

Dayton Mennonite Church

Dayton, Virginia

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9:30 Sunday School Adult superintendent: Leon Heatwole
Primary superintendent: Christy Martin
“Preparing for Commitment” Judges 13:1-7a, 8-13,24

10:20 The Church at Morning Worship

Song Leader	Roman Miller
Praise and Worship Leader	Ruby Showalter
Offering	Congregational Operating Fund
Worship Leader	Sanford Helmuth
Sermon “Fundamentals: Part II”	Daryl Driver

The Church at Evening Worship

7:00 Video: “And When They Shall Ask” This docu-drama covers the Russian Mennonite sojourn in Russia from 1788 onward with re-enactments of historic events, interviews with witnesses, archival film footage and scenes of Mennonite life in the former Soviet Union.

LOOKING BACK

Attendance: Sunday School 132, Worship 182

Offering: Student Aid Fund \$6799, Pastoral Support \$50, Eberly Missions \$250, Other \$85

TODAY

Hostess: Ida and Leon Heatwole

Nursery: Amy Showalter and Angela Farren

LOOKING AHEAD THIS WEEK

Wednesday, January 28, 7:15: Youth Group Bible study at Dan and Gwen’s.

PLANNING AHEAD

Sunday, February 1, 9:30: Sunday School “Commitment to God’s Messenger” II Kings 4:8-17 - Worship Service 10:20 Worship

Leader - Buff Showalter, Preaching - Daryl Driver, Offering - Willard Eberly Missions, Hostess - Kathy and Steve Rhodes, Nursery - Ruby Showalter and Eva Miller

Sunday, February 1, 7:00 PM: Personal Pilgrimages

An opportunity to minister through intercession: Prayer cards with pictures of children who attend the Good News Club at Smithland Elementary School are available on the bulletin board. Feel free to take one and use it.

Do you want your feelings about the music at DMC known? Don’t forget to fill out the music survey and place it in the suggestion box by February 1.

Wednesday, February 4: Youth group will meet at DMC. Jason Ropp from Rosedale Bible College will be speaking and meeting with the youth. Bring any friends who might be interested in RBC. **Lost and Found:** Look on the table in the back, as well as the coat rack inside the main doors for items that have been left here in the church. Unclaimed items will remain thru Sunday, February 1, and then will be removed.

Shenandoah Valley Men's Chorus will meet for the first practice on Sunday, January 25. Practices will be each Sunday from 2:30-4:00 PM at EMHS. An additional practice will be held from 4:00-4:30 for those interested in more difficult music. The program will be given on Sunday afternoon, April 5. All are welcome!

WinterFest 2009 at VMRC: An event for all ages, is planned for Saturday January 31, 7:30 AM - 3:00 PM, as a benefit for the Good Samaritan Annual Fund. Events include: breakfast & lunch, a juried silent auction, entertainers Glick & Phillips and The Whitlock Family Ensemble, crafts & bake sale, family activities, and more... Advance tickets for meals and music performances are on sale at Park View Federal Credit Union, Red Front, and VMRC. Come join in the fun, and check for more details at www.vmrc.org or call 564-3400.

Mountain Valley Women’s Retreat will be held at Highland Retreat on February 6 and 7. Please turn your registration forms into Amy Showalter.

Reminder that the Stewardship University is coming up in March 7, 2009 @ Parkview Mennonite Church. There is a brochure in your mail box or feel free to contact Dale Brubaker with any questions.

Sunday, February 8, 7:00 PM: Mt. Valley Joint Service with PK Sam Ministries of India

Wednesday, February 11: Sweet Sundae Shoppe

Plans are to receive Krista Heatwole and Jake Mumbauer into church membership Sunday morning, February 15.
Marriage Retreat March 13 and 14: Friday evening, March 13 and all day Saturday, March 14, at Dayton Mennonite Church. This would be a wonderful gift for your spouse.

PRAYER REMINDERS

Mandie Showalter, presently serving as a teacher and assisting weekly at Blossom Day Care Center under Jamaican Relief Ministries in Montego Bay, Jamaica.

Morning View Mennonite

Thank You

First of all, thank you for making your church facilities available for the “Mediterranean New Year’s Celebration!” That in itself was a wonderful gift. But you did much more than that. We witnessed your willingness to help in all kinds of ways---table hosts who invited people, made pasta and salad; men who carried, set up, (took down!) countless tables and chairs; kitchen helpers who worked joyfully to prepare and serve the Mediterranean meal; others missed the program to wash dishes and do cleanup. We feel overwhelmed with gratitude, first to the Lord and also to all of you!

The outpouring of response from so many different congregations who came among us Sunday evening reassures us of God’s favour and blessing on His work and confirms again how the partnership of many is needed in order to effectively accomplish His purposes.

Thank you for encouraging us! Love in Christ,
Willard and Eva Eberly

Health Concerns

Sam Witmer
Diane Eberly
Melba Heatwole
Home bound persons

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