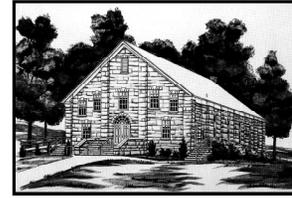


Missionaries of the Month: Pray for Grace and Yugo and their children in Indonesia. "Our biggest current prayer request is for Indonesia as it battles Coronavirus. Currently all our ministry activities are on hold as schools are closed and people try to stay inside. We have all had a stressful few months with flooding in our neighborhood multiple times (major flooding on New Years day and then again on February 25th). We also had a fire in our slum, destroying 25 homes of our friends. Pray for all our students and their families."



Weavers Mennonite Church

**Easter Sunday, April 12, 2020 - Services
cancelled at the physical location
10:30am FB Livestream via Congregational Group Page**

*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.*



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Prelude (and Offertory)

c/o Sandy Byler & Sara Byler

Welcome & Scripture/Prayer

Regina Brubaker

Announcements

Regina Brubaker

Worship in Song

c/o Sara Byler & Noah Yoder

Children's Story

Regina Brubaker

Worship in Hymns

c/o Rachel Stutzman

First Fruits Giving

Worship in Song

Sermon: "Rejoice and Share the Good News!"

Phil Kanagy

Scripture: Matthew 28:1-10

Sharing and Prayer

Phil Kanagy

Benediction

Postlude

We can't "go" to church right now, but that doesn't mean we're going to stop "being" church. We will continue to trust God, for nothing can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus.

Announcements

Happy Birthday wishes this week to Sarah Schoenhals (today!), Mark Lehman, Linda Sauder, Darren Good, Marvin Slabaugh, Phyllis Kauffman, and Bob Brenneman.

After careful discussion, Weavers leadership decided to make the Weavers Library materials available to the church while in-person worship services are cancelled. The library will be open by appointment to one household at a time or requested materials will be delivered to your home. Use the following link to read [Weavers Library Guidelines During the Covid19 Pandemic, 2020](#) for more information. Contact Rebecca Shank using the church directory listing to arrange an appointment, request delivery, or ask questions. The library also has some free items available (from donations).

Thank you for your contributions via mail, paypal, or dropping by the office. These have been the designations in the past four/five weeks:
Operating Expenses - \$21,395.75; Building Fund - \$300;
Coffeeshouse - \$200; Relief Kits for MCC - \$445

We are again helping to put together relief kits in support of Mennonite Central Committee. We will not assemble the kits on location but will collect funds only. Relief kits are also going to the Mexican-US border. Your donations may be earmarked "Relief Kits" and will be received until Easter Sunday, April 12. -- -Weavers Outreach Committee

VMMissions launches Coronavirus Immigrant Care Fund: Many immigrant families, Latino and otherwise, depend on their weekly check for meeting the needs of their families. Unfortunately, the present coronavirus emergency has left many families jobless or with their work hours reduced to a minimum. VMMissions invites you to help share God's love with our immigrant neighbors in need. Learn more and donate at <https://vmmissions.org/cicfund/>
Weavers Outreach Committee is giving \$1,000 from its funds for Hispanic emergency funds (through VMMissions) to share with our Hispanic brothers and sisters who have already lost jobs. It will help put food on their tables.

If there are persons in the congregation who have lost jobs or work because of the Covid-19 and are in need, please contact one of the pastors or elders, or our Chair of Weavers Care & Share Committee, Barb Martin. We have funds designated for such a time as this. We want to be supportive of each other during this difficult time.

Looking for someone to landscape or mow your lawn? While also helping two young college students pay for their tuition? Jesse Byler and Brett Bechler are looking for yard to mow or landscaping projects to take on, starting this spring. If interested, please contact Jesse through call or text at (540) 705-4388 or email using bylerjt.2@gmail.com

To my Brothers and Sisters at Weavers - For a number of years, I have been part of the group known as SOS, meaning "Share our Surplus." It was started to supplement the money raised at our Mennonite Relief Sale specifically for refugee relief. A Covid-19 outbreak in one of these crowded camps would be catastrophic. We want to encourage you and your friends to send whatever you can to MCC, now, designated for refugee work. The Covid-19 virus has caused the closing of Thrift Stores and Relief sales in the USA and Canada. These closings will have negative impact on MCC's budget. I want to challenge us to give to MCC now to help with their relief work. You can make a contribution to MCC designated for Relief work.
- Dennis Kuhns

Do you have or know someone who has a one-person apartment?

Jared Oyer, brother of Trevor Oyer, is looking for an apartment to live in next year that is less than one mile away from EMU's campus (Aug. 2020-May 2021). Please contact Trevor at trevor.oyer11@gmail.com if you have or know of a possible option.

Please note the new [Spring 2020 issue of Pathways](#), the quarterly publication of Virginia Mennonite Conference. This is usually in print in our church mailboxes.

The Keep Your Distance 5K Virtual Run/Walk is a fundraising event for VMMissions from April 20-25 that encourages people of all ages and abilities to enjoy physical activity and some friendly competition for those who want it.

Walkers can tag VMMissions on Facebook, or send us pictures of yourself outside and enjoying exercise as you walk to raise money for VMMissions! Pictures can be sent to our Facebook, or to Event Coordinator, Abe Hartzler at abe.hartzler@vmmissions.org

Runners will have the entirety of the event, Monday-Saturday to clock their best 5K run, and tag VMMissions in the run. To be counted for the competition, the run must be GPS tracked via the Strava App. Treadmill runs will not be counted. Otherwise, runners are encouraged to find an area where they feel that they can run their fastest. Runners will submit their 5K on Strava by adding VMMissions via the "Add Others" button. This will create a leaderboard for the duration, and after the event. Heats will be organized by age bracket and gender. Each heat will have a first and second place winner. Register for the event at <https://vmmissions.org/how-to-help/giving-projects/keep-your-distance-5k/>. All participants will receive a T-Shirt.

Save the Dates for Virginia Mennonite Conference Assembly, July 16-18.

A Healthy Boundaries training will take place on Thursday, July 16, from 8 to 4 with Lonnie Yoder & Teresa Boshart Yoder (Location TBD). Assembly begins with evening worship on Thursday, July 16 (time and place TBD). A Mennonite Women of Virginia breakfast is at 6:45 a.m. on Saturday. Delegate sessions will be at Eastern Mennonite School; worship location TBD. Registrations will be due by July 2, 2020 at 5 p.m. More information to come.