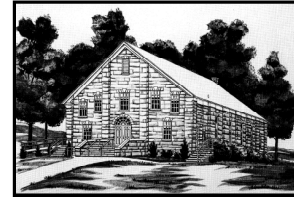


**Missionaries of the Month: Stephanie Slabach Brubaker in Bangladesh.**

"Pray for patience as I continue the slow process of learning a new language, peace and wisdom for my work in the clinic, and abundant energy to spend time playing and connecting with the girls of the boarding school."

**A Look at VM MISSIONS** As Dave and Rebekka Stutzman live missionally, serve their neighbors, and integrate faith into their everyday lives in Germany, pray that those they relate to will recognize God's prompting for relationship.



# Weavers Mennonite Church

**Worship Celebration  
Sunday, October 14, 2018**

*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** (and offertory)

c/o Stephanie Layman

**Welcome & Announcements**

Jim Mumaw

**Worship in Song**

c/o Sara Byler

**Focusing**

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

**Worship in Hymns**

c/o Julia Alleman

HWB 540 "Strong Righteous Man of Galilee"  
HWB 571 "Tis not with eyes of flesh we see "

**First Fruits Giving**

**Sermon: "Bartimaeus: A Model Disciple "**

Phil Kanagy

Mark 10:46-52

**Hymn of Response**

Bulletin insert from Church Hymnal "Where He Leads I'll Follow"

**Sharing & Prayer**

**Benediction & Closing Song** "Benediction"

## 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 – Edith Kuhns, Joelle Blosser

Jr. Youth Group - 6:30-8pm at the Lighthouse

## THIS WEEK AT WEAVERS

**Tuesday, October 16**

7:30am Sr. Youth breakfast at Mr. J's, Harmony Square

**Wednesday, October 17**

6:30pm Kids Club

7pm Prayer meeting

7pm Sr. Youth at the Lighthouse

**Sunday, October 21**

Sunday, Guest Speaker - Clyde Kratz

### Statistics for Sunday Service - October 7, 2018

Worship Attendance - 130

Offering: EMHS Brotherhood Plan -\$6,835 Budget - \$955; Missions - \$100

### Announcements

**Happy Birthday blessings this week to:** Therese Leigh, Kevin Byler, Susan Deputy, Janine Kanagy, Jennifer Wright, Martha Ann Miller, Timothy Martin, Cameron Byer, and Rodney Driver.

**We are grateful to everyone** for the prayers, cards, visits, meals, flowers, and other acts of kindness over the past two months following Dorothy's hospitalization and rehab stay and Carolyn's hip surgery. We feel very fortunate to be part of this caring church.

Kenneth, Carolyn, and Rebecca Shank

**Our Weavers Fall Block Party, Oct. 31, 5:30-7:30pm** is for everyone of all ages! More information is available on the foyer credenza. If you can help make vegetable soup, please let Lisa Hertzler know. Sign up for other needs.

**Virginia Weaver(Mother) received many [birthday] cards** including many from the WMC family. She appreciates them so much, remembers everyone and tells me who they are (!). Many wrote memories and other notes so I am slowly reading these to her. These mean so much to her as she cannot move on her own, except her hands a bit, and yet her mind is still good most days. She has little and often no pain, she says, so that is a blessing. Your cards and letters lift her spirits. Thanks so much for your support.

- Bob Weaver

## You are invited to Pleasant View's Twenty-fourth Annual Banquet.

Please join us for a delicious meal, fellowship, and a program straight from the hearts of individual with intellectual disabilities. The program theme is "The Beatitudes Come to Life" with music provided by Pleasant View's Worship Team and Bell Choir. The Banquet will be held at Park View Mennonite Church Wednesday, October 24, 2018 at 6pm. A free-will offering will be received to support individuals with disabilities served at Pleasant View. Please RSVP to Pam Miller at 540-896-8101 or [pmiller@pleasantviewinc.org](mailto:pmiller@pleasantviewinc.org) by Monday October 15, 2018 so we can plan appropriately.

**Everence Week of Generosity** - Everence members: You're invited to volunteer at your favorite charity any day during the week of Oct. 22-27, and Everence will donate to your charity. Get the details and register at [everence.com/harrisonburg](http://everence.com/harrisonburg). Or see the church foyer bulletin board for a copy of an application.

**A century ago, war fever swept the United States.** Mennonites and other people of peace were unprepared and paid the price. What if war fever swept the United States today? Are we again prepared? How would we live out our non-resistance or pacifism? How would we witness for peace? The **Voices of Conscience exhibit** will be open on the main (2nd) floor Eastern Mennonite University's Hartzler Library during regular library hours from October 1 - November 17. (Those hours are: 7:45 AM - 11:30 PM Monday-Thursday, 7:45 AM - 8 PM Friday, 10 AM - 6 PM Saturday, and 2 PM - 11:30 PM Sunday. This traveling exhibit, created by the Kaufmann Museum in Newton, Kansas, remembers the witness of peace-minded people against the First World War 1914-1918. See the foyer bulletin board for presenters and more information.

**Come hear Bruxy Cavey at EMU** October 24-25. Bruxy, senior pastor of The Meeting House, speaks from his books *re(union)* and *The End of Religion* at these events open to the public. Oct. 24 - 10:10-11 a.m. Convocation in Lehman Auditorium, 6:30-8 p.m. Evening Forum in Common Grounds Coffeehouse and Oct. 25 - 11-11:45 a.m. Seminary Chapel in Martin Chapel.

**Dear Mennonite Church USA constituency from Glen Guyton, Executive Director, Mennonite Church USA:** Through the proposed merger of The Mennonite, Inc. (TMI) and Mennonite World Review (MWR), Mennonite Church USA will lose its official media platform (both print and digital) dedicated to MC USA voices and news. The merged organization will function as an independent editorial voice serving a variety of Anabaptist communities including MC USA, but without organizational ties to any particular Anabaptist denomination. Read more background information and Frequently Asked Questions here: [http://mennoniteusa.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/10/Merger-FAQ\\_-\\_Final.pdf](http://mennoniteusa.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/10/Merger-FAQ_-_Final.pdf) Through this survey, the Executive Board and staff are seeking input from the broader church as we navigate the merger process and discern our communication needs moving forward. Please complete the survey at the following link no later than October 29.  
<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/TMldissolution>