# Church of the Brethren

# Passport Program Self Tour Booklet

# of the Southern District of Ohio Churches

God is moving in our midst. Will you listen anew and afresh to the Spirit-- living out the love of Jesus for each of us; finding your place in carrying out the mission to which God is calling you? Together we are greater than the sum of our parts and with the Spirit of God moving, energizing, and inspiring, great, marvelous, and wonderful things will be accomplished. We are in this together; we are God's church known as the Church of the Brethren in Southern Ohio and Kentucky . . . the church with over 50 meeting places throughout this region with more meeting places to come.

Homepage of http://www.sodcob.org/

Some people in the district have expressed wanting to know more about our brothers and sisters in other churches. They wish to know their locations, members of their congregations, how they worship, and other activities of their church. Some may also want to share their experiences. If this is your desire, the Passport Program will facilitate your goal.

# **Keeping it simple**

This program is meant to be handled as a self tour effort and to minimize the administration of this adventure. No permission is required and can be completed at the individual's own pace.

Quite simply, using the attached list of Southern Ohio District churches, you would:

- identify the church you wish to attend
- look up the address
- check the worship start time
- show up and enjoy the service and the adventure

There are no approvals, confirmations, or advance notices required. Just do it!

This Passport Program document (Microsoft Word) can be downloaded from the SOD website (<a href="www.sodcob.org">www.sodcob.org</a>) and will be maintained by the district office. The district will also print copies and make available as requested.

# **Benefit to the Church**

A common discussion item among all churches is to identify ways to grow and expand membership and participation. The Passport Program can facilitate individual churches to improve their program to welcome visitors and new potential members.

Matthew 10:40 NRSV

"Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me."

Matthew 10:40 (The Message)

"We are intimately linked in this harvest work. Anyone who accepts what you do, accepts me, the One who sent you. Anyone who accepts what I do accepts my Father, who sent me."

# **Suggestions to enhance the Passport Adventure**

Based on the experiences of those who have already started and or completed this program, you may wish to document your visits. Beyond "Just showing up", we are offering some suggestions to enhance your adventure:

- Take pictures
  - church marquee,
  - the church,
  - o inside of the church,
  - o members.
- Obtain a copy of the Sunday bulletin, if available.
- Introduce yourself to the pastor, and other members of the congregation and share your participation.
- Obtain a map of the SOD churches and use colored pins to show progress of visitations.
- As a church, use the SOD church map to identify churches visited by members of the congregation and to show churches visited.
- Challenge other churches to see who can complete their visitation map the fastest.

# List of Southern Ohio Churches 09-14-2017

**Bear Creek Church of the Brethren** 

Phone: 937-835-5886 Address: 7500 W. Third St. Dayton, OH 45417

Worship Service: 9:30

For directions, use a map application

**Brookville Church of the Brethren** 

Phone Number: 937-833-3215 Address: 220 Western Ave Brookville, OH 45309

Worship Service: 10:30

For directions, use a map application

**Beavercreek Church of the Brethren** 

Phone: 937-426-0615

Address: 2659 Dayton Xenia Rd

Beavercreek, OH 45434-6415

Worship Service: **10:15** *Facebook page available* 

**Castine Church of the Brethren** 

Phone number: 937-678-9945

Address: 624 U. S. 127

Arcanum, OH 45304 Worship Service: **8:00 and 10:45** 

Facebook page available

**Beech Grove Church of the Brethren** 

Phone: 937-997-4895

Address: 3420 Harrison Rd

Hollansburg, OH 45332

Worship Service: **10:00** *Facebook page available* 

Cedar Grove Church of the Brethren

Phone number: 937-997-3675

Address: 373 Love Rd.

New Paris, OH 45347

Worship Service: 10:00

For directions, use a map application

Bellefontaine Church of the Brethren

Phone Number: 937-599-2251 Address: 534 S. Detroit St.

