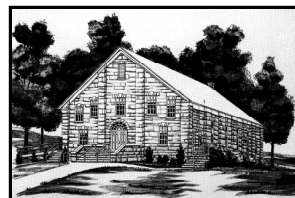


Missionaries of the Month: J. and M. W. family. The family has begun attending a local fellowship where they live. Pray for them as they study the language. Pray for approval of residence permits. Praise God for Melanie's new friendship with a neighbor.

A Look at VMissions: Pray that God will raise up more workers to join the J. and M. W. family as they minister through business as mission in Central Asia. Ask God to reveal His truth to those in Central Asia who are spiritually hungry.



Weavers Mennonite Church

Worship Celebration
Sunday, August 27, 2017

*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 extend a friendly welcome to each worshiper. It is a great joy to glorify
God who has given us life and salvation in Christ.*

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Prelude (& offertory)

c/o The Wrights

Welcome & Announcements

Barbara Byler

Praise & Worship

c/o Jeremy Warner

Children's Church (age 3 through 2nd grade invited downstairs)

Worship in Hymns

Kevin Byler

First Fruits Giving

Sermon: "To Be in the Light/Love of God"

Micah Hurst

Scriptures: I Corinthians 12-14

Hymn of Response

Sharing & Prayer Time

Benediction & Sending 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 – Laura Wheeler, Lauren Rhodes

THIS WEEK AT WEAVERS

Wednesday, August 30

Youth Group

7pm Prayer mtg.

Sunday, September 3

10AM at Highland Retreat Camp tabernacle, Bergton, VA (church campout)

Speaker, Phil Kanagy, "Do Not Be Afraid"

Scripture: Isaiah 43:1-3a

Statistics for Sunday Service August 20, 2017

Worship Attendance - 171

Offering: Budget - \$8,335

Upcoming Events for your Calendar

Sept. 1-3, Annual Church Campout at Highland Retreat Camp, Bergton

Wed. Sept. 6 - 6:30pm assembling of school kits for MCC

September 29 & 30, Virginia Mennonite Relief Sale

Oct. 6,7 Jr. High Youth Retreat

Announcements

Happy Birthday blessings this week to: Daniel Martin, Rebecca Shank, Shawna Hurst (turns 12 yrs.), Stephanie Layman, Becky Beach, and Steve Brunk. Also, Lily Byer's birthday was missed last week.

This morning and all Sunday mornings through Sept. 24, we will collect coins for My Coins Count, a project of the Virginia Mennonite Relief Sale.

The money goes for meeting children's basic needs in Albania, Jamaica, Southeast Asia, and Uganda. These are MCC and VMM sponsored programs. The children will come around with cups to collect your coins during the regular offering time, and will take them up front to dump into the large collection bucket. Last year we collected more than \$600 in our Weavers' jug. Can we pass that? "A few coins plus a few more coins plus a few more coins adds up to a lot of coins! And when a lot of coins are put together they can make big changes."

Come join us for an evening send-off with Mark & Sarah, Heidi and Hannah Schoenhals, on Tuesday, Sept. 5, at Morrison Park, (picnic shelter with large playground, behind Waterman Elem. School—Located on North Willow Street and 2nd Street); Drop-in 6-7:30pm for watermelon; Prayer of Blessing and a bit of sharing at 7pm..

Help assemble MCC school kits: On Wed., Sept. 6, there will be an evening of assembling school kits for MCC. Young and old - come to Shady Oak 6:30pm to help assemble 600 kits!

Virginia Mennonite Relief Sale has launched a new S.O.S. (Sharing Our Surplus) initiative to multiply this year's sale income. A table will be set up for generous cash, check and credit card donations for MCC refugee relief efforts in addition to raising money through the auction and other sales. For more information check the relief sale website <http://vareliefsale.com/sharing-surplus-sos-campaign/> Shekinah, an independent women's vocal ensemble, will hold auditions on August 28 and 29, 2017 for new members. For more information and to schedule an audition, go to shekinahmusic.net or email us at info@shekinahmusic.net.

