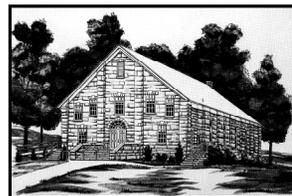


Focus for the Month: J. & H. and their children, serving in South Asia where J. works as a graphic designer. Together they are discipling youth, developing leaders, and working for church multiplication in the Muslim-background believer church. A new family has joined them as teammates in their city; pray they have all their needs met. Food, money, phones, laundry, water, bedding, etc.

A Look at VM Missions: As Laura Campbell celebrates her birthday today in Podgorica, Montenegro, pray that her work with women in the local church and their outreach efforts will bear kingdom fruit. Pray also for her husband Steve and their two daughters as they serve together.



Weavers Mennonite Church

Sunday, August 8, 2021 - 10:30am
OUTDOORS 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.*



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Prelude

c/o Rachel & Andry Stutzman

Welcome & Scripture/Prayer

Debbie Rhodes

Announcements

Debbie Rhodes

Worship in Song

c/o Rachel & Andry Stutzman

When We Walk With the Lord (VT #570)
Together (VT #389)
Living Hope

First Fruits Giving

Children age 5 and under invited downstairs for StoryTime

Message: "Doulos for Life"

Curt Stutzman

Scripture: Philippians 2:1-18

Song of Response *What a Beautiful Name*

(the livestream will end after this)

Sharing and Prayer

Debbie Rhodes

Benediction

Curt Stutzman

Sending Song *Will You Let Me Be Your Servant (VT #778)*

Announcements

Upcoming Weavers calendar:

- **Tuesday, August 10, 7pm -- Administrative Council**
- **Wed, August 11 -- Sewing Day**
- **Prayer Group meets via zoom Wednesdays at 7pm**
- **Youth Group meets Wednesday evenings**
- **Church Campout at Highland Retreat, Sept. 3-5**

Lighthouse Coffee will be open for coffee each Sunday at 9:15am. Bring lawn chairs if you would like to sit outside, or there will also be seating inside.

Men's prayer time -- all men are invited to a time for prayer each Saturday at 7 AM in the Lighthouse Coffee building. Coffee will be provided. You are welcome to also invite men from outside of the Weavers congregation.

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, including the Sunday morning offering: Budget - \$7,249

Happy Birthday wishes this week to: Silas King (turns 3 years), and Rose Gray.

Julia Alleman's current term as Elder has completed. She has indicated a willingness to serve another year, if approved by the congregation. On July 20, Administrative Council took action to reappoint Julia for a one year term, pending a vote of affirmation by the congregation. Accordingly, a vote of affirmation is scheduled for Sunday, August 15, 2021. A congregational affirmation requires at least 75% of those voting to affirm Julia as an Elder. Absentee ballots will also be available.

Harrisonburg Mennonite Church will be offering a Community Women's Bible Study from September 7 to October 19, Tuesdays from 9:00-11:00 a.m. The seven-week study will be *JONAH* by Priscilla Shirer. You may pick up a registration form in the foyers of HMC or find one online at this link: [Church Calendar — Harrisonburg Mennonite Church](#) If you have questions you may call Jeannie Smith at (540) 820-0136.

Come "Worship in this Woods" at Brethren & Mennonite Heritage Center this Sunday, Aug. 8 at 7 PM, in the beautiful, outdoor, wooded amphitheater on our campus! Please bring your own lawn chair for seating. We will be joined by the **Shenandoah Valley Biblical Storytellers Guild**, a group of biblical storytellers from varied Christian traditions who have banded together using their gifts to share the Bible in a way that many have not heard before. Shenandoah Valley Biblical Storytellers member **Robert Alley** will serve as the worship leader

Mennonite Women of Virginia Retreat is scheduled for November 12-14 at the Richmond Marriott Short Pump. Dawn Mast will be speaking on "God's Faithfulness," Rachel Stutzman will lead music, and there will be many other

opportunities for fellowship and renewal. EARLY REGISTRATION closes on August 15. The final registration deadline is October 8. Registration forms are located on the foyer credenza or you may email mwvsecretary@gmail.com to receive a form or for questions.

NEW! Read the new [Summer issue](#) of *Pathways*, VMC's quarterly publication: <https://virginiaconference.org/read-pathways>

A Childcare and Homeschool Assistant is needed in the northeastern Ubon Ratchathani province of Thailand. Empower pioneer missionaries through child care and home-school help. Experience with caring for young children and previous cross-cultural experience preferred. Travel with the family, assist with homeschooling, and have a front-seat experience of a pioneering cross-cultural mission. Learn more at: <https://vmmissions.org/service-opportunity/child-care-assistant-in-northeast-thailand>.

Virginia Mennonite Relief Sale - My Coins Count is a fun way to [raise money for projects](#) of Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) and Virginia Mennonite Missions (VMMissions). Funds raised will be shared evenly between VMMissions and MCC. This year's VMMissions projects are the US-based family discipleship ministries of workers Hannah Shultz and Seth & Theresa Crissman. The MCC project is for classroom supplies at six Brethren in Christ schools in rural Zambia. Learn more at: <https://vmmissions.org/how-to-help/giving-projects/my-coins-count>

Catfish fishfry August 27, to benefit Greater Hope, will be held at Dayton Mennonite church, as a drive thru, or as a dine-in. Contact info to reserve your dinner: 540-820-8332 or Email: kkipps@greaterhope.org

Weavers' Church Campout

Sept. 3 – Sept. 5, 2021 Highland Retreat in Bergton, VA.

Camp sites have been reserved at the main campground for Friday and Saturday nights, Sept. 3 – Sept. 5.

Rates are discounted by Weavers for these 2 nights:

- Tenting/no hook-up \$20 per night
- Camping with hookup \$25 per night.
- A-frame cabins are \$30 per A-frame/night plus \$5 per person after the 4th person. (Cabins sleep 12 persons).

To reserve a tent area, camp-site or A-frame cabin, RSVP to Kristin Wenger by phone (602) 677-3587, email kristin.wenger.23@gmail.com

Persons camping Sunday evening **MUST** call Highland for their individual reservations for that evening. ~ 540-705-0554