

Hollowell History

Hollowell Church was formed in 1883. It was initially a group of brethren meeting at the home of Isaac Shank. In 1888, a meeting house was erected on the current site of our church. Hollowell has continued to reach our community with the love of God and with the message of the Gospel by focusing on community, a deeper spiritual life through the study of Scripture and prayer, and through the power of the indwelling presence of the Holy Spirit. It is our goal to reach others, teach and obey the Word of God, and celebrate God's presence through dynamic worship.
Reach, Teach, Celebrate

What can I expect to see in the Hollowell Community?

- A strong focus upon the authority of Scripture
- Expository preaching and teaching
- Blended contemporary worship service
- Dynamic children's and youth ministries
- Prioritizing friendship and fellowship
- Connecting and cooperating with other faith-based organizations
- Putting faith into action in practical ways
- Relationship with God and with His people

Where do we stand as the Brethren in Christ?

Our church is part of a much larger family of churches here in the United States. We hold convictions, some of which are rooted in our Anabaptist tradition dating back over 470 years! We provide opportunity to connect and to investigate through our *Accents & Issues* papers (found in the front foyer), or by going to our national church website, *bicus.org*.

who
WE are

Life Groups at Hollowell Sundays 8:45 to 9:45 a.m.

Theme	Room	Teacher(s)
Discipleship	LL03	McPherson & Myers
Marriage	LL05	Turners and Myers
Praying for your children	Growing Tree Rm	Snyder & Strope
Spiritual Disciplines Women's	103	Cindy Lougheed
I Timothy	101	Bill Shilling
Rubik's Cube Faith	Chapel	Pastor Blaine

Wednesday 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

The Book of Matthew, Jill Thompson in Room 101 (ladies' study group)
Crossing the Waters in Rm 103 Darryl McPherson
Thursday Home of the Stropes-sermon follow up
Sunday Home of the Hansens-sermon follow up



Not able to be with us? Tune in to Podbean for our service, or go to the website to access current and past sermon files.

How do I connect at Hollowell? Speak to Pastor Carrie. Sign up for a life group. Come to a Newcomer Lunch. Join us for our special events. We are glad you are here! Now take the next step!

COMING EVENTS

Dec. 16th Let Your Light Shine
Dec. 19th Youth Christmas Party
Dec. 19th Seniors Light Tour
Dec. 23rd Church Family Christmas
Dec. 24th Live Nativity
Dec. 28th Youth Closeout Party
Dec. 30th A Celebration of Christmas
Jan. 20th Lumberjack Luncheon

Let Your Light Shine Artwork

If you are planning to submit artwork for *Let Your Light Shine*, please be sure to have it to Pastor Heather by Wednesday of this week.

HOLLOWELL CHURCH A Ministry of the Brethren in Christ December 9th, 2018

TODAY
Focus: Mary Christmas



Next Week!

Let Your Light Shine is Hollowell's adaptation of the traditional Children's Christmas Concert. Our children present their own individual Christmas "light" to illuminate and celebrate the Christmas season. Sunday, December 16th at 6:30 pm

What is happening at Hollowell in December?

December 9th Mary Christmas
December 16th Joe Noel 6:30 pm Let Your Light Shine
December 23rd Hollowell Family Christmas
December 24th Live Nativity
December 30th A Christmas Celebration

COOKIES NEEDED for Let Your Light Shine



If you can bake a dozen or more cookies for LYLS, please speak with Pastor Heather. Thank you for your contributions!

Cookies and Cider – from 9:00 to 10:00 a.m. on December 23rd and 30th. Join us for fellowship ahead of the service. If you would like to contribute to the cookie supply, please speak to Ruth Shilling.



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Statistics

Date	Attendance	Offering
11/11/18	241	8,531.73
11/18/18	286	11,920.00
11/25/18	218	7,613.09
12/02/18	224	9,005.17



There will be no Sunday morning life groups on December 23rd and 30th. New life groups will be starting on January 6th.

Ignite your passion for Jesus!



Wednesday 6:30-8:00 pm

Sunday 8:45-9:45 am

YOUTH MINISTRY

December 19th Christmas Party "Christmas Morning" (6pm-8pm)

December 28th 2018 Closeout Celebration



Speak to one of the pastors if interested



Basketball League

We need volunteers to coach, for hospitality and concession. If you have questions, please see Pastor Brian.

Congratulations

Zach and Sarah Meyers welcomed Isaiah David and Naomi Lynne into the world on Tuesday, December 4th; a pair of siblings for Obadiah (and cousins for Benaiah).

Robert and Jess Johnson had a baby boy, Milo Asher Johnson on November 30th, 2018; a brother to Delilah and Ryder and a new grandbaby for Tom and Penni Burkett!



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Seniors' Christmas Light Tour with Matt

6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

Wednesday, December 19th



The Hollowell Marriage Retreat takes place February 22nd-23rd at the Holiday Inn Express in Gettysburg. Our speaker is author and pastor, Tom Gardner. Cost is just \$110 per couple and includes a night's stay, as well as breakfast and lunch on Saturday. There will be a flyer in your mailbox coming soon!