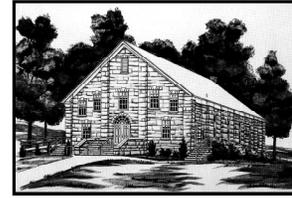


**Missionaries of the Month: Prayers for both Dini & Klementina Shahini and Jim & Pam Beachy as they lead the Lezha Academic Center in Lezhe, Albania.** This is the first year to do regular chapels. Pray that students and teachers would be impacted by these occasions to share the Gospel. The school has tremendous potential to impact this whole town, and the country. Pray that the many seeds being sown will come to bear fruit.

**A Look at VMSSIONS:** Matthew and Rachel Cordella-Bontrager are fundraising to serve in Kosovo. Pray that the skills that Matthew is developing while teaching at Rosedale Bible College and what Rachel is learning as she takes classes there will prepare them with useful knowledge and skills to bless Kosovars when they begin their assignment.



# Weavers Mennonite Church

**Worship Celebration  
Sunday, October 6, 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.*

*Welcome to this gathering of people of faith. May our worship be a time of  
elation and inspiration for all. Rejoice in the Lord always!*

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### Prelude (& Offertory)

Jaden Hostetter

### Welcome & Announcements

Regina Brubaker

### Worship in Songs

c/o Noah Yoder & Jaden Hostetter

### Focusing

### Worship in Hymns

HWB 416 "For Christ and the Church"  
HWB 366 "God of Grace and God of Glory"

Dennis Kuhns

### First Fruits Giving

### Sermon: "Once Upon a Time (Part 1)"

Scripture: Psalm 125

Phil Kanagy

### Hymn of Response

HWB 419 "Lead On, O Cloud of Presence"

### Moment in Mission

Jaden Hostetter

### Sharing and Prayer

### Benediction & Sending Song

## TODAY AT WEAVERS

◆ Hearing assistance units are available from the ushers.

Nursery services are available.

Attendants: Worship – Emily Wenger, Kate Kauffman

## THIS WEEK AT WEAVERS

### Tuesday, October 8

6:30pm Administrative Council

### Wednesday, October 9

Sewing Day

6:30pm Kids Club

6:30pm Jr. Youth

7:45pm Sr. Youth

### Friday -Saturday, October 12 & 13

Jr. High Youth Retreat at Highland Retreat

### Sunday, October 13

Speaker: Phil Kanagy, "Once Upon A Time (Part 2)

Scripture: Psalm 125

Noon: College Student meal in Shady Oak

### Statistics for Sunday Service - September 29, 2019

Worship Attendance - 122

Offering: Budget - \$6,604.05, Building Fund - \$100

### Upcoming Events

Weavers Fall Block Party -October 31st

### Announcements:

**Happy Birthday wishes this week** to Hannah Schoehnals (turns 8 years), Joe Early, Daryl Brunk, Debbie Huffman, Gary Yoder, Kim Brenneman, Brent Nussbaum, and Emily Eby.

**All ladies you are invited to Shady Oak on Tuesday, October 15 at 6:30 for an evening of learning to know Leah and Chloe**, who are attending Eastern Mennonite High School this year and living with Kristi and Isaac Driver. **They will be showing us how they make a dish from their countries of Korea and China.** (this is not a meal event)

**Anyone is invited to a Kids Club resourcing event: Oct. 18th at Ridgeway Mennonite church from 5:30-7:30.** Join for an evening of being equipped to pray with and for our communities. Dinner will be a soup, salad and bread potluck. Sign up at <http://www.PerfectPotluck.com/PLGW7086>

**A meal for college students will be on Sunday October 13.** If you would be interested in helping provide food and serving as a host for this meal, please contact Brenda. Email: [bearlylayton@yahoo.com](mailto:bearlylayton@yahoo.com) or 540-560-1970.

**Do you enjoy singing, drumming, or playing another instrument? Consider doing these things for worship!** We need willing hearts. Contact

Sara Byler or Sandy Byler if interested at [sara.byler14@gmail.com](mailto:sara.byler14@gmail.com) or 540-209-0816.

**Our Weavers Fall Block Party will be on Thursday, October 31 from 5:30-7:30pm**, and is for everyone of all ages! Hotdogs and drink are provided. Please bring two finger foods and a bag of wrapped candy per family. Extra donations of wrapped candy are appreciated.

**Receive a gift from the IRS. If you are over 70½**, take advantage of tax benefits of giving to your church or a charity out of your IRA required minimum distributions. Learn more from faith-based partner Everence at [everence.com/types-of-gifts](http://everence.com/types-of-gifts).

**ACRS invites you to the gathering with guest speaker Bill Hawk, Monday, October 14th 7:30 AM**, at Park View Mennonite Church fellowship hall. Coffee will be available.

**A wonderful Mennonite Women weekend retreat is planned for women of all ages on Oct. 25-27.** Plan to join your sisters at Short Pump Marriott (Richmond) for rest and renewal. Our theme this year is "Rooted in Christ" presented by Deb Horst, pastor at Lindale Mennonite Church. Scholarships are available. Registration form can be found on the MWV page on the VMC website: [virginiaconference.org/mennonite-women-of-virginia/](http://virginiaconference.org/mennonite-women-of-virginia/)

**As VM Missions celebrates 100 years of making disciples, we invite you to our Centennial events**, Nov. 2-3, at Park View Mennonite Church. Register at [100.vmmissions.org/register](http://100.vmmissions.org/register) or by contacting Melanie at [melanie.sherer@vmmissions.org](mailto:melanie.sherer@vmmissions.org) or (540) 434-9727. No RSVP is needed for the centennial program or the Festival of Praise concert.

**The Brethren Mennonite Heritage Center** will be hosting fieldtrips for students this fall. If you would have interest in providing lunch for approximately 40 volunteers on either **Thursday Oct. 17th or Nov. 7th**, contact Janel Early at 867-5091 or [joeandjanel@juno.com](mailto:joeandjanel@juno.com).

**The kickoff event of the yearlong 25th anniversary celebration of EMU's Center for Justice and Peacebuilding**, the "TenTalks. Impact. Influence. Inspire" welcomes three peacebuilders to share their story. The free event (10 minute speeches followed by Q & A) begins at **2 p.m. on Saturday, October 12, in the MainStage Theater, University Commons.**

**EMU's Homecoming and Family Weekend is Oct.11-12. Visit [emu.edu/homecoming](http://emu.edu/homecoming) for a schedule of events.**

**The Confident Caregiver, a day of empowerment** brought to you by VPAS and JMU's Institute for Innovation in Health and Human Services, will be held Tues Nov. 12, 9-3:30pm at the JMU Festival Conference and Student Center. Sessions will be health management, caregiver burnout, managing the cost of caring for a loved one, legal aspects of caregiving, and much more. No cost to attend but space is limited. Register: [vpas.info/events](http://vpas.info/events) or call 615-5341.

**Two small silver keys** (possibly lock keys) were found in the church parking lot. See Sandi at the church office if you are missing some.