

Prayers and Praises

Charlottesville: We pray for the Spirit of the Resurrection in our city: For all the citizens in the city, for our schools, schoolboards, administrators, teachers and children. For an end to racism and racial prejudice.

VMMissions: Pray that Tyler and Kendra Yoder will find meaningful ways to serve their community in Richmond, Va. Pray that they will find people of peace, ready to accept them and the gospel.

Mennonite Mission Network: Today ends the three-day Festival Tournament in Ulaanbaatar. JCS, Mennonite Mission Network's partner agency in Mongolia, requests prayer for their Eagle Wings hockey team. Pray that the 15 boys and their coach will demonstrate God's love throughout the competition.

Pray for the local services for people in need: Love Inc., Shelter for Help in Emergency, Food Bank, Salvation Army, IMPACT – a justice ministry and PACEM- the initiative for the homeless.



Seventh Sunday after Epiphany February 24, 2019

Gathering in God's presence

Preservice Music		
Call to worship		Psalm 37
Opening prayer		
Hymns	God who touched the earth	HWB 511
	The Lord is my light	STJ 97

Noticing God's presence

Children's story		
Confession		
Hymn	Great is thy faithfulness	HWB 327
Scripture	Luke 6:27-38	
Sermon	Fret Not!?!?	
Hymn	He leadeth me	HWB 599

Responding to God's presence

Sharing of joys and concerns / visitor introductions		
Pastoral Prayer		
Offering	Praise God	HWB 119
Hymn	The Lord lift you up	STJ 73
Benediction		



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Mennonite
Church

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9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship Service
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Today

Sermon: Pearl Hartman
Worship: Melvin Janzen
Music: Dottie Scott

Next Sunday

Roy Hange
Maren Hange
Linda Patchel

Upcoming Events

March 3 Communion
March 5 Men's Breakfast at Bodo's on Preston 7 am
March 6 Lectio Divina Group 10 am
March 11 BOE 7:15 pm
March 17 Sermon: Rev. Dr. Paula Owens Parker
March 31 Hymnsing
April 7 Sermon: Joan Kulp; MCC Learning Tour to Honduras and Migration
April 21 Easter breakfast
May 17-19 Annual church retreat

Announcements

Please email all bulletin announcements by Thursday evening to Linda. Please include the word "Bulletin" in the subject line of the heading.

Combined adult SS for March: Out of last spring's discussion group grew the idea to have conversations about the use/interpretation of scripture. So, after some further conversations with the elders and church council, we are working on a 4 week combined adult Sunday school session for March 3-24. Maren

Screen Schooled: Two Veteran Teachers Expose How Technology Overuse Is Making Our Kids Dumber. Joe Clement and Matt Miles, educators and authors of a book by the same title, present at Eastern Mennonite School, March 20, 7:30 p.m. in the school auditorium. Area educators, parents, pastors, and those interested in childhood development are especially invited to this free presentation and Q&A on the impact of technology on children's brain development. Presented in partnership with James Madison University and WVPT and with sponsorship support from

EMU, Park View Federal Credit Union, Everence, Shirley's Popcorn and Brian Mayes Studio.

2019 MCC Turkey Canning Project: The Annual Meat Canning is scheduled for February 25-March 1, 2019 at the Hinton Mennonite Relief Center, Hinton, VA. **Virginia Mennonite Conference is responsible to help provide help on Tuesday, February 26.** Help is needed from 5 AM until 11 PM each day. Friday, March 1 is scheduled as a community day and help is especially needed in the early morning. Anyone is welcome to come and help on any day! Funds are needed to purchase turkey for processing and for the ongoing operation of the Relief Center. If you would like to contribute to this project you can send a donation to the: Hinton Mennonite Relief Center, PO Box 519, Dayton, VA 22821. If you have any questions about this project you can contact Leon Rhodes at (540) 820-5443 or Gerald Knicely at (540) 478-4203. Thanks for your participation in this effort to feed the less fortunate in the world.

A two-day all-area knotting bee is planned for March 7-8. It will be at Village Hall on the VMRC campus. Come join in the fun when it works for you, Thursday or Friday, or both! LuAnn Bender and Deb Layman will have comforters ready to knot, provide snacks and all of the needed supplies. Please bring a sack lunch if you are staying over that time. We look forward to seeing you and enjoying each other's company as we make much needed comforters for MCC. Invite your friends! And if you have any supplies you'd like to donate - tops or backs, you may bring them. Email laymans4@verizon.net if you have questions.

The Board of Elders is inviting the congregation to **memorize together one verse a month:** *The LORD is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? the LORD is the strength of my life; of whom shall I be afraid? Psalm 27:1*