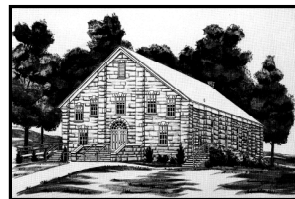


Missionaries of the Month: Pray for missionaries in Lezhe, Albania: Dini & Klementina Shahini, Anna McMullen, and Alex Rubel.

A Look at VMissions: Crystal Lehman has just finished her first month of teaching in Buenos Aires, Argentina. Pray for her as she continues to become accustomed to lesson planning each day.



Weavers Mennonite Church

**Annual Church Campout
Worship Celebration
Highland Retreat, Bergton, VA
Sunday, September 4, 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 hearty greeting and welcome to all. It is a privilege to worship God. We are glad for this time of togetherness before the Lord. Praise the Lord!



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Welcome & Announcements

Jim Mumaw

Worship in Song

c/o Barry Koogler

Focusing

First Fruits Giving

Children's Time

Regina Brubaker

Sermon: "The Jabbok Struggle"

Phil Kanagy

Scripture: Genesis 32:22-31

Hymn of Response "Be Thou My Vision"

Faith Journeys and Vows

Baptismal Candidates: Joelle Blosser, Caroline Simonetti, Katelyn Kauffman, Jessica Kauffman, Jacob Yoder

Baptism at the creek

(songs from song sheet following each baptism)

Benediction

THIS WEEK AT WEAVERS

Monday, September 5

Labor Day - church office closed

Wednesday, September 7

6:30-8:30 pm Jr. / Sr. Youth & Families Picnic

7 pm Prayer Mtg. at Marjorie Witmer's, 1580 N. College Ave., Park View.

Sunday, September 11

Speaker, Micah Hurst

Statistics for Sunday Service August 28, 2016

Worship Attendance - 171

Offering: Special Offering - \$7,477.774

Announcements

Happy Birthday blessings this week to Ed Garrison (today!), Barb Gunden, and Regina Brubaker. Also, belated wishes to Lisa Hertzler whose birthday was Sat.

Pastor Phil and Janine Kanagy will be on vacation from Sept. 5-18, doing some traveling. For pastoral care needs, contact the office or Pastors Regina or Micah.

Joint junior high and senior high youth group from 6:30 PM to 8:30 PM, Sept. 7. Cookout potluck kick off event. All youth and their families are invited to a local park (yet to be determined) for a potluck and cook out.

Cookie Bakers are desperately needed to bake cookies to give out to college students during EMU's Ministry Fair where Barb Byer and Micah Hurst will man the Weavers booth Thursday, 9/8. Around 300 students will pass by our church's booth and a home baked cookie can make an important connection. We'd like to have at least 20 dozen cookies for this popular event. Please email Barb at vabyer@gmail.com or call her at 908-2927 if you can make some cookies for us.

We will be participating in the My Coins Count project for the Relief Sale. Bring your coins each Sunday, and the children will collect them separately during our offering time. Money will support missions in Albania with VMM and also thru MCC for displaced refugees in Ethiopia, Honduras, etc.

Family Movie Night: Friday, Sept. 23, at 7:30pm. Come enjoy a family-friendly movie outdoors with your children. Bring a lawn chair or blanket.

Kids Club starts up again soon! All children in grades 1st-5th grade are invited on Wednesdays (bi-monthly) starting on Sept. 14, 6:30-8pm.

There will be a Hymn Sing in the Hershberger Barn at 5749 Wengers Mill Road, Linville, VA, Tuesday September 13, 6:30-7:45 pm. The theme will be God the Glorious Creator. Bring your blue Hymnal Worship Book if you have a personal copy. We will have extra hymnals available. The featured hymn will be # 50 Praise the Lord, Sing Hallelujah. This hymn sing includes a taste of Singing School and then lots of time to sing your favorite hymns.

Crossroads is seeking individuals who are willing to help with school field trips this fall. We are in need of guides to walk the groups to stations, presenters, and individuals to bake cookies. If interested see Janel Early or Crossroad's contact is Martha Reish at 540-679-9099.

We will be starting a women's Beth Moore Bible study "Loving Well" Sept. 21-- Nov. 2. This 4 week study will meet from 6:30-8:00, every other Wednesday, which will allow those involved in Kids Club to attend. Come join us!" Contact Lisa Hertzler for more info.

Upcoming Community Church Events invitations:

- **The BLOOM Trio - Maria Lorcas-violin; Kathleen Overfield-Zook-violin; Lisa Wright-cello - will perform works by Gliere, Marcussen, Piazzolla, Grieg and some Celtic favorites in a benefit concert for People Helping People, Sunday, Sept. 11 at 3pm.** Free admission with a free will offering. Reception follows concert. Asbury UMC, 205 S. Main Street, Harrisonburg, is handicapped accessible with ample parking on the street or in nearby parking facilities. Additional information at www.asburyumc.cc or [540-434-2836, ext. 3](tel:540-434-2836).
- **Bike Shenandoah ride on Sat., September 17** Register online at bikeshenandoah.org or the day of the ride!
- **Ethiopian fundraising meal** hosted by NEW (Nurturing and Encouraging Women) at Lindale Mennonite Church from 5:30 -7:00 PM on Friday, September 9, 2016. RSVP to Leanne Benner at (540) 432-9064 or benbiz29@aol.com
- The Missional Partnership (Eastern Mennonite University, Eastern Mennonite Seminary, Park View Mennonite Church, and Virginia Mennonite Conference) will host **Scot McKnight, author of *The Kingdom Conspiracy*** in the Harrisonburg area September 27-29.
- Join the **MHI Friends Dinner** "Making Disciples as We Go!" on September 16 to celebrate Mennonite Hispanic Initiative's accomplishments in the last year. The event will be at 7 pm at Park View Mennonite Church (note location change). RSVP to 540-209-1450 or to marvin@mennonitemission.net to reserve a table before Sep. 9.

Blue Mountain Sunrise will be performing at Pleasant View, Inc.'s Community Pork BBQ on Saturday, September 17, from 4 to 6pm (BBQ will be moved indoors at the same location if there is inclement weather). Come join us for inspirational music, delicious BBQ prepared by Maynard Weaver and his team, and lots of fun. All proceeds go to help support individuals with intellectual disabilities served in Pleasant View, Inc.'s day and residential programs.