

# Dayton Mennonite Church

## Dayton, Virginia

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### SUNDAY SCHOOL – 9:00

*“Helping Neighbors in Need” Deut. 15:4-11; Matt. 25:42-45*

Adult Superintendent                      Brian Shenk  
Primary Superintendent                      Miriam Crider

### WORSHIP SERVICE – 10:00

Worship Leader                      Blake Showalter  
Moderator                      Buff Showalter  
Offering                      Building Fund  
Song Leader                      Ian Trissel  
Message                      “Overcomer”                      Mike Troyer

### LOOKING BACK

**Sunday School** 235 **Worship** 432  
**Offering** Pastoral Support 10,899.00  
Building Fund 1,863,069.00... as of March 12 – Goal is 2,000,000.00

### TODAY

**Infant Nursery** Brianna Heatwole, Simara Witmer  
**1’s Nursery** Janell Nolt, Amanda Glenn  
**2’s Nursery** Helen Brunk, Erica Rohrer  
**Hosting** Gerald & Janell Nolt

### THIS WEEK

**Mon. March 16 @ 7pm** Ladies Jail Service with Gwen Horning and Elva Rhodes. Please pray for a move of God’s Spirit there.  
**Tues. March 17 @ 5:00 & 6:30am** Men’s Prayer Meeting  
**Wed. March 18 @ 7pm** Congregational Prayer Meeting – Youth will be sharing a biblical lesson and activities for the children.  
**Fri. March 20** Chapter 4 Kickoff - Fight Club for men @ 11:45pm

### LOOKING AHEAD – March 22

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL

*“All are One in Christ”* Acts 10:9-15, 30-35; Gal. 3:28-29  
**Infant Nursery** Amy Heatwole, Alayna Cline

**1’s Nursery** Christy Lambert, Charity Trissel

**2’s Nursery** Carla Koogler, Megan Rohrer

### WORSHIP

**Worship Leader** Blake Showalter **Moderator** Micah Heatwole  
**Offering** Congregational Operating Fund **Song Leader** Ian Trissel  
**Message** Mike Troyer  
**Hosting** Daren & Sheila Showalter

### UPCOMING DMC EVENTS

**March 22 & 23** Worship Nights Event @ 7pm  
**March 29** Palm Sunday – Children will share in song.  
**April 3** Community Good Friday Evening Service 7pm  
**April 5** Resurrection Service – Breakfast served 8:45 – 9:45am

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**WeCare Banquet** – Wed. Mar. 18 @ 6:30pm at Hickory Hollow School. RSVP deadline is today! See Steve or Treva Classen for more info.  
**Annual Yard/Bake Sale** April 11 – It’s a good time to start collecting donations & brushing up on baking skills. Proceeds will be split between the RCJM (for Chaplain Baker Rigg) and the building fund.  
**Freedom Nation Event** – Washington, DC (April 16–18) Join Vaughn Martin and leaders from Overcomers Mission Schools for a special Freedom Nation gathering - A meaningful time of teaching, worship, prayer for our nation, & growing deeper in understanding how to share the Gospel with others. Space is limited to 15–20 participants, if you’d like to be part of this opportunity, contact Chris Rutt at 540-746-2010.  
**RCJM** would like to thank everyone for your generous support (\$33,132.00) of the Chaplaincy for Baker Rigg. God Bless You!

### BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

Jonathan Shomo, Soma Alipour, Claire Wine, Sheila Showalter, Jackson Rhodes, Walker Knicely, Winfried Horst, Jace Harris, Aaron Heatwole, Brian Shenk, Lois Rhodes, Kaylee Emswiler

*“Blessed is the one who trusts in the LORD,  
who does not look to the proud, to those who turn aside to false gods.”*  
Psalm 40:4 (NIV)

## PRAYER REMINDERS

1. Continued prayers for DMC's "Life Center" and the Building Committee as actual construction will soon begin! THANK God for His guidance and amazing financial provision thus