

WE WELCOME YOU to worship this morning! We are glad you are here, and we invite you to worship with us regularly! If you are a visitor, or if you have a prayer or pastoral concern, please use the appropriate card in the pew rack.

PRAYER CONCERNS – *Bill Sellers, David Hickey, Phil Carpenter, Kimberly Coffey, Marcie Wisman, Gary Knott, Fred Smiley, Don Hall, Nan Brown, Christopher Showalter, Patsy Shull, Bobbi Harmon, Betty Ott, Gene Tuttle, Sondra Moore, Benjamin Arneson, Brittany Martin, Janie Hudkins, Marie Wood, Philip Carter Jr., Shirley Shomo, Billy Ruleman, Lenwood Shiflet, Ruth Rathburn, Carol Toney, Joy Surratt, Rachel Brown, Ruby Durham, Guy Smiley, Raymond Cline, Geneva Mader, Buddy Wright.*

BIRTHDAY WISHES *are extended to Gene Tuttle, who will be 86 on October 21; Jake Ott, who will be 87 on October 30; and to Skip Harmon, who will be 83 on October 31.*

ANNIVERSARY WISHES *are extended to Dick and Jean Miller, who were married for 56 years on October 19; Gene and Janet Tuttle, who will have been married for 58 years on October 22; and to Skip and Bobbi Harmon, who will have been married for 58 years on October 29.*

THANKS TO TODAY'S GREETERS: *Richard and Kim Rathburn and children; Mildred Ruleman. Next week: Nicola and Tara Cahill; Benny and Kathleen Cook.*

CHURCH CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF October 20, 2013

TODAY	9:55 a.m.	Sunday School for All Ages
	11:00 a.m.	Morning Worship
	6:30 p.m.	Hebron Youth Group
WEDNESDAY	10:00 a.m.	Bible Study, Library
		<i>No Choir Practice This Week</i>
THURSDAY	7:00 p.m.	Session Meets

ANNOUNCEMENTS

GOSPEL CONCERT – St. Paul's United Methodist Church on 2000 Shutterlee Mill Road in Staunton will present a gospel concert, "Total Praise," on Sunday, October 20, at 3:00 p.m., directed by Pam Beatty and accompanied by Martha Ramsey and combo. A free-will offering will be received. For more information, call 886-2317.

BIBLE STUDY MOVES TO WEDNESDAY MORNING – The Adult Bible Study class moved from Sunday nights to 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday mornings, the new time began on Wednesday, Oct. 16. If you have Bible questions, or if there is a particular Bible topic you would like to discuss, just contact Pastor Frank!

NOMINATIONS FOR CHURCH OFFICERS – Are you, or a member of the church whom you know, being called to serve on the Session for the next three years? If so, please provide your/their name to a member of the Church Nominating Committee (Hannah Bush, Lorrie Dean, Larry Mayer, Robin Ruleman, or Edna Stone), or place their name in the collection plate for the Nominating Committee to consider. Please contact anyone you intend to recommend for the committee's consideration, to see if he/she feels called, and that they would be willing to serve at this time. As always, there will be the opportunity to nominate candidates during the called congregational meeting to elect officers, which will be announced at a later date. The names of current Session members are on the bottom of the back page of today's bulletin. Members of the Class of 2013 rotate off the Session at the end of this year, and five members for the Class of 2016 will be elected this fall.

THE CABINET/PANTRY CLEANING PROJECT – Commitment/Witness is requesting that you look into your pantries and cabinets for any extra food items for SACRA. If you have extra items, please bring them to the church to be delivered to SACRA as an extension of our weekly food donations for the month of October. You can bring items for SACRA on any Sunday, or you can call the church office or any C/W member to come to your home and pick up items to take them to the church.

LAST FOUR WEEKS' OFFERINGS:

<u>October 13</u>	<u>October 6</u>	<u>September 29</u>	<u>September 22</u>
\$1,806	\$5,485	\$1,717	\$2,537

LOOKING AHEAD – Upcoming special days and events include:

Sunday, Oct. 27: Reformation Sunday, with an emphasis on Hebron's Protestant heritage.

Sunday, Nov. 3: All Saints Sunday, with an emphasis on giving thanks for all our ancestors and forebears in the Christian faith.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD – Hebron is again participating in the annual Operation Christmas Child project of Samaritan's Purse, also known as the "Shoebox Project." Plastic shoeboxes are again being provided by the church, and contributions must be made of the filled shoeboxes completed and brought to the church by Sunday, Nov. 10, to be ready for local delivery during the national collection period of Nov. 18-25.

Shoeboxes are available in the Session Room and vestibules and should be filled with appropriate items listed in the brochure which is included with the shoebox. Follow the instructions in the flyer on what types of gifts are needed, and how to label the box for a boy or girl, and the appropriate age category.

Gifts suggestions include small toys, school supplies, hygiene supplies, or other small items to fill the boxes. Do **not** include used or damaged items; war-related items such as toy guns, knives, or military figures; chocolate or food; liquids or lotions; medications or vitamins; breakable items such as snowglobes or glass containers; or aerosol cans.