Bellefontaine, OH 43311

Worship Service: 10:30

For directions, use a map application

**Charleston Church of the Brethren** 

Phone Number: 740-773-2057

Address: 250 Dunkard Hill Rd./Rt. 296

Chillicothe, OH 45601

Worship Service: 9:30

For directions, use a map application
At the east end of Tar Hollow State Park

**Bradford Church of the Brethren** 

Phone Number: 937-448-2215 Address: 120 W. Oakwood St

Bradford, OH 45308 Worship Service: **9:15 and 10:45** 

Facebook page available

Cincinnati Church of the Brethren

Phone Number: 513-549-0797

Address: 950 Nassau St

Cincinnati, OH 45206

Worship Service: **11:00** *Facebook page available* 

#### Circleville Church of the Brethren

Phone Number: 740-474-1376

Address: 1115 South Pickaway Street

Circleville, OH 43113

Worship Service: 10:30 Facebook page available

#### **Eaton Church of the Brethren**

Phone Number: 937-456-5507 Address: 813 Camden Rd. Eaton, Oh 45320

Worship Service: 8:45 and 10:45 For directions, a map application

#### **Constance Church of the Brethren**

Phone Number: 859-689-7513

Address: 4160 River Rd.

Hebron, KY 41048 Worship Service: 11:00

Facebook page available

#### **Emmanuel Church of the Brethren**

Phone Number: 937-233-1422 Address: 5657 Rosebury Drive

Huber Heights (Dayton), OH 45424

Worship Service: 10:30

For directions, use a map application

#### **Covington Church of the Brethren**

Phone Number: 937-473-2415

Address: 101 N. Wall St

Covington, OH 45318

Worship Service: 9:30 Facebook page available

#### **Eversole Church of the Brethren**

Phone Number: 937-687-3690 Address: 11414 Old Dayton Rd New Lebanon, OH 45345

Worship Service: 10:25

For directions, use a map application

#### **Donnels Creek Church of the Brethren**

Phone Number: 937-964-8032

Address: 6562 Detrick Jordan Pike

Springfield, OH 45502

Worship Service: 10:10

For directions, use a map application

#### Flat Creek Church of the Brethren

Phone Number: 606-598-5765 Address: 76 Brethren Church Rd

Big Creek, KY 40914

Worship Service: 9:30 Facebook page available

I-75 south to London, KY. Exit onto east Hal Rogers Pkwy. Right onto south Hwy 66.

#### **East Dayton Church of the Brethren**

Phone number: 937-252-0021

Address: 3520 E. Third St.

Dayton, OH 45403

Worship Service: 10:30

For directions, use a map application

#### **Good Shepherd Church of the Brethren**

Phone Number: 937-667-3476 Address: 7240 Peters Rd.

Tipp City, OH 45371

Worship Service: 10:30

For directions, use a map application

#### **Gratis Church of the Brethren**

Phone Number: 937-248-9412

Address: 203 Ada Doty St./St. Rt. 503

Gratis, OH 45330 Worship Service: **10:30** Facebook page available

#### **Lower Miami Church of the Brethren**

Phone Number: 937-263-5111 Address: 5353 Germantown Pike

Dayton, OH 45417 Worship Service: **11:00** Facebook page available

#### **Greenville Church of the Brethren**

Phone Number: 937-548-3583 Address: 421 Central Ave

Greenville, OH 45331

Worship Service: **10:30** *Facebook page available* 

#### **Mack Memorial Church of the Brethren**

Phone Number: 937-277-9336 Address: 1717 Salem Ave Dayton, OH 45406 Worship Service: 11:00

Facebook page available

#### **Happy Corner Church of the Brethren**

Phone Number: 937-836-1204 Address: 7037 Union Rd

Clayton, OH 45315

Worship Service: **8:15 and 10:30** For directions, use a map application

#### Mud Lick Church of the Brethren

Phone Number: 606-596-0738

Address: 1417 S. Hwy 421/Sandhill Rd.

Manchester, KY 40962

Worship Service: **11:00** Facebook page available

#### Harris Creek Church of the Brethren

Phone Number: 937-448-6179 Address: 8011 N. St. Rt. 721

Bradford, OH 45308

Worship Service: 10:30

For directions, use a map application

#### New Carlisle Church of the Brethren

Phone Number: 937-845-1428

Address: 219 N. Main St

New Carlisle, OH 45344

Worship Service: 10:30

For directions, use a map application

#### **Living Peace Church of the Brethren**

Phone Number: 614-736-1926 Address: 2309 Summit View Road

Powell, OH 43065 Worship Service: **10:00** 

For directions, use a map application

#### Oakland Church of the Brethren

Phone Number: 937-448-2287

Address: 8058 Horatio Harris Creek Rd.