PARK SCHOOL REUNION: Everyone who attended Park School (1918-1967) is invited to a Reunion & Fellowship Meal Sunday, September 3, 4-7pm at Park View Mennonite Church. David Mumaw will be Moderator; and Dr. Myron Augsburg will be the keynote speaker. Special guest Beau Dickinson, of Rockingham County Schools, will make a presentation on the contrast between peaceful racial integration at Park School in 1964 (four years prior to the rest of the area) and massive resistance in other parts of Virginia. Join us for this celebration of racial harmony in an era of division and violence. Please bring two dishes to share. For more information, contact Elizabeth Rohrer at 540-908-5086.

The leadership roles to be affirmed by the congregation beginning in September are for the following: renewing term on **Administrative Council - Andy Jackson**; new Ministry Associate role - **Dennis Kuhns (Nurture/Mutual Care)**, renewing Ministry Associates - **Lisa Hertzler and Sherry Showalter (Fellowship), Michele Mumaw (Children/Family Ministries), and Janet Blosser (Outreach).**

Don't forget the food donations needed for our participation in the elementary school program to help children that are food insufficient on the weekends: **Please limit your contributions to the list distributed.**

Mennonite Women of Virginia's Fall Retreat registration forms are available on the foyer credenza. Women of all ages are invited to this special weekend, Nov. 10-12. Early registration ends Sept. 6.

A workshop for becoming an "Approved Adult" in our Safe Church Training process (as required in our congregation's revisited Child Protection Policy) is planned Saturday, Sept. 16, at Park View Mennonite Church from 9am-noon in the Fireplace Room. This training event is for all persons 18 years of age and older who work with children and youth under 18 years of age.

WEAVERS' CHURCH CAMPOUT - FUN, FOOD and FELLOWSHIP!

September 1-3, 2017 at Highland Retreat in Bergton, VA.

Camp sites have been reserved at the main campground for Friday and Saturday nights, September 1st & 2nd

Rates are discounted by Weavers for these 2 nights:

- Tenting/no hook-up \$20 per night
- Camping with hookup \$25 per night.
- A-frame cabins are \$30 per A-frame/night plus \$5 per person after the 4th person. (Cabins sleep 12 persons).

To reserve a tent area, camp-site or A-frame cabin, RSVP to Linda Sauder by phone 820-0144, or email (lljmsauder@yahoo.com)

Persons camping *Sunday* evening **MUST** call Highland for their individual reservations for that evening. ~ 852-3226

Pleasant View, Inc. invites you to enjoy delicious pork BBQ on Sat., Sept.

9, prepared by Maynard Weaver. There will be a booth at the Broadway Autumn Festival, Main St. Broadway, from 11 am to 3pm. You may purchase sandwiches, or pre-order 1 lb bags. To pre-order or if you have questions, please contact Pam Miller at pmiller@pleasantviewinc.org or call 540.560.1134

The Shenandoah Valley Mennonite Historians Old Order Mennonite Tour, planned for September 16 in Rockingham County, has been cancelled.

Let your voice resonate! Join a regional hymn sing at 6:30 p.m. Sunday, September 17, at Harrisonburg Mennonite Church, for a glimpse into the work of the Mennonite Worship and Song Committee. The new hymnal is projected for release in 2020. Benjamin Bergey will lead the singing of your heartsongs, as well as introduce new music being considered for the collection. Bergey is the music editor for the Mennonite Worship and Song Collection. He is a doctor of musical arts candidate at James Madison University and is director of music at Harrisonburg Mennonite Church. An offering will be received to support the production phase of the new collection. An opportunity to honor a loved one with a line in the hymnal will be presented. Come add your voice in sharing hopes and dreams for a new hymnal as we sing praise to God!

Nazareth/Bethlehem Work Group 2018. Registration is now open for the upcoming Nazareth/Bethlehem Work Group (May 11-28, 2018) sponsored by the Partners in Mission program of Virginia Mennonite Missions. This work group will be co-led by Dorothy Jean Weaver (Community Mennonite Church) and Phil Kanagy (Weavers Mennonite Church) and is open to all interested participants on a first-come, first-served basis. For more information consult the attached brochure and/or contact Dorothy Jean Weaver at (540) 432-4276 (o) or at (540) 433-3336 (h).