

*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.

*THE FLOWERS TODAY* are given to the glory of God and in loving memory and gratitude for the life of Eugene Tuttle by his family.

**PRAYER CONCERNS** – Meade Loomis, Ronnie Broce, Richard Miller, Helen Breeden, Theresa Moore, Clay Graham, Ann Buchanan, Jean Goshorn, Maryann Pairet, Patsy Shull, Russ Ralston, Nioka Breeden, Robin Moyer, Nan Brown, Kathleen Gilmer, Lenwood Shiflet, Brayden Kier, Marie Wood, Fran Senderak, Kate Houff, Jake Ott, Buddy Wright, Bobbi Harmon, Sam Arnold, Ruby Durham, Tim Malcolm, Ruth Rathburn, Rick Shiflet, Benjamin Arneson

**SPECIAL BIRTHDAY WISHES** go to Jake Ott, who will be 89 on October 30.

**SPECIAL ANNIVERSARY WISHES** go to Dick and Jean Miller, who will have been married 58 years on October 19.

**CHURCH CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 18, 2015:**

TODAY	9:55 a.m.	Sunday School
	11:00 a.m.	Morning Worship
	6:00 p.m.	Christian Education Committee meets
	6:30 p.m.	Youth Group
WEDNESDAY	7:30 p.m.	Choir Practice
THURSDAY	7:00 p.m.	Session Meets
FRIDAY	10:00 a.m.	Bible Study on Romans

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**THANK YOU!** – The Fellowship Committee would like to thank everyone who helped with our Heritage Sunday meal after worship on October 11. Everyone seemed to enjoy the fellowship and our “light” luncheon. Special thanks go to those who made homemade goodies, such as Duane Dean’s macaroni salad, Peggy Hewitt’s cake, and Fay Moran’s marshmallow/jello salad. Thanks to everyone else who contributed in any way!

**HISTORICAL INFORMATION WANTED** – Bobbie Kennedy is looking for family trees and obituaries of Hebron Church members, photos of family members or events at Hebron (such as weddings, family reunions, Bible School, holiday dinners, men’s meetings or women’s circles, baptisms, etc.), newspaper articles related to Hebron and the neighborhood, Swoope Chapel, or Oak Grove Chapel and school. She is hoping to compile genealogy notebooks and other history to be presented to the church and retained in the library for reference by Homecoming 2016, when we celebrate our 270th year. You can bring original information to the office, or we can make copies for you.

**GETTING READY FOR THE HOLIDAYS** – It’s only October, but it’s already time to start thinking about Advent and Christmas. Two regular projects at Hebron include supporting *Operation Christmas Child* (the *Shoebox Project*), and buying wreaths and poinsettias to decorate the Sanctuary and doors for Advent and Christmas. We need to promote these projects early, because the deadline for completing shoeboxes is Nov. 8, and the deadline for buying poinsettias and wreaths is Nov. 22. Details of the projects follow.

**OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD**, familiarly known as the *Shoebox Project*, is the Christmas mission program of Samaritan’s Purse, a nondenominational evangelical Christian organization providing physical and spiritual aid to hurting people around the world. Since 1970, the organization, which is headed by Franklin Graham, has helped people who are victims of war, poverty, natural disaster, disease, and famine with the purpose of sharing God’s love through Jesus Christ.

Empty shoeboxes are on the table in the Session Room, with a page inside listing suggested items to pack. Be sure to pick up a label identifying whether the shoebox is packed for a boy or a girl, and the appropriate age group. You can also contribute to the church, and the Hebron Youth Group and the Commitment/Witness Committee will shop for you.

The collection deadline for Hebron is Nov. 8. It is so early because the collection dates in our area are Nov. 16-23. The deadline of Nov. 8 will give us time to complete any boxes that are partially filled, and to deliver our shoeboxes all at once.

**POINSETTIAS AND WREATHS** must be purchased by Sunday, Nov. 22, before the first Sunday of Advent, which is Nov. 29. Poinsettias will be \$6 each, and 16-inch wreaths are \$19 each – both the same prices as last year. Order forms are in the Vestibules and on the table in the Session Room. Please submit payment along with your order. Place orders with Brenda Smiley, or talk with her if you have any questions.

**THANKS FOR VASES** – Brenda Smiley, chair of the Flower Committee wants to thank all who contributed vases to the committee, and assures you they will be well used!

**LAST FIVE WEEKS’ OFFERINGS:**

<u>Oct 11</u>	<u>Oct 4</u>	<u>Sept 27</u>	<u>Sept 20</u>	<u>Sept 13</u>
\$3,299	\$3,453	\$2,859	\$2,803	\$1,936

**THE CHURCH NOMINATING COMMITTEE** is working to prepare a list of nominees to serve as Elders as members of the Class of 2018 of the Session. If there are active members of Hebron whom you would like the Nominating Committee to consider, please speak with any member of the committee: Lorrie Dean or Robin Moyer (co-chairs), Robert Christian, Vicki Drumheller, or Larry Mayer. You can also submit names for the committee’s consideration by placing a note in the offering plate on any Sunday, or by leaving a message (written or by telephone) with the church office. In addition to those who will be placed in nomination by the committee, it is always the practice of PC(USA) churches that there will be an opportunity for additional nominations from the floor during the congregational meeting when the election is held.