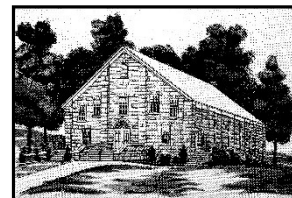


Missionaries of the Month – Steve & Bethany Tobin Horst, with their children Anjali, Emmanuel, and Tierzah – serving in Bangkok, Thailand. Steve & Bethany support evangelism and discipleship by coaching new workers, engaging in prayer, art, and worship ministry, **resourcing the Life Enrichment Church.**

- for teammate Nando Valencia as he prepares to move to Ubon at the end of this month, having completed language study. The church is working to find the right lodging for him for the next year. Pray for God to provide, renew and lead!
- for teammate Ruth Rivera (currently in Bangkok for language study) for health and wellness, particularly while we're gone June and July on furlough.
- for renewal in our support network - we are in need of Ministry Support Team members, prayer supporters, and financial supporters for this next term.



Weavers Mennonite Church

Sunday, May 24, 2026
Sunday School classes – 9:30am
Iglesia Esperanza de Vida – 9:15am

*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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Welcome & Announcements

Scripture Reading Psalm 95
First Fruits Giving

Rachel Stutzman

Worship in Song

VT 29 "Come, Now is the Time to Worship"
VT 86 "You Are Exalted"
VT 715 "Longing for Light"

c/o Sandy Byler

Message: "Entering Rest"

Scripture – Hebrews 4:1-11

Austin Showalter

Song of Response VT 417 "Seek Ye First"

(live stream will end)

Sharing and Prayer

Sending Song VT 847 "You Shall Go Out with Joy"

VT = *Voices Together* purple hymnal

*Nursery is available during the Worship Service
(Staffed today by Shay Bechler, Bethany Shultz, Becky Beach)*

Our Service is live streamed and recorded

Upcoming Weavers Calendar

- Wed Prayers via Zoom, meet at 6:30pm (contact Julia Alleman)
- Men's prayer at the Coffeehouse - Saturdays, 7am
- June 18-21 (Thu-Sun) LMC Assembly '26 at Millersville University, Millersville PA
- VBS June 27, 1:30-5pm "What a Mess!"

Announcements

Thank you for your continued contributions. We have a basket at the back of the sanctuary. Other ways to give may include your bank's bill pay or bank transfer (which are often a free service), via mail, or paypal on the church website. Past week: Budget - \$4,235; Building Loan - \$100

Birthday wishes this week to: Vicki Kauffman (today), Lowell Kauffman (today), Abby Oyer, David Alleman, Ruth Knicely, Edith Kuhns, and Helen Driver.

For our 5th Sunday Noon Fellowship Meal, May 31 -- It would be appreciated if each family bring a main dish (consider using a crock-pot) and either a salad, dessert or bread.

Please join us for a baby shower celebrating with Rachel and Andry Stutzman on May 31st from 6-8pm here at Weavers. It will be held outside between Shady Oak and the church under the trees. This is an all-family event! If you would like to gift money for the group gift talk to Sandi Good. They are registered at Babylist.
<https://my.babylist.com/rachel-stutzman>

From the Library Committee - A new incentive for reading for the Adult Library is a drawing. For each book checked out, you may drop your name in the designated jar in the library, and at the beginning of July, a name will be drawn to win a gift card to a local business. The more you read, the better your chances to win will be!

You can still pick up a baby bottle from the display table in the church foyer, to fill with change, cash, or a check for AVA Care of Harrisonburg. We recently heard from AVA Care of Harrisonburg as they serve our community in life-affirming medical nonprofit services to individuals at risk of or facing unintended pregnancies. Bottles will be collected June 7.

The Congregation has been asked for spiritual discernment and prayer as we consider our nominating process for two Elder positions. Terms end June 30, 2026 for Lydia Martin and Jennifer Wright. Both have agreed to renew their terms if the Congregation feels the Holy Spirit's leading. A Nominations box is located in the church foyer for nomination forms distributed last Sunday via the bulletin. Additional forms are also available there.

June 27 (Sat) 1:30-5pm - one day VBS ("What A Mess!") at Weavers for kids age 5 thru 6th grade. To register or find out more info, email austin@weaversmc.org. Picnic dinner following, parents included.

Weavers also has a summer camp ("What A Mess!") the week prior (June 22-26 Mon-Thu 8:30-5:30, Fri 8:30-12:30). Anyone interested can email wccdirector@weaversmc.org. The cost for the summer camp is \$150 for the first child, \$135 per additional sibling; children bring packed lunches, snacks are provided.

Shoes needed for foot clinic: a foot clinic works out of the suitcase clinic, which serves the unhoused population in our community. Many of the clients have worn shoes or shoes that are too small which are causing foot problems to arise. We are hoping to collect shoes to offer clients who visit the clinic who are in need of a quality pair of shoes. Ideally shoes appropriate for long distance walking (running or tennis shoes). These can be new or gently used but in good shape. Women's sizes 5-10 and men's sizes 9-12. A collection box has been placed in the foyer.