Bradford, OH 45308

Worship Service: **10:30** Facebook page available

#### Olivet Church of the Brethren

Phone Number: 740-246-6860

Address: 10788 Zion Rd

Thornville, OH 43076

Worship Service: **10:25** *Facebook page available* 

#### **Potsdam Church of the Brethren**

Phone Number: 937-947-1970 Address: 22 East Cross Street Potsdam, OH 45361

Worship Service: **10:25** Facebook page available

#### **Painter Creek Church of the Brethren**

Phone Number: 937-548-6305 Address: 8593 St. Rt. 571

Arcanum, OH 45304

Worship Service: 10:00

For directions, use a map application

#### **Prices Creek Church of the Brethren**

Phone Number: 937-678-5696 Address: 8578 Monroe Central Rd. West Manchester, OH 45382

Worship Service: 9:25

For directions, use a map application

#### Piqua Church of the Brethren

Phone Number: 937-773-6342 Address: 525 Boal Avenue

Piqua, OH 45356 Worship Service: **9:30** 

For directions, use a map application

#### Prince of Peace Church of the Brethren

Phone Number: 937-294-0708 Address: 800 E. David Rd. Dayton, OH 45429

Worship Service: **10:40**Website: popcob.org
Facebook page available

#### **Pitsburg Church of the Brethren**

Phone Number: 937-692-8772 Address: 8376 Pitsburg-Laura Rd. Arcanum, OH 45304

Worship Service: 10:00

For directions, use a map application

#### Salem Church of the Brethren

Phone Number: 937-836-6145

Address: 6037 Phillipsburg Union Rd.

Englewood, OH 45322

Worship Service: **10:00** *Facebook page available* 

#### Pleasant Hill Church of the Brethren

Phone Number: 937-676-2281 Address: 300 E Monument St Pleasant Hill, OH 45359

Worship Service: 10:30

For directions, use a map application

#### Stonelick Church of the Brethren

Phone Number: 513-625-9866 Address: 6426 State Route 727 Pleasant Plain, OH 45162

Worship Service: **10:45**Facebook page available
Near Stonelick State Park

#### **Stony Creek Church of the Brethren**

Phone Number: 937-585-5056 Address: 3570 County Rd. 31 S.

Bellefontaine, OH 43311

Worship Service: **10:30** *Facebook page available* 

### **Union City Church of the Brethren**

Phone Number: 937-968-4581

Address: 120 E. Oak St.

Union City, OH 45390

Worship Service: 10:30

For directions, use a map application

#### Strait Creek Church of the Brethren

Phone Number: 937-585-5056

Address: St. Rt. 41

Peebles, OH 45660

Worship Service: 10:30

For directions, use a map application

#### West Alexandria Church of the Brethren

Phone Number: 937-839-5417

Address: 22 E. Oak St

West Alexandria, OH 45381

Worship Service: **10:30** *Facebook page available* 

# **Trinity Church of the Brethren**

Phone Number: 937-492-9937 Address: 2220 N. Main St.

Sidney, OH 45365

Worship Service: **10:30** *Facebook page available* 

#### **West Charleston Church of the Brethren**

Phone Number: 937-667-3988 Address: 4817 State Route 202 Tipp City, OH 45371

Worship Service: 10:15 (Spanish spoken)

Facebook page available

#### **Trotwood Church of the Brethren**

Phone Number: 937-837-6604

Address: 208 E. Main St

Trotwood, OH 45426

Worship Service: **10:45** *Facebook page available* 

#### West Milton Church of the Brethren

Phone Number: 937-698-4395 Address: 918 S. Miami St./St. Rt. 48 West Milton, OH 45383

Worship Service: **10:30** Facebook page available

#### **Troy Church of the Brethren**

Phone Number: 937-335-8835 Address: 1431 W. Main St

Troy, OH 45373

Worship Service: **10:40**Website: troycob.org
Facebook page available

#### White Cottage Church of the Brethren

Phone Number: 740-849-3052 Address: 5700 Bagley Rd.

White Cottage, OH 43791

Worship Service: **10:30** *Facebook page available*