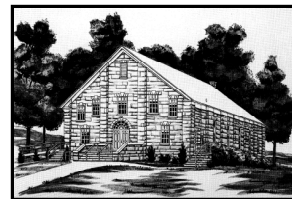


**Missionaries of the Month:** Richard and Elsie Bowman in Albania.  
 "Thank God for bringing us back safely again to the friendly and gracious city of Lezhë, and pray that he would continue to teach us humility and how to live vulnerably among those who believe in him and those who do not yet believe."

**A Look at VMissions:** Pray that God's Spirit would be at work preparing staff and resource persons for the Windward Retreat next month, a VMissions retreat to help people explore God's call on their lives. Pray that participants would be responsive to the Spirit's leading.



# Weavers Mennonite Church

**Worship Celebration  
 Sunday, November 1, 2015**

*Called into God's Family, we join together  
 to be transformed through worship,  
 to nurture one another,  
 to be equipped to serve Jesus Christ, and  
 to carry out His mission in the world.*

We are delighted to welcome each person to engage in the worship of God. As God's children let us joyfully praise our heavenly Father.

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**Prelude** (and offertory)

c/o the Wright Family

**Welcome & Announcements**

Regina Brubaker

**Worship in Song**

c/o Larry Sauder

**Focusing**

**Worship in Hymns**

Susie Shank

HWB 592, "Love divine"  
 HWB 589, "My Shepherd Will Supply my Needs"

**First Fruits Giving: Missions**

**Sermon: "Filled with Compassion"**

Phil Kanagy

Scripture: Luke 7:11-15

**Hymn of Response**

HWB 581, "Take Thou my Hand"

**Sharing & Prayer**

**Benediction & Closing Song**

*(Elder Don Martin will be in the Prayer Room following the service for anyone needing a ministry of prayer)*

## TODAY AT WEAVERS

**Sunday School Classes for Children, Youth and Adults begin at 9:30am.**

Ushers are glad to assist with directions.

- ◆ Hearing assistance units are available from the ushers.

Nursery services are available. Attendants this week: Renee Hiter, Lauren Rhodes

## THIS WEEK AT WEAVERS

**Wednesday, November 4**

6:30pm Kids Club

6:30pm Jr. Youth this week

7pm Prayer Meeting

8pm Sr. Youth

**Thursday, November 5**

Noon Senior Lunch Out at Shady Oak

**Sunday, November 8**

Speaker: Phil Kanagy, "Mercy and Sacrifice"

Scripture - Matthew 12:1-14

### Statistics for Sunday Service, October 25, 2015

Worship Attendance - 160

Offering: Budget - \$7,692; "Operating" - 50

History Book - \$100

### Announcements

**Happy Birthday blessings to:** Jim Mumaw, Bill Showalter, Glenn Deputy, Andrea Knight, and Allen Early

**Featured College Age Students of the Week: Take a moment to contact and encourage** our young adults via an email, snail mail, or face book message. This week pray for and remember: **Monica Brunk**, 969 Nellie's Cave Rd., Blacksburg VA 24060 [monica96@vt.edu](mailto:monica96@vt.edu) and **Isaac Driver**, 1630 Park Rd. Harrisonburg, VA 22802 [isaac.driver@emu.edu](mailto:isaac.driver@emu.edu)

**Our Fall Missions Offering today** is divided as such: 35% Virginia Mennonite Missions (formerly VA Board of Missions), 35% Mennonite Missions Network (formerly Mennonite Board of Missions), 15% Central District, and 15% Weavers Missions.

**Peace Lamp Note: Marcellus was a Christian pacifist martyr of the Roman era who died in 298.** He was a soldier who became a Christian. He said: "I serve Jesus Christ, the eternal King. I will no longer serve your emperors." For this he was executed. His death is/was remembered on Oct. 30.

Pray that our devotion to Jesus may be as complete.

—David Alleman, Weavers Peace Advocate

**The 14th annual Festival of Praise**, a praise-filled concert of men's singing groups and combined chorus, will be Sunday, November 1 at 4 pm at the Eastern Mennonite School auditorium, 801 Parkwood Drive, Harrisonburg. Featuring 12 singing groups each performing two songs and then combining into a mass chorus for the finale, this concert will raise funds for the ministries of Virginia Mennonite Missions.

**Eastern Mennonite University is hosting Dr. Malinda Elizabeth Berry for the annual Augsburg Lecture Series.** Dr. Berry, Assistant Professor of Theology and Ethics at Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary, is speaking on Mennonite Higher Education As Mission. The public is welcome to attend Seminary Chapel on Tuesday, November 3, 11-11:45 a.m. in Martin Chapel and University Chapel on Wednesday, November 4, 10-10:30 a.m. in Lehman Auditorium. For more information, please visit [emu.edu/studentlife/campus-ministries/spiritual-life/augsburger-lecture-series/](http://emu.edu/studentlife/campus-ministries/spiritual-life/augsburger-lecture-series/)

**Bridge of Hope's 5th Annual Luncheon & Fashion Show** will be Saturday, November 7, at Park View Mennonite Church. Doors open at 11 am for the silent auction with a meal provided by Bowl of Good, followed by a fashion show featuring clothing from Gift & Thrift and accessories from Ten Thousand Villages. You will also have the opportunity to meet the couple behind the Teeny Tiny Spice Company, and a chance to purchase some of their unique spice blends to try at home! Tickets are \$25 per person, or inquire about sponsoring a table! For information please contact [melodybridgeofhope@gmail.com](mailto:melodybridgeofhope@gmail.com).

**Windward: exploring your missional call.** Steer into the wind with a 24-hour (evening to evening) retreat offering a space to discern what God is saying to you about your missional call. Leaders Linford and Janet Stutzman will share expertise as cross-cultural mission workers and as leaders of university students sailing and studying in the lands of the Bible. Join us December 4-5, 2015 at Massanetta Springs Camp and Conference Center, 712 Massanetta Springs Rd, Harrisonburg, VA. RSVP and find more information at [vmmissions.org/serve/windward](http://vmmissions.org/serve/windward)> Cost is \$60/person or \$100/couple for all sessions, including meals and lodging.

**Pleasant View invites you to the 21st Annual Banquet.** Join us for a delicious meal, captivating fellowship, and an inspirational program 6:00pm Saturday November 21, 2015 at the Eastern Mennonite High School Dining Room 801 Parkwood Dr., Harrisonburg, Va. The program, Teachers of the Soul, will be presented by Dave Gullman and our Pleasant View Worship Team. Please RSVP by November 11, 2015 to Pam Miller at 540-896-8101 or [pmiller@pleasantviewinc.org](mailto:pmiller@pleasantviewinc.org). A free-will offering will be received to support individuals with intellectual disabilities served by Pleasant View.

**Devices for Lending:** Weavers has been given several commonly needed physical assistance devices (a walker and a cane) that are available for those who need it for a short period of time. If you would like to borrow one of the devices, call Sandi at the church office: 434-7758.