

Focus for the Month: This month we are **focusing on Steve & Laura Campbell, Ruth and Esther serving in Montenegro.** "Pray for the vision and unity of our local body to be communicated and practiced in word and deed. The vision is Save, Equip and Send. Pray as the small groups are becoming stable that they can see ways to live into the vision. Pray that overall we see the mission of God as His historical initiative to bring redemption to His creation, and that we reflect that as we do our part with the vision of this body of believers."

A Look at VMissions: As 2022 begins, pray for God's Spirit to open doors for the gospel around the world, and for VMissions workers to encounter receptive hearts and see transformed lives as a witness to the love and salvation of God through Jesus.



Weavers Mennonite Church

Sunday, January 9, 2022 - 10:30am

*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 Andry & Rachel Stutzman

Welcome & Announcements

Sarah Regan

First Fruits Giving

Scripture Reading

Worship in Song

c/o Andry & Rachel Stutzman

*VT 235 In the beginning (scripture passage)
VT 715 Longing for Light (Verses 1,2,5)
VT 270 In the Beginning (Verses 1,2,3)
VT 125 Shout to the Lord*

Message "Who is a God Like You?"

Curt Stutzman

Scripture: Micah 7

Song of Response *Goodness of God* *(live stream will end after this)*

Sharing and Prayer

Sarah Regan

Sending Song *HWB 219 Bright and glorious is the sky (Vs. 1, 3, 4, 5)*

Nursery is available downstairs during the Worship service for ages 3 and younger.

Announcements

Upcoming Weavers calendar:

- **Youth Group participating in January Event**
- **January Event - all Wednesdays evenings in January 2022**

The congregation is being called to prayer, as Administrative Council will be looking now to a recommendation by Pastoral Council to move ahead in our processing of and searching for person(s) who can more formally take on the roles ministering alongside our pastor leadership team.

Thank you for your continued contributions. Ways to give may include through your bank's bill pay, which is often a free service. Other ways are via mail, paypal on the church website, bank transfer or dropping by the office. These have been the designations in the last week: Budget - \$5,503.59; Building Fund - \$100

January Event: The theme will be "One Another". Each Wednesday our meal will be in Shady Oak at 6; input time starts at 6:50pm.

We will be discussing topics related to Ephesians 4:11-16, focused on the unity of the faith and to what it means to be members of the Kingdom together.

Congratulations to Anna Layton, who graduated from Roanoke College with a Bachelor of Arts in Communication Studies. Blessings on your next stage of life!

As was announced via email prior to last Sunday, Isaac & Kristi Driver had a baby girl. Eliana Rue was born December 30, 2021, and weighed 6 lbs, 8 oz. Congratulations to all -- including first time grandparents, Rodney & Melody Driver!

Congratulations to Joy Driver and Lamar Kiser on their wedding yesterday, January, 8, 2022 at Harrisonburg Mennonite Church! May God bless you as you continue your lives together.

Outreach Committee has begun training discussions with Church World Services in our preparation to sponsor an Afghani family. Anyone willing to be on the support team should contact Janet Blosser.

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.

Sunday School Classes meet at 9:30 am every Sunday. Join a class for time of fellowship, sharing, and Bible Study.

- **Fellowship Class:** in the Shady Oak classroom
- **Portraits of Jesus:** meeting in the west side of Library
- **Intergenerational:** Foyer Classrm.
- **Pathfinders:** Sewing Room/classroom of Shady Oak
- **Young Adult:** Shady Oak main room
- **A Ladies Deuteronomy study via zoom:** contact Rebecca Shank
- **Coffee House:** conversation and fellowship – in the Coffee House

Tai Chi for Arthritis and Falls Prevention (TCSFP) will be offered at Shady Oak every Tuesday beginning January 11 - April 26 from 1-2 pm. Please invite anyone who might benefit from this program to [register](#) on the vpas website. Talk to Joyce Nussbaum if you have questions.

TCSFP, developed by Dr. Paul Lam at the Tai Chi for Health Institute, is known for improving relaxation and balance as well as its ease of use for older adults. Each session includes warm up and cool down exercises along with learning movements that progressively lead to completing the basic six core movements and six advanced extension movements. All movements can be modified to accommodate mobility issues and can be done seated.

This program is evidence based and has been shown to improve balance and mobility, increase strength and flexibility, decrease pain and reduce falls. TCAFP is appropriate for people with mild, moderate and severe joint involvement and back pain as well as for all adults who have a higher risk of falling.