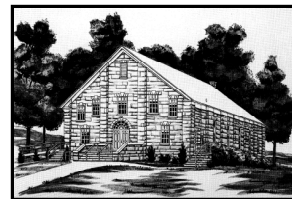


Missionaries of the Month: Dini & Klementina Shahini, Head of Schools Lezha Academic Center in Albania. "I am so excited to be reminded again that God is good. Having people all over the world praying for us and the mission God has put in front of us makes us more responsible and also humble. Most importantly pray that God will provide all the finance to meet the budget. God has been so faithful and now we are asking Him to give us the strength and wisdom we need to continue our work."

A Look at VM MISSIONS Lift up Asher and Lindsey Fast as they look ahead towards wrapping up their assignment in Botswana and returning to the U.S. in January. Pray for patience, understanding, and grace to thoughtfully end their term on a meaningful note.



Weavers Mennonite Church

Worship Celebration
Sunday, November 25, 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.*

With exultation we gather to offer our love for God. We are delighted in the presence of all who have come. You are indeed welcome.

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Prelude (and offertory)

c/o Sandy Byler

Welcome & Announcements

Micah Hurst

Worship in Song

c/o Sandy Byler

Parent - Child Dedication: Everly Wenger & Silas King

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

Worship in Hymns

c/o Rodney Driver

HWB - 89 "For the beauty of the earth"
HWB - 66 "God of grace and God of glory"

First Fruits Giving

Sermon: " Faithful Giving: How Much?"

Phil Kanagy

Psalm 116:12; II Cor. 9:6-8

Hymn of Response

HWB - 387 "Lord, thou dost love"

Sharing & Prayer

Benediction & Closing Song STJ - 73 "The Lord lift you up"

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 – Kristi Driver, Lily Byer

THIS WEEK AT WEAVERS

Tuesday, November 27

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

6:30pm Backpack food assembling

Wednesday, November 28

6:30 Kids Club

7pm Sr. Youth

7pm Prayer meeting

Thursday, November 29

6:30pm Ministries Council at Shady Oak

Sunday, December 2

Sunday, Speaker, Phil Kanagy "Watching and Waiting"

Scripture: Jeremiah 33:14-16; Psalm 25:1-10

Statistics for Sunday Service - November 18, 2018

Worship Attendance - 156

Offering: Budget - \$4,599.71; backback food - \$20

Upcoming

Walk-Through Bethlehem - Dec. 15 & 16

Announcements

Happy Birthday blessings this week to Gail Martin (today!), Joni Baughman,

Ladies: post-high to age 100 - - Save the date, Sunday, Dec. 9, 5pm for a ladies Christmas gathering you won't want to miss! See the bulletin insert.

Join us in Shady Oak on Tuesday, November 27 to fill 270 bags of food for backpacks. We will meet at 6:30pm. If you signed up to bring food, bring it by Monday at 5pm, so we can fill in any gaps that we will need. Thank you so much for your support. -- Outreach Committee.

Ed & Dianna Lehman have accepted the role of co-chairs for our study team on building renovations. It has been a while since this committee has met. **Persons who have served on this committee in the past -- please let Phil or Sandi know if you are willing to continue serving in this role as this team regroups.**

Budget Update: While Weavers' budget spending through Oct. 31 is underspent at this point by almost \$12,000, we are at a Budget Offering shortfall (subtracting Shady Oak income) of \$18,755. Please keep this in mind as you plan your giving from now through the end of the year.

I am deeply grateful to Weavers Mennonite Women for the beautiful prayer shawl knowing that many friends are praying for me as I continue tests and adjust to oxygen equipment. I am so blessed to be part of a loving praying fellowship at Weavers. "*Your love for one another will prove to the world that you are my disciples*" John 13:35 NLT - Dorothy Shenk

MennoMedia invites your help to make the new *Voices Together* hymnal a reality by Fall 2020. Before any copies of *Voices Together* are sold, MennoMedia will invest more than \$700,000. Everence and Mennonite Central Committee U.S. have issued a matching grant challenge of up to \$100,000 to help MennoMedia in this final fund-raising effort. Help ensure that *Voices Together* will be affordably priced for congregations. Make a gift today and have it doubled! Give at VoicesTogetherHymnal.org. Every voice matters. Every dollar counts..

Our Weavers Church "A Walk Through Bethlehem" will be Sat. Dec. 15 and Sun. Dec. 16 from 6:00 PM until 7:30 PM.

Stroll on the streets of Bethlehem the day Jesus was born: meet the Wisemen, shepherds, animals, townspeople, craftsmen, Mary & Joseph, and baby Jesus in a manger! Finally, end your experience in the Bethlehem Cafe with a hot drink and cookies. Invite your friends and neighbors.

Anyone who would like to help as an actor, or who would like to help with costumes, or be in the angel choir should contact Floyd Blosser. And also needed are persons who will mingle in Shady Oak to interact with the visitors.

Calling ALL Weavers Bakers - Start your cookie baking! Hundreds are needed! Thank you.

All are invited to gather at EMU on Monday, December 10 at 7 p.m. in Lehman Auditorium for a Christmas Lessons and Carols service featuring EMU choir ensembles and readers from Campus Ministries. A free-will offering for the compassion fund will be received.

\$40 is the daily cost of training and supporting each VMissions worker. For #GivingTuesday, you are encouraged to support one of the 103 workers by giving next Tuesday, November 27, at vmmissions.org/givingtuesday/

Join the EMU community as Tiffany FitzHenry, activist, screenwriter, and whistleblower, exposes the alliance between the Pentagon and Hollywood and actively films her related coming documentary, *Living the Dream*. Lectures and filming occur on Wednesday, November 28 from 10:10-11 a.m. in Lehman Auditorium and from 7-8:30 p.m. in Martin Chapel (Seminary Building).