



**Missionaries of the Month focus: Steve Horst and Bethany Tobin, and their children Anjali, Emmanuel, Tirszah in Ubon, Thailand.** We desire continued prayer for the church in our district. The past year was a very discouraging for them. We are already only a handful and half of these members lost their faith and left for various reasons. Several attempts at evangelism were shut down by locals or brought no fruit. Those who had hopes of growth and evangelism are tired and discouraged and done trying for a while.

Yet we do see growth in the leaders and a deepening of resilience and maturity. And that is something big. Pray with us for encouragement for these dear believers who long to see God establish a viable church here. Pray for prophetic hope to pray into the future.

**A Look at VM Missions:** Armando and Veronica Sanchez, pastors and church planters, are asking for prayers for three new believers who recently gave their lives to Jesus. Pray also for guidance from the Spirit to continue seeking the lost and proclaiming the gospel with boldness.

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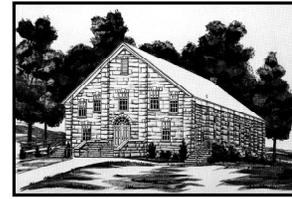
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# Weavers Mennonite Church

**Sunday, May 30, 2021 - 10:30am  
Inside In Person and via Facebook stream**

*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.*

**Prelude**

c/o Sandy Byler

**Welcome & Scripture/Prayer**

Isaac Driver

**Announcements**

Isaac Driver

**Worship in Song**

c/o Sandy Byler

**First Fruits Giving**

**Sermon: "Our Church's True Foundation"**

Dennis Kuhns

Scripture: I Corinthians 3:10-15

**Song of Response "My Hope Is Built" (VT 621)**

*(the livestream will end after this)*

**Sharing and Prayer**

Isaac Driver

**Benediction & Sending Song**

Dennis Kuhns

## Announcements

**We will worship indoors today but also continue with livestream worship services for those worshipping from home.** The Pastoral Council has decided, beginning this Sunday, that **wearing masks indoors will be optional**, following the new CDC recommendations.

### Upcoming Weavers calendar:

- **Tuesday, June 1, 7pm Administrative Council**
- **Prayer Group meets via zoom Wednesdays at 7pm**
- **Youth Group meets Wed evenings**
- **Tuesday, June 15, 7pm Pastoral Council**
- **VBS July 17, 4:30-7:pm**

**Thank you for your continued contributions via mail, paypal, bank transfer or dropping by the office.** These have been the designations in the last week: Budget - \$3,232; MDS Elkton bridge project - \$5,850; building fund - \$100

**Happy Birthday wishes this week to:** Helen Driver (today!), Kristi Driver, Erin Knicely, Joelle Blosser, and Andry Stutzman. (belated birthday wishes to Rachel Stutzman for May 17!).

**Eastern Mennonite School Touring Choir will present a program this evening, May 30, 6:30pm NOW INDOORS due to the weather.** There will still be every other bench seating, and we are to wear masks. Overflow seating will be available in Shady Oak (audio only).

**MDS Bridge in Elkton. The Weavers Outreach invites donations and volunteers to help MDS build a bridge for a family in need in the Elkton area. Needed are 8-10 "unskilled" volunteers per day for 10 days starting June 21.** Sign up for the day(s) on the white board in the foyer, or email the office at [weaversmc@weaversmc.org](mailto:weaversmc@weaversmc.org). We have committed to raising \$12,000 which will be matched by an anonymous donor, and donations can be given to Weavers Church with "MDS Bridge" in the memo line.

**Jesus: Our Strong Foundation** is the theme for VBS this year. There are many ways you can help with VBS this year! The first opportunity is to help put VBS kits together Thursday June 10 starting at 6:00 pm at Shady Oak. If you are able to help please email Joyce Nussbaum at [joyce.nussbaum62@gmail.com](mailto:joyce.nussbaum62@gmail.com) or call or text at 540-820-3856. Look for more opportunities next week to sign up to deliver kits or to help with the in-person event on July 17. There will also be flyers and registration forms available for you to share with families you want to invite to join us.

**Mennonite Women of Virginia invites women of the conference to *Women Encouraging Women on Saturday, July 17, 10 am to noon at Weavers Mennonite Church*, outdoors under the oaks.** (The Weavers Mennonite Church sanctuary will be used if inclement weather.) Diane Marin will be our speaker, and Jerilyn Schrock our music leader. Both are in leadership at [New](#)

[Song Anabaptist Fellowship](#). There is no charge, but you are invited to bring an offering of non-perishable food items for Lacey Spring Community Food Pantry. There will also be an offering for the MWV Executive Committee. Child care will be available, indoors. A boxed lunch will be provided at the end of the meeting, along with time to eat and fellowship together. If you have dietary restrictions, please plan to bring your own lunch. Bring your own lawn chair and your own beverage to this event. Please RSVP by July 10 to [MWVsecretary@gmail.com](mailto:MWVsecretary@gmail.com)

### Virginia Mennonite Missions

**Read the new Spring 2021 issue** of VMissions' quarterly magazine [Transforming: English | Spanish](#).

**Virginia Mennonite Conference Read the new Spring 2021 issue of <https://virginiainconference.org/read-pathways/> [Pathways](#), the quarterly publication of Virginia Mennonite Conference.**

**FRESH MISSISSIPPI CATFISH TAKE-OUT MEAL, June 4, (3 - 6 PM) at Shady Oak (Weavers Mennonite Church).** NO RESERVATIONS. DRIVE IN TO GET YOUR MEAL! (3 catfish fillets, 2 hush puppies, tarter sauce, baked beans, coleslaw and homemade carrot or chocolate cake) A fundraiser to support the Albanian School, Lezha Academic Center (LAC). Your donation of \$20 or more is greatly appreciated! [Watch a video to learn more about Lezha Academic Center](#).

### Eastern Mennonite University

**Want to work for a mission-driven organization?** [Check out the job openings at EMU](#). Consider applying for the [Events and Volunteer Coordinator](#) position in the Alumni and Parent Engagement department.

**Looking for a job in Mennonite Education?** Here are some current openings listed on the MEA website: <https://www.mennoniteeducation.org/Schools/Employment/Pages/default.aspx>

**The May edition of *On the Level* is now available** from Mennonite Disaster Service. In our current issue: MDS celebrates the wrap up of its multi-year long Hurricane Harvey response, volunteers are working on two new homes damaged by tornadoes in Ohio and the 2021 Spirit of MDS Fund (MDS Canada) issues 43 grants, worth \$104,900. Click on this link to read more: <https://conta.cc/3hA4mgR>

**Mennonite Women of Virginia is looking forward to having its annual retreat** (which was cancelled last year because of COVID) on Friday, November 12, through Sunday, November 14, 2021, at the Richmond Short Pump Marriott. The speaker will be Dawn Mast. Please mark your calendars and plan to attend! More information and registration forms will be coming this summer.