Young Adults will be gathering May 30th at Daniel and Lydia Martin's family cabin in Singers Glen for fellowship around the fire, hiking, games, and lunch! More info to come.

Highland Retreat - Family Camp, July 3-5 — Specially designed for families to enjoy together, whether that's parents and their children, grandparents and grandchildren, or any comparable combination, this weekend will feature a variety of fun camp activities and worship times. All meals will be provided. Learn more and sign up at highlandretreat.org/summer-camp/youth-camps/family-camp.

Skyline Literacy is holding its **inaugural dinner gala**, A Celebration of Literacy and Opportunity, on **Friday, May 29 from 5:00-7:00 pm** at VMRC's Detwiler Auditorium. Join us for dinner, Ukrainian musical entertainment by the Melichenko Family, and stories from Skyline students and volunteers. [Click here to register](#). Contact Hannah Wittmer with any questions: hwittmer@skylineliteracy.org

June 18-21 (Thu-Sun) LMC Assembly '26 at Millersville University, Millersville PA. Gather to celebrate God's work among us, cast vision for the future, and mobilize for mission! Registration costs will increase for late registration on May 16. Register now to secure the lower rate! Check Imcchurches.org/assembly-26 for registration and more information. Assembly also has programming for children.

VMissions continues in the process of changing our name. As a mission sending agency, we want to reflect the new things God is doing and the growing, diverse networks of those who serve with us and those who support our ministries. This process began in January 2025 after several years of conversations, and we are currently assessing two name options with focus groups made up of our partners and stakeholders. To learn more about this process, visit vmmissions.org/name-change/

Read online PDF of the **Apr-June 2026 issue of LMC's [Shalom News](#)**. See p.8-9 for article on Blue Ridge District!

Prime Timers Activity: Due to a scheduling issue, the Prime Timers trip to the harnesses races on May 30th is **CANCELED**. We will try next year.

Prime Timers. Since we aren't going to the races, let's go to a baseball game. May 30th, at 7:00pm the Harrisonburg Turks have a home game. We will have reserved seating and group rate for tickets for \$3 each. You must tell the ticket booth personnel that you are with the Weavers Prime Timers. Even if you aren't a huge baseball fan, come and enjoy the company and eat ball park food.

Prime Timers! Our July activity is to attend the No Bull, Just Bluegrass festival on July 3 at the Rockingham County Fairgrounds. You will need to buy your own ticket (one day or all weekend - it's up to you!) We will be sitting together on the 3rd. You need to bring a chair and arrange your own transportation. You should be able to buy a ticket at the gate, but it is better to get one early. To buy tickets, go to the web site Aftontickets.com

Prime Timers tickets on sale to see the Bible Museum, including the Dead Sea Scrolls. August 18. Tickets must be purchased by June 30. We plan to travel by bus. There is a cafeteria in the museum where you can purchase lunch. We will make one stop on the return to purchase dinner. All meals are on your own. Tickets price \$80.

The Soil and The Seed Project's 2026 ORDINARY TIME CONCERT SERIES kicks off May 30 at 6:30pm, at the outdoor amphitheater at the Brethren & Mennonite Heritage Center. Join a host of musicians from The Soil and the Seed Project to sing, dance, and learn from the Psalms collection, released in May 2026! This second installment of the Bible Memory collection inspires us to "get into the Psalms, and get the Psalms into us. The event is for KIDS, FAMILIES, and EVERYONE seeking a beautiful place to listen to beautiful music that helps us all recognize God in the ordinary. (In the church calendar year, Ordinary Time is the season between Pentecost and Advent.) Bring lawn chairs or blankets. [View more details.](#) Anyone is welcome to join for a potluck meal at 5:30pm. Taco salad bar provided, bring a side or dessert to share (no nuts, please!)

SOS (a committee of the VMRS) is hosting a fundraising event at Gift and Thrift (Harrisonburg) on June 5th. 10% of the day's sale proceeds will be designated specifically to MCC Refugee Relief efforts in South Sudan, Ukraine, Ethiopia, and Gaza. SOS has a \$50,000 matching donation. We hope to see you there!

Calling for an end to the violence - MCC laments the U.S. military aggression against Iran and mourns our collective failure to stop the endless cycles of violence and the cheapening of human life. We know a better world is possible—because Jesus showed us the way. [Join MCC in praying and taking action for peace.](#)

VMissions Events Save the Date - Motorcycles for Missions June 5–6, 2026 (with rain date on June 12-13) Experience the beauty of the Shenandoah Valley, Blue Ridge, and Allegheny mountains, as motorcyclists from across Virginia ride for a cause. For more information, please call (540) 434-9727.