

**Missionaries of the Month: Steve & Bethany Tobin Horst.** Thank you for taking the time to pray for us this month. We appreciate your prayers! We are normal people with ups and downs just like everybody else. We need your prayers so that we can stay focused on Christ. Right now, we have the petty annoyance of it being extremely hot. It is over 100 most days and we don't have AC. Some of the harder things to deal with are the impermanence of our situation and the cultural stressors of being in a context so different than our own. While it seems to take so much work and effort to see any lasting fruit - even the little you see can be gone without warning. Pray with us that we would set our eyes not on fruit but on being present to Jesus Christ and enjoying each day with him. Pray with us that we would enjoy belonging to Jesus more than ever before. Pray for our children that they would thrive and have great joy.

**A Look at VM MISSIONS** Pray that Jason Wagner, who serves as a chaplain in the Rockingham-Harrisonburg Regional Jail, will boldly represent Christ, embodying His love and life. Pray for Jason as he walks with those recently baptized.

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# Weavers Mennonite Church

**Worship Celebration  
Sunday, May 26, 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.*

*Gathered as we are, preparing to hear God's word and to worship our  
Creator, let us be the family of God welcoming and bonding with one  
another. Warm greetings to all!*

#### Prelude

Sandy Byler

#### Welcome & Announcements

Kevin Byler

#### Worship in Songs

c/o Marvin Slabaugh

#### Focusing

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

#### Hymns

c/o Marvin Slabaugh

HWB 71 "Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee"  
HWB 107 "Blessed Savior, We Adore Thee"

#### First Fruits Giving

#### Sermon: "Life with V.I.M."

Dennis Kuhns

Scripture: John 5:1-18

#### Hymn of Response

HWB 611 "Soon and Very Soon"

#### Sharing & Prayer

#### Benediction & Sending Song

## TODAY AT WEAVERS

◆ Hearing assistance units are available from the ushers.

Nursery services are available.

Attendants: Worship – Kristi Driver, Lily Byer

## THIS WEEK AT WEAVERS

### Tuesday, May 28

6:30pm VBS Orientation for Volunteers (except those doing the meals)

### Wednesday, May 29

7pm Prayer Meeting

7pm Youth Group

### Sunday, June 2

Speaker, Phil Kanagy, "Leaning In To The Future."

Scripture: Exodus 13:17-22

### Statistics for Sunday Service - May 12, 2019

Worship Attendance - 127

Offering: Budget - \$4,713.72; Building Fund - \$100

### Upcoming

VBS Peace Camp - June 23-27, 6-8:15pm

### Announcements

**This evening May 26, Weavers will be hosting the EMHS Touring Choir at 7pm. We will be serving refreshments following the program.** Since this is a large gathering (the last regular program of Tour Choir), much help is needed in providing refreshments --cookies, salties, or veggie/fruit trays.

**Happy Birthday wishes this week** to Abby Byler, Sara Byler, David Alleman, Ruth Knicely, Edith Kuhns, Helen Driver, Kristi Driver and Erin Knicely.

### New phone number for your church directory:

**Marilyn Schlabach** (540) 820-6631

**Needed for VBS: Jars, jelly jar size or smaller...**like baby food jars; also several Little Tikes playhouses to borrow (do you have a neighbor to borrow from?).

**Get ready for *Who Is My Neighbor?* VBS Peace Camp 2019**, where children will learn about neighbors near and far! Fun activities will help Bible stories come to life and lead children deeply into Scripture focused on God's care and compassion for neighbors close at hand and around the world. Children ages 4 through grade 6 are welcome to this time of worship, games, crafts, snacks, friends, and fun! The Mt. Clinton/Weavers VBS theme *Who Is My Neighbor?* will take place at Weavers on June 23-27 from 6:00-8:15. It begins with group building at 6:00 with supper served to all participants and staff too.

**VBS orientation will be Tues May 28, 6:30pm in Shady Oak for all persons helping with VBS** (*except meal prep/servers*).

**Some time ago the PCRC engaged the congregation with the pastoral evaluations for Pastor Regina. The evaluation for Pastor Regina was overwhelmingly positive and affirming of her ministry. PCRC and Administrative Council have unanimously recommended to the congregation her formal reappointment for continuing service.** Regina's covenant is for 3 years (the typical length - ending August 2022). Ballots will be received from members on Sunday June 2, 2019. If an absentee ballot is needed, please contact Sandi at the church office.

**Mark your calendars for Virginia Mennonite Conference Assembly**, July 18-20, in Harrisonburg. The theme is "Cultivating Good Soil." Worship services will be at Lindale Mennonite Church; delegate sessions will be at Eastern Mennonite School. There will be a Mennonite Disaster Service house-building project onsite (including dedication), and VMissions will have their Centennial Celebration. More information and registration to come.

**The Shenandoah Valley Mennonite Historians are hosting a tour of new churches in the Valley** on June 1. Saturday from 9 until 1 pm. The focus is on new ethnic and language groups. The tour will include tours and conversation with leaders of 3 new churches. including Swahili, Spanish and Laotian speaking churches. The three groups are in Harrisonburg or within several miles. We are asking participants to drive to the three locations and will not be furnishing a bus. The tour will begin at 9 am at Harrisonburg Mennonite Church and end at noon with a lunch served by one of the churches. The cost is \$25 per person including the hearty lunch.

**Enjoy 'Music Under the Oaks' with The Walking Roots Band.** Free concert on Sun June 9, 4 pm, at Trissels Mennonite Church, 11246 Hisers Lane, Broadway. Refreshments. Bring blanket or lawn chair. (Inside in case of rain.)

**Now is a great time to register a camper who has never attended Highland Summer Camps** before, especially if you know someone (not a sibling) who is a returning camper this year. Just make sure you're both registered by June 1<sup>st</sup>, and mention the person who referred you when you register online at [www.highlandretreat.org/summer-camp](http://www.highlandretreat.org/summer-camp) or call 540-705-0512. Both the new camper and the returning camper will receive a \$25 certificate to use in the Highland camp store!

**The 7th Annual Motorcycles for Missions ride is June 14-15.** *Motorcycles for Missions continues to be the one of the largest fundraising events for VMissions.* We would like to see this year be the most successful yet. Learn more, including the itinerary, route, sponsors, and safety information at [vmmissions.org/motorcycle-for-missions/](http://vmmissions.org/motorcycle-for-missions/)