

MOUNTAIN VIEW COMMUNITY CHURCH

URBANA, MD



Mountain View Community Church is located on approximately 20 acres along I-270 in Urbana, MD. The 29,000 sq-ft building is a hybrid of a pre-engineered metal building and structural masonry and will offer class rooms, offices, daycare, and a large multi-purpose room.



THE CHURCH AT SEVERN RUN

SEVERN, MD



The Church at Severn Run in Severn Maryland is a 40,415 s.f. first phase of construction on 40 acres in Anne Arundel County. A detailed programming phase and masterplan for the property initiated a pre-development effort to provide a home for a church which had outgrown its facility and worshiped in multiple leased spaces.

The final design provides a daylit two-story narthex, and a multi-purpose room with 860 seats and a large platform. This space has been detailed with auditorium characteristics through its floor plan, lighting, and ceiling design. A secured nursery zone, second floor classrooms and administrative space, as well as a youth lounge and chapel for 250 complete the program.



ST. PAUL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

CHAMBERSBURG, PA



NAVE & CHANCEL AREA

The large open volume of this space certainly duplicates that of a large Victorian worship center.

Seating in the Nave area surrounds the pulpit in a circular configuration. There is seating for 484 attendees and 44 choir members.

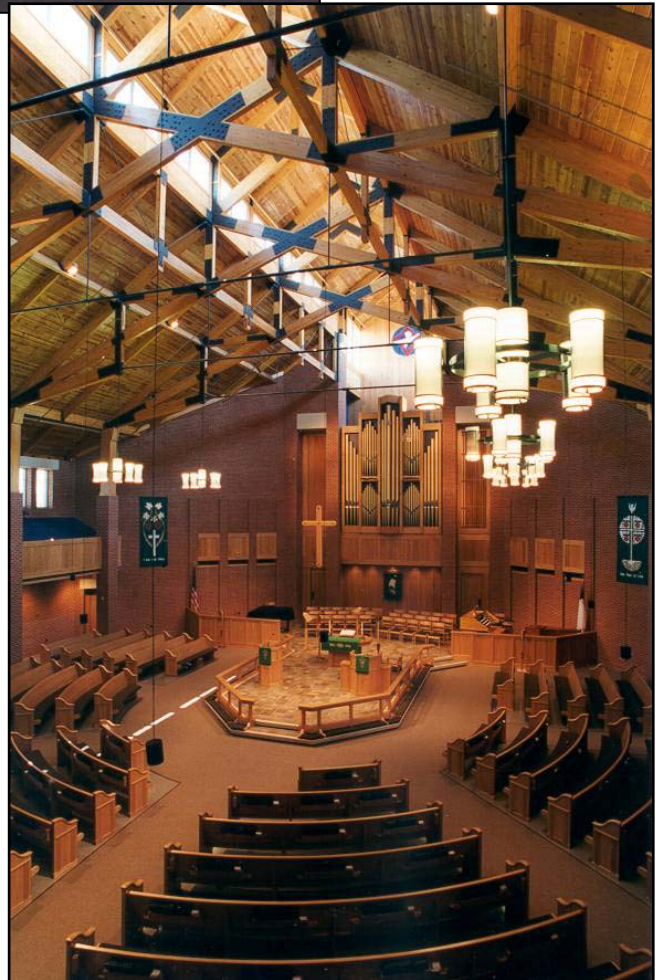
During the daytime, sunlight floods into the area from both the second tier windows as well as the high mid-roof windows.

MEMORIAL CHAPEL

The Chapel offers a smaller more intimate worship setting with seating for 54 people.

FAMILY LIFE CENTER

This part of the facility contains over 5,700 SF and includes a full-size basketball court, kitchen and storage room.



KING STREET UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH PHASE II

CHAMBERSBURG, PA



This 36,900 sq. ft. addition added much needed classroom space including 5,000 sq. ft. section for the “Growing Tree Preschool”, a courtyard and a large group fellowship space. The existing buildings had been constructed at different floor levels and of various building materials, such as wood, load bearing brick, load bearing masonry and structural steel. The new addition abutted a busy downtown street and had to tie all of the past projects together aesthetically as well as address the plans for the future 1500 seat sanctuary.

KING STREET UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH PHASE I

CHAMBERSBURG, PA



The Baker Center represents the first phase of a master plan to enlarge the campus of the historic King Street Church in Chambersburg PA. The new facility houses a state of the art kitchen and sound and lighting systems to assist the church in their present and future ministry needs.

Brechbill & Helman Construction Company, Inc. was awarded the low bid contract to build the 24,116 SF facility in an aggressive eight-month time frame. This task was made even more difficult due to the tight site and the limited staging area. The professionalism and astute planning of the project administrator and the attention to details and quality by everyone on the team made this project a true asset to their growing campus.



CORA I. GROVE SPIRITUAL CENTER

SHIPPENSBURG, PA



The 14,212 SF Cora I. Grove Spiritual Center is a religious facility built to provide students of Shippensburg University a place to worship off campus. The Spiritual Center is located just off the Shippensburg University's campus. Each level features kitchen facilities, offices as well as meeting and conference areas.



The structure of the project utilizes load bearing masonry walls as well as steel and heavy timber members. A combination of masonry products were used on the exterior walls along with an intricate sloping metal roof design.

The large metal clad windows allow natural light into the two-story structure. The design of the large interior worship space accentuates the light flowing into the building through these windows.

MT. PLEASANT UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH

CHAMBERSBURG, PA



This 9,900 sq. ft. addition is the first completed scope of a multi-phased master plan for this church.

New Education Wing on left will eventually link existing Multi-purpose Building (with Cross) to new Sanctuary to be built in the next phase. Future phases of educational space will tie the new Sanctuary to the existing Sanctuary in the background by wrapping around a courtyard.



A new two-story Entrance Foyer connects new and existing buildings. The initial phase included extensive renovation of the existing buildings while incorporating traffic flow and utility planning for future phases.



STATE COLLEGE ASSEMBLY OF GOD

STATE COLLEGE, PA



A project development team consisting of the owner, architect and Brechbill & Helman Construction Company, Inc. worked together to design and construct this 47,000 SF facility.

The design criteria from the owner was to construct a multi-purpose facility with adjacent support space. They wanted the flexibility of having large gatherings and athletic events in the same space that would contain the Sunday morning worship. That space was *not* to have the atmosphere of a gymnasium, but of a worship center.

Contained in the facility is a 12,000 SF multi-purpose area, full kitchen, classrooms, daycare, chapel, fellowship hall, youth center and staff offices.

A delicate balance was achieved between form, function, appearance and budget. All members of the development team worked in concert to produce an outstanding facility. Brechbill & Helman Construction Company, Inc. feels very honored in being selected as the general contractor and team member.

SOLOMON'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

CHAMBERSBURG, PA



The 8,943 SF multi-purpose building culminates the Owner's wish to build a project that is sensitive to their historic circa 1800's church. To maintain the historical integrity, a separate building has been constructed with materials that is similar and complementary to the existing facility. The exterior façade utilizes sand faced brick and split faced veneer along with asphalt shingles.

Being a small congregation, completing the project within budget constraints was of paramount importance. The congregation also had two distinct goals for the project. One group was keenly interested in the athletic opportunities available with the building and another group saw the large space as a place of social gatherings and fundraising opportunities. Implementation of these two divergent goals were discussed at every point of decision. The result of this focus is a project that is truly a multi-purpose facility that meets the needs of the entire congregation.

