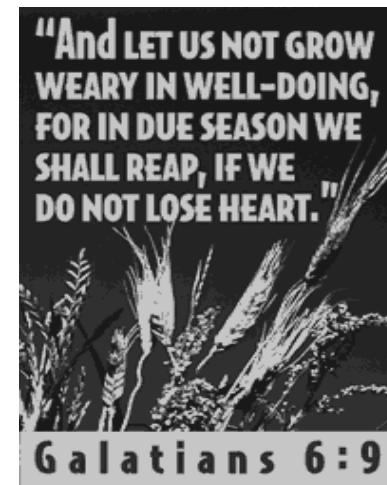


The West Side Youth Group exists to cultivate a generation for the purpose of Christ.

If you have prayer requests you'd like added to the list for **Wednesday evenings** or you have an update, please contact **Paula Townsley**. You may call 717-816-7224, or email office@westsidebic.org. In addition, you can submit your prayer request online at www.westsidebic.org. Copies of the Wednesday Evening Prayer list are available on the table beside the church mailboxes.



January 12, 2025



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Interim Youth Director—Pastor Dave

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*
WORSHIP IN SINGING *Worship Team*
PASTORAL PRAYER *Pastor Dave*
TITHES AND OFFERING *Pastor Dave*
Offertory- Nathaniel Byers
***SERMON** *Pastor Dave*
Never Give Up, Never Give Up, Never Give Up
CLOSING HYMN *Worship Team*
BENEDICTION *Pastor Dave*
POSTLUDE *Nathaniel Byers*

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



VERSE OF THE WEEK

**Let us not become weary in doing good,
for at the proper time we will reap a
harvest if we do not give up.**

Galatians 6:9

THIS WEEK

Monday 6:30 PM Worship Team Practice
Wednesday 5 PM Youth Group
6:30 PM Kids Klub
7 PM Prayer and Praise
Saturday 7:30 AM Men's Fellowship
Breakfast
6 PM Yoder Home Group

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Allegheny Regional Conference Churches are invited to attend the **closing of the Week of Prayer and Fasting Sacred Assembly to be held TODAY at 6:30 PM at Antrim BIC Church in Chambersburg, PA.**

The Cumberland Valley Relief Center Quilt Show is scheduled for January 16th from 8:30 AM to 3:30 PM, January 17th from 8:30 AM to 7 PM, and January 18th from 8:30 AM to 3:30 PM. The CVRC is located at 4225 Molly Pitcher Highway, Chambersburg, PA. The quilts showcased at the quilt show will be auctioned off at the PA Relief Sale on April 4th and 5th, 2025 at the Farm Show Complex, Harrisburg, PA.

The next **Men's Fellowship Breakfast** is scheduled for this **Saturday, January 18th at 7:30 AM here at West Side. Breakfast will be served at 8 AM.** If you would like to attend, please sign up at the Welcome Center today!

AN UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATE TO REMEMBER: The Annual Council Meeting will be held, here at West Side, on Wednesday, January 22nd, at 7 PM.

TIME CHANGE: Starting **Wednesday, January 15th, Kids Klub will begin at 6:30 PM** instead of 7 PM. It is expected to wrap up at 7:45 PM.

SAVE THE DATE: BIC Day for MCC Meat Canning at the CVRC is Tuesday, March 4, 2025.

PLEASE TAKE NOTE: If you have been using church offering envelope #29 or #69, please contact Paula Townsley, so you can receive your 2024 giving summary, which can be used for tax purposes.

The Tide *Your Soles ~ Their Soles* shoe collection began January 2nd and is running through March 31, 2025. Each year The Tide ministry collects new and gently used shoes to fund Literacy classes in India. The shoes collected benefit microbusinesses in developing countries around the world. Please bring in your new or gently used shoes and place them in the big box beside the mailboxes. **If you have any questions, please talk with Patty Heck.**

The Operation Christmas Child Shoebox Project is starting up for 2025! It's time to start filling our shelves again. **For the month of January, our first need is going to be an essential for every box: soap and washcloths.** Please bring in any kind of soap or washcloth that you would like to see packed in the shoeboxes. If you would rather donate financially toward the filling of the shoeboxes, just mark "shoeboxes" on your offering envelopes. You can also mark "shoebox shipping" if you would prefer to give towards the shipping of the shoeboxes, instead. If you don't use the church offering envelopes, I would be happy to take your donation and purchase the items on your behalf. **Please place donated items under the coat racks or in the shoebox room.** Shoeboxes are also available to decorate. **Any questions or comments about this month's need, please see Patty Heck, or contact her at 717-446-1258.** Thank You for your support in purchasing, packing, and sending off over 450 shoeboxes in 2024! Let's strive for the same goal in 2025 and see what happens!

Services are livestreamed and photos may appear on the church website or Facebook.



**The Annual Easter Egg Hunt
Saturday, April 12th
11:30 AM.**

The Annual Easter Egg Hunt is scheduled for Saturday, April 12th at 11:30 AM. We would like to start planning for the program of the event.

There will be a sign-up sheet in the foyer for all those interested in helping to plan and participate in the program.

We will then contact you to decide on a date and time to start planning.

ALSO, for all of you are waiting for Easter Eggs to fill! Your time is coming! Bags of plastic eggs, candy, and trinkets, will be available under the mailboxes, starting on Sunday, February 2nd. After filling the eggs, please return them to the church and place them under the coat racks.

Thank you!

Patty Heck– Director of Outreach

Carol Everts– Local Outreach Coordinator