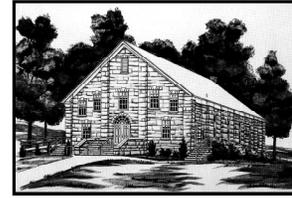


Missionaries of the Month: Steve and Laura Campbell, who serve in Montenegro. Pray for Steve and Laura's girls, Ruth and Esther, as they attend school. Pray that they would be a witness for Jesus. Ruth is already expressing that she wants her classmates to know Jesus. Pray for Steve and Laura as they make Tuesdays family time. Pray that time will be protected. Pray for Laura as she leads the Children's Sunday School program at church. Pray for Steve as he works on eldership and making disciples.

A Look at VM MISSIONS As Seth and Theresa Crissman prepare for a third term of working with Kids Clubs in the Shenandoah Valley, ask God to show them which congregations to partner with. Pray that God will continue to shape their work.



Weavers Mennonite Church

**Worship Celebration
Sunday, February 24, 2019**

*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 WARM WELCOME. Welcome to this fellowship of believers. Today we join with each other and celebrate all that Christ did as he gave his body to be broken for us. We hope that you will feel Christ's love for you in the breaking of the bread and in the midst of our fellowship.



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Prelude (and offertory)

c/o Andrea Knight

Welcome & Announcements

Myron Brubaker

Worship in Songs

c/o Andrea Knight

Focusing

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

Worship in Hymns

c/o Jeffrey Smoker

First Fruits Giving "Special" Missions

Sermon: "Lord, Please Always Give Us This Bread"

Phil Kanagy

Scripture: John 6:25-35

Communion

Hymn of Response

Sharing & Prayer

Benediction & Sending Song

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

Monday, February 25

1:30-3:30pm A Matter of Balance class (for those who signed up)

Tuesday, February 26

Youth -- Mr. J's breakfast

Wednesday, February 27

7pm Prayer Meeting

7pm Youth Group

Thursday, February 28

6:00pm Kids Club to Funky's Skate Center

Sunday, March 3

Guest Speaker, Seth Crissman

7pm Shenandoah Valley Men's Choir

Statistics for Sunday Service - February 17, 2019

Worship Attendance - 129

Offering: Budget - \$4,263.76; Building Fund -\$100

Announcements

Today we receive our "Special" Missions offering divided accordingly to the following agencies:

Weavers Missions (10%)	Central District (15%)
Virginia Mennonite Missions (30%)	Mennonite Missions Network (10%)
VA Conference Ministries (5.6%)	MCUSA Exec. Leadership Board (2.85%)
Eastern Menn. High School (5.4%)	MCC - Canning (2.7%)
Family Life Resource Center (1%)	Mennonite Education Agency (2.55%)
Highland Retreat (1%)	Mennonite Publishing Network (0.6%)
Pleasant View Home (2.2%)	Minority Groups (0.45%)
VA Menn. Disaster Service (1%)	Eastern Mennonite Seminary (1.8%)
VA Menn. Retirement Comm (3.8%)	Eastern Mennonite University (4.05%)

Happy Birthday wishes this week to Barbara Byer, Parker Estes, and Mary Ann Smith.

All are welcome to the Shenandoah Valley Men's Chorus concert at

Weavers Mennonite Church, March 3 at 7 pm. Jared Stutzman, Eastern

Mennonite School music department, is the director. The special offering this year will benefit Lezha Academic Center, in Lezhe, Albania. This school, now in its 9th year, has experienced growth and blessing. Jim and Pam Beachy, who have been teachers at LAC, will present their vision and the story of this adventure. They plan to return to Albania again in the fall. Albania Christian Education Foundation supports the administrative interests of LAC, while VM Missions sends the personnel from the US.

Remote Area Medical Clinic (RAM Clinic) will be held Saturday March

2, 6:00 am – 6:00 pm and Sunday March 3, 6:00 AM – 12:00 noon at the Rockingham County Fairgrounds. If you know of someone needing medical care, this is Completely Free / No – Pre-registration needed / No-Insurance needed/ First Come, First Served. There are specifications when registration begins (3AM Mar. 2) Weavers will provide some transportation (Kids Club families and friends). Still needed are individuals to help with parking in 4 hour shifts starting at noon on Friday March 1 through Sunday afternoon March 3. If anyone is willing to help with this need they should sign up for a time slot at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2019-harrisonburg-ram-parking-assistance-tickets-56060231662> and also register as a RAM USA volunteer at <https://www.ramusa.org/volunteer-with-us/>.

Pray that the descendants of both enslaved persons and the owners of them and for those who have accepted and maintain the attitudes and mentality of owners of enslaved persons. Pray that these people might experience God's love, justice and mercy and find peace among themselves. 2019 is the 400th anniversary of the bringing of the first enslaved persons to America. (For information on this process of reconciliation, see Coming to the Table: <http://comingtothetable.org/>). David Alleman, Weavers Peace and Justice Advocate.

