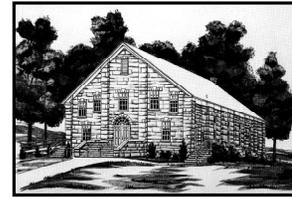


- Missionaries of the Month:** Pray for missionaries Steve & Laura Campbell and daughters Ruth and Esther serving with VMM in Podgorica, Montenegro.
- pray for Vida who was recently baptized. She is battling cancer for the third time.
  - pray for Vida's son, Milan, also a believer who is recovering from drug addiction and struggling with anger since his dad's death and his mom's cancer.
  - pray for Mladan who is a believer from the drug rehab center. His wife wants to be baptized. They have three sons who sometimes come to Kids Club .

**A Look at VM Missions:** In early September, Life Enrichment Church (LEC) in Thailand hosted a medical outreach in three different villages, resulting in over 800 people hearing the gospel, many for the first time. Pray for villagers who expressed interest in learning more about Jesus, and for LEC members as they follow up with them.



# Weavers Mennonite Church

**Worship Celebration  
Sunday, October 2, 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.*

*We gather with gratitude for the extravagant goodness of Almighty God. As members of the family of God, let us rejoice and reach out in love toward one another.*



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**Prelude**

Sarah Jackson

**Welcome & Announcements**

Micah Hurst

**Worship in Song**

c/o Perry Blosser & Julia Alleman

**Focusing**

**Worship in Song**

**First Fruits Giving: EMHS Brotherhood Plan**

offertory: Alice Uwimbabazi

**Sermon: "Jesus Is The Center of Our Faith"**

Scripture: Colossians 1:15-20

Phil Kanagy

**Song of Response**

**Sharing & Prayer Time**

**Benediction & Closing Song**

*(Pastor Regina Brubaker 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: Worship – Rachael Sauder, Ada Zhang

## THIS WEEK AT WEAVERS

**Wednesday, October 5**

6:30pm Ladies study from Beth Moore

6:30 pm Jr. Youth

7 pm Prayer Mtg.

8pm Sr. Youth

**Sunday, October 9**

Speaker, Phil Kanagy, "Church, Discipleship, and Jesus at the Center"

Scripture text: John 4:1-14

Nursery Attendants: Donna Blosser, Joelle Blosser

## Statistics for Sunday Service September 25, 2016

Worship Attendance - 166

Offering: Budget - \$4,818.25

## Announcements

**Happy Birthday blessings this week to** Hannah Schoenhals (turns 5 yrs), Joe Early, Daryl Brunk, and Debbie Huffman. Also, birthday blessings to Sophia Brunk, whose 3rd birthday missed the church calendar on Sept. 30.

**Our EMHS Brotherhood Offering is being received today.** It is the second annual offering designated for the EMHS Brotherhood fund. For the fiscal year so far, we have almost met the obligation through December. If you would prefer to designate your offering to the operating budget (which is running behind) feel free to do that. Any EMHS designations will be carried over to next year to use in the event of a shortfall.

**A card of thanks was received from Daryl & Robyn Brunk, for the dedication service for their family, and the book received.** They appreciate the love, support and kind words as they have journeyed as a family. See the bulletin board for the card.

**Gladys Driver appreciated each one of the 31 birthday cards** sent to celebrate her 95th birthday. She asked that her thanks be passed along.

**The Valley Brethren-Mennonite Heritage Center presents a fall concert of Harmony & Hope featuring Into Hymn and Rescored, Sun., Oct. 16, at 7 PM.** Into Hymn, an all-female group, strives to share "Christ's message of love through the performance of a cappella music," and they have reached the broader community with their single, "Mary Did You Know," featured in local stations' Christmas line-ups. Rescored, their all-male counterpart,

expresses their Christian faith and love for music at JMU and in the surrounding communities through a diverse repertoire featuring both Christian music and pop tunes. The two Christian a cappella groups from James Madison University share the stage at Bridgewater Church of the Brethren, located at 420 College View Dr., Bridgewater, VA. All proceeds from the event support the work of the Valley Brethren-Mennonite Heritage Center. [Suggested Donation: \$10]

**A Cappella Voices Celebration will be Friday, October 14, at 8 p.m. in Eastern Mennonite University's Lehman Auditorium.** Groups who will be singing include Shekinah, Good Company, Bellaccord, and Emulate. General admission is \$10.

**Join EMU alumni, parents, students, and friends at the Eastern Mennonite University Fall Festival on Saturday, October 15 from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. All are welcome** to this featured Homecoming event! There will be food trucks, live music, bounce houses, face painting, yard games, athletic events, etc. Bring your blankets and lawn chairs and enjoy an afternoon of fun on the EMU front lawn.

**Celebrate Valley Living's 25th anniversary on Tuesday, Oct. 18 from 5 to 7 p.m. at the Eagle Carpet Community Room, 1188 Port Republic Road, Harrisonburg.** Meet and mingle with Valley Living staff, board, friends and family. Enjoy refreshments, register for door prizes, and view historic early issues. Please RSVP by Oct. 11. Email [info@valleyliving.org](mailto:info@valleyliving.org) or call (540) 433-5351. LD&B Insurance & Financial Services is our generous event sponsor.

**David and Grace Shenk, Andres Prins and Sheryl Martin, members of the EMM Christian/Muslim Relations Team, will present at a public forum at 7:00 p.m. on Thurs., Oct. 27, in Martin Chapel** (Eastern Mennonite Seminary). The goal of the forum is learning how to be better equipped to know, love, and share Jesus with Muslim members of our community. The presenters all bring many years of experiences and knowledge of the Muslim world. The EMM Christian/Muslim Relations Team desires to equip Christians around the world for life-giving relationships with Muslims through dialogue, witness, peacemaking and hospitality. In a world where complex conflicts sometimes divide Muslims and Christians, and where mutual suspicion can build walls, this team speaks boldly and trains persistently to build bridges of loving and respectful connection between Christians and Muslims, while faithfully confessing Christ.

**AVA Care of Harrisonburg has scheduled a training event for anyone interested in volunteering as a nurse (RN/LPN) or a client advocate.** AVA Care provides services to those facing unintended pregnancies. Nurses administer pregnancy tests, and educate clients based on their pregnancy test result. Client advocates provide crisis intervention advocacy, and options education. The training is scheduled for Friday & Saturday, October 21 & 22, from 8:00 AM – 4:30 PM. For more information, or to participate contact Nancy Martin at [nancy@avacareforyou.org](mailto:nancy@avacareforyou.org) or call 540.434.0685