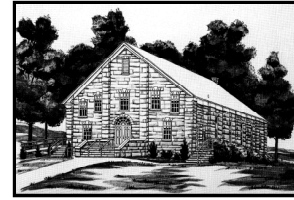


Missionaries of the Month: Norma Teles and Allen Umble. Allen serves with Albania Mennonite Missions in Lushnje. From Allen, "In the home where I teach English in the village, the eight year old boy is suffering pain in his head-possibility from when their big rolling iron gate fell on him last summer. Pray for the healing for Bekim and for the mother to know how to find help for this problem."

Norma directs the Joshua Center, a preschool and after-school child care center for marginalized Roma children in Lezhë. Pray for Norma as she has gallbladder stones that are causing health problems and may need surgery. Pray for removal of the stones in whatever way God sees as best.

A Look at VMissions: Give thanks for the way Robbie and Anna* continue to grow and learn in their new North African home. Ask God to bless their young lives, that they will know the deep love of Jesus. (*names changed)



Weavers Mennonite Church

Worship Celebration
Sunday, January 31, 2016

*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.*

A WARM WELCOME. We appreciate your presence here today. We enjoy the new and familiar faces as we gather together. May the Lord help each of us to love, adore and worship him – our great Savior.

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Prelude (and offertory) c/o Wright Family

Welcome & Announcements Myron Brubaker

Worship in Song c/o Barry Koogler

Focusing

Worship in Hymns Larry Sauder

First Fruits Giving

Sermon: "The Practice of the Presence of God" Guest, Don Yoder
Scripture: Psalm 16

Hymn of Response

Sharing & Prayer

Benediction

Sending Song

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: Rachael Sauder, Anna Layton

Noon Fellowship Meal in Shady Oak , followed by Congregational Business Meeting. All are welcome.

THIS WEEK AT WEAVERS

Monday, February 1

7pm Pastoral Council

Wednesday, February 3

6:30pm Kids Clubs

6:30pm Jr. Youth Group

7pm Prayer Meeting

8pm Sr. Youth Group

Thursday, February 4

Noon Senior Lunch Out at Shady Oak

6:30pm Ministries Council

Saturday, February 6

Winter Delegate Session held at Waynesboro Mennonite Church

Sunday, February 7

Speaker: Phil Kanagy , "The Seven Deadly Sins" (Introduction)

Scripture: Psalm 1

Nursery Attendants: Phyllis Early, Anna Layton

Snow Cancellation - No Statistics for Sunday Service, January 24, 2016

Announcements

Happy Birthday blessings this week to Myron Brubaker, Glen Kiser, Clara Holden, Frances Campbell, Kendall Wenger, and Lance Wenger.

Our sympathies go to Debbie & Wayne Huffman in the passing of Debbie's father, Donald Sharpes on Sat., January 23.

Weavers' EMHS Brotherhood Fund Offering is scheduled for Sunday, Feb. 7. Please pray about how you can help assist financially.

Come visit the Weavers Library! Additional books have been added and can be found in the new books section. Books include fiction, marriage and family, and Christian Living. More books will be added soon as well.

Have you purchased your copy of our Weavers history book, "How Firm a Foundation"? They will be available in the church foyer today.

Athalyn Good wishes to thank all who sent her birthday cards for her 90th birthday! She appreciated those very much, and wants each sender to know that she prayed for each of the senders as she again looked through the cards.

Come enjoy a special evening with your Sweetheart at Shady Oak on Feb. 13th. Family style dinner begins at 5:30pm, \$15 per couple. Don't forget to bring a wedding photo for our display! RSVP by Feb. 3 to Regina regina@weaversmc.org or to Sandi at the church office 434-7758.

The Highland Benefit Auction and Scholarship Brunch is designed to subsidize camp tuition and provide scholarships for families in need. Save the date and join Highland Retreat on Saturday, February 13 at Eastern Mennonite High School. Contact info@highlandretreat.org if you have a new item, service, or baked goods you would like to contribute or see highlandretreat.org for details.

What is the **Women's Peacebuilding Leadership Program** which has brought cohorts of women from countries in Africa and the South Pacific to EMU for the past four years? Jan Jenner was the founder and first director of this innovative answer to the worldwide underuse of women's knowledge and skills in preventing, transforming and healing conflict. Come to the ACRS breakfast, February 8, 7:30 a.m. West Dining Room of EMU to hear Jan's story of this visionary peacebuilding program.

Engage with the Dismantling the Doctrine of Discovery project at Eastern Mennonite University, February 15 through March 2. A traveling historical exhibit timeline created to educate and raise awareness among Mennonites and other Christians about the Doctrine of Discovery is on display in the Campus Center Greeting Hall from February 15-March 4. The Loss of Turtle Island participatory learning experience, depicting the historic relationship between European settlers – including Mennonites – and the Indigenous nations, is on March 2 from 7-8:30 p.m. in the Campus Center Greeting Hall. Both events are free and open to the public. Youth groups are invited. dofdmenno.org

Annual Meat Canning for MCC will be February 22-26 at the Hinton Mennonite Relief Center, Hinton, Va. Virginia Mennonite Conference is responsible to provide help on Tuesday, February 23. (Help is needed from 5 am until 11 pm each day.) Friday, February 27 is scheduled as a community day and help is especially needed in the early morning. Anyone is welcome to come and help on any day! Funds are needed to purchase turkey for processing and for the ongoing operation of the Relief Center. If you would like to contribute to this project you can send a donation to the: Hinton Mennonite Relief Center, PO Box 519, Dayton, VA 22821. If you have any questions about this project you can contact Leon Rhodes at (540) 867-9751 or Gerald Knically at (540) 879-2077. Thanks for your participation in this effort to feed the less fortunate in the world.

Mennonite Your Way is a hospitality Directory listing over 1,700

Mennonite/ Brethren - related host families who open their homes to provide overnight accommodations and fellowship for travelers passing through their area. First published in 1976, the Mennonite Your Way Directory has included families across the United States, Canada and in more recent years, Internationals in more than 65 counties. Interested? To order your Directory visit the website or for more information, call, mail or email to: Jay & Glosa Basler, Mennonite Your Way Directory, 6200 E P True Pkwy #506, West Des Moines, IA 50266 USA. Phone (847)949-6179 Email: myw@mywdirectory.com www.mennoniteyourway.com

Blue Ridge Hospice always has a need for Patient and Family Support volunteers, but we also have openings for Thrift Shop volunteers.

Our Thrift Shop on Neff Street in Harrisonburg is really in need of some more volunteers. Our stores enable us to provide support for our Patient Care Fund, to ensure that we are able to provide services to all patients. To learn more, contact Kelly Miller or Susan Jarvis at Blue Ridge