

# Dayton Mennonite Church

## Dayton, Virginia

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Adult superintendent: Anthony Rhodes

Primary superintendent: Lois Horst

**9:30 Sunday School** “Facing Life Without Worry”, Matt. 6:25-34

### **10:20 The Church at Morning Worship**

Moderator

Terry Cline

Song Leader

Linda Tice

Lighting of the Advent Candle

Offering

Congregational Operating Fund

Sermon “Man of Sorrows and Salvation” (Isa. 53) Daryl Driver

### **7:00 The Church at Evening Worship**

**Small group meetings in various homes** (if you’re not in a group and would like to be, please contact Brother Daryl).

### **LOOKING BACK**

**Attendance:** Sunday School 153, Worship Service 192

**Offering:** Gideons \$2552, WRE \$1347, Cong. Operating Fund \$210, Pastoral Support \$100, Other \$50

**Mt. Valley Churches Council Report** (November 19, 2011)

- 1) The treasurer reported a balance of \$6,787 for the General Fund and \$630 for the Nevada Fund.
- 2) Philip Borntrager was named chair of the Nevada Outreach Committee. Raleigh Rhodes was appointed to the Overseer Mentoring Committee.
- 3) Moderator Gerald Heatwole shared a history of West Valley District and Dayton Mennonite Church.
- 4) Council discussed the wedding band issue and related issues at length.

### **TODAY**

**Hostess:** Kay and Daryl Driver

**Nursery:** Hope Helmuth

### **LOOKING AHEAD THIS WEEK**

**Wednesday, November 30, 7:15 PM:** Youth Bible Study

### **PLANNING AHEAD**

**Sunday, December 4, 9:30:** Sunday School - “A Blessing for All Nations”, Gen. 12:1-9, Preaching - Daryl Driver, Moderator - Joscelyn Robinson, Offering - Eberly Missions, Hostess - Edith and Charles Beery, Nursery - Amanda Driver and Hannah Troyer **Apple tree gifts are due today!** If you forgot please contact Rosemary Brubaker to make alternate arrangements.

**Next Sunday evening, December 4:** Advent Sing - Marvin Slabaugh chorister

**Desserts needed:** Philip Rhodes, director of Our Community Place, has requested enough desserts for approximately 275 people for their Benefit Concert on December 6. There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board and more information about the organization and fundraiser. Desserts can be brought to the church kitchen by 3:00 PM on December 6. For information, contact Lois Rhodes at 434-3064.

**Wednesday, December 7, 7:15 PM:** House of Prayer Experience (HOPE). Adults, young adults and youth are invited for this special prayer meeting. This will feature a short time of praise and worship as well as structured, corporate prayer both in small group and entire group settings. *Child care is provided here at the church building by Carol Rhodes.*

**Normal Teles has 22 students** in Joshua Center in Albania this year. Virginia Mennonite Missions has a need for several more people to give \$400 plus \$10 (for a Christmas gift) to sponsor a child this school year. Your prayers are appreciated. You will receive a photo and the name of a child when you so generously help support Joshua Center. Get in touch with Earlene Horst at Virginia Mennonite Missions at earlene.horst@vmmissions.org.

### **PRAYER REMINDERS**

**Willard and Eva Eberly**, providing oversight, leadership training and translation work under VMM in Italy and Albania.

**Bethel Mennonite**

**Health Concerns:** homebound persons

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