

# Hebron Happenings

A Note from Jason,

When you think about Thanksgiving what comes to mind? Perhaps the first thing is time with family around a dinner table (or the kids table) and how that has changed over the years as your family has changed. You might also think of particular things you are thankful for and sharing your thanks with God and others. One memory for me was my dad putting together a short thanksgiving services for our family. Of course, it would include hymns and singing as he was a music teacher! Once we read scripture and sang some hymns of thanks we would go around, and each say something that we were thankful for and often it would be difficult to keep dry eyes.

While my dad is no longer with us, these are precious memories of time with my family and I will always be grateful to God for the time we

had together and for these family services (even if I wasn't always thrilled in the moment!). I hope during this season of giving thanks you might

take time to share some of the things you are thankful for with God and also with those whom you love. While it might seem strange, it is truly a blessing to share your thanks with others. But in fact, thanksgiving and sharing thanks is central to the Christian life. As Christians we recognize all we have is a gift from God and therefore our lives should be lived out in a way that expresses our thanks for all the good things in our life. So I hope that God will bless you during this Thanksgiving season and please know that I am thankful for you and the opportunity to journey together in faith at Hebron.

God Bless,  
Jason



## Hebron Choir

Choir is usually meeting after church. We do ask that other committee meetings involving choir members try to hold their meetings at another time. We need all the practice time that we can get!!



## Pavilion Update

Our Pavilion is such a beautiful, tranquil example of what we accomplish together in Christ. We have now achieved another milestone – The Pavilion is now electric! Thanks to all who donated their time and talents that allowed us to reach this point.

As we move forward, the Pavilion committee would like input as to what we should name the Pavilion. Perhaps spending some time at the pavilion taking in the vista you might be inspired to suggest a name that expresses our gratitude for this wonderful space.

### Show and Tell Dinner

Our fellowship dinner in October was followed by "Show and Tell". The lunch was really delicious with 6 soup options. The program after lunch was quite varied.

Alf Butler showed us some sizeable tools that he has made the handles for,

Steve DeVito talked about his efforts to improve on the design of an inline skate.

Tege Friedl showed us a photo of the Buckhorn Church and explained what damage the flood had done.

Phyllis showed us her collection of jacks, balls for jacks, dice and a very old set of pickup sticks.

Edi Davidson showed her student nurse uniform, a nurse's cap, a traditional white uniform, and the green scrubs she currently wears. She also talked about how she became a nurse.

Robbie talked about how she has created photo books with family photos from her Aunt Enid and to commemorate a special trip to Glacier National Park.

June Armstrong sang and accompanied herself on the autoharp--a song about Caleb she wrote for a Hebron anniversary celebration. "Hey, Don't You Want to Be Like Caleb!"

Nan showed us the beautifully quilted items she has created for the holidays and a special Pittsburgh quilt. These are items she has made along with her sewing group that meets at Hebron.



### The Stories in Hebron's Stained Glass Windows

Hebron has 11 stainless windows surrounding our sanctuary that we see each Sunday but may not pay much attention to. In each of these windows is an image formed in stained glass that tells a story. Some images may have more than one story and that story may differ from person to person.

The first image that will featured can be called "Morning has Broken". It is located near the Old Session on the left side of the Church." "Morning has Broken" is beautifully described in Hymn 60 of our hymnal. Each day is a new day that God has given us. The day is ahead of us to praise God and do what we can to help our neighbors. Lets make it a great day!



**The November Game Night will be held on November 19th** in the social hall from 6:30 to 9:00 pm. In October we had a couple Mexican Train fans join us—maybe you'd enjoy that too?

**A new hospitality signup** is available in the church entrance. Everyone seems to enjoy this opportunity to snack and to socialize.



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