Weavers is updating a new church website. While we want to be able to include pictures of congregational life, we also want to be sensitive to those that may not want their picture included. If you are opposed to being in a group picture for the web site, please contact Sandi in the church office.

2019 MCC Turkey Canning Project: The Annual Meat Canning is scheduled for February 25-March 1, 2019 at the Hinton Mennonite Relief Center, Hinton, VA. **Virginia Mennonite Conference is responsible to help provide help on Tuesday, February 26.** Help is needed from 5 AM until 11 PM each day. Friday, March 1 is scheduled as a community day and help is especially needed in the early morning. Anyone is welcome to come and help on any day! Funds are needed to purchase turkey for processing and for the ongoing operation of the Relief Center. you have any questions, you can contact Leon Rhodes at (540) 820-5443 or Gerald Knicely at (540) 478-4203.

All are welcome to Beldor Church, Elkton, as the band **Sunnyside performs a bluegrass gospel concert** on March 3 at 6:00 p.m. A light snack will follow.

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A team is being invited to visit Mark & Sarah Schoenhals and girls this summer in Thailand. The dates are not yet set but most likely early June-mid-July. If you have interest in knowing more, please speak to Sandi Good, MST Chair.

Sunday afternoon, March 24 3:00 p.m., Park View Mennonite Church, Cyneatha Milsaps, MW USA Executive Director will meet with all/any MWV women for conversation and encouragement. Light refreshments will be served. Ladies, you are all invited to come to this meeting.

Bridge of Hope Harrisonburg-Rockingham is currently looking for Neighboring Volunteer groups, groups of 6-10 committed people from local churches that would like to walk alongside and encourage a family in our program, offering love and support. Bridge of Hope works with single-parent families (children under 18) facing homelessness in our community. The program lasts 12-24 months. Initial training, ongoing relational support, and planned monthly gatherings will be provided. Please contact Chris Hoover Seidel, Director, at director@hr.bridgeofhopeinc.org or cell: 717-602-0871 if you are interested.

A two-day all-area knotting bee is planned for March 7-8. It will be at Village Hall on the VMRC campus. Come join in the fun when it works for you, Thursday or Friday, or both! LuAnn Bender and Deb Layman will have comforters ready to knot, provide snacks and all of the needed supplies. Please bring a sack lunch if you are staying over that time. We look forward to seeing you and enjoying each other's company as we make much needed comforters for MCC. Invite your friends! And if you have any supplies you'd like to donate - tops or backs, you may bring them. Email laymans4@verizon.net if you have questions.

Join Highland staff and friends on Saturday, March 16 at Lindale Mennonite Church for the Highland Benefit Auction. Join Highland staff and friends on Saturday, March 16 at Lindale Mennonite Church for the Highland Benefit Auction. The auction helps subsidize camp tuition for all camper families and provides scholarships for families with greater need. Contact info@highlandretreat.org before March 1 if you have something you would like to donate: a new item, service, collectible, or baked good. See www.highlandretreat.org for more details.

Screen Schooled: Two Veteran Teachers Expose How Technology Overuse Is Making Our Kids Dumber. Joe Clement and Matt Miles, educators and authors of a book by the same title, present at Eastern Mennonite School, March 20, 7:30 p.m. in the school auditorium. Area educators, parents, pastors, and those interested in childhood development are especially invited to this free presentation and Q&A on the impact of technology on children's brain development. Presented in partnership with James Madison University and WVPT and with sponsorship support from EMU, Park View Federal Credit Union, Everence, Shirley's Popcorn and Brian Mayes Studio.

"Digging In Together" is a resourcing event for congregations leaders in Virginia Mennonite Conference, April 5 and 6, 2019, to gain insight into the meaning of the gospel and inspiration to witness to the gospel through studying the Bible together. The theme is: What is the Gospel?: An Exploration of Luke and Acts. Facilitated by Joe Sawatzky, Church Relations Representative for Mennonite Mission Network, there will be two thematically identical events, one on Friday and one on Saturday. The Friday event is geared for credentialed leaders and congregational lay leaders. The Saturday event is for those who work with youth, such as youth pastors, youth workers, and MYF leaders. Learn more and register at <https://bit.ly/2QgCjlf>

Eastern Mennonite School welcomes applications for a new Leadership Scholarship for students grades 9-12. Recipients will receive up to 50% off of the regular high school tuition rate. Applicants must be new students who have a GPA of 3.5 or higher, and who wish to develop their leadership skills through contributions to the school. An interview and essay are required. Contact Marsha Thomas at 540-236-6021 or go to emhs.net/admissions/leadership-scholarship.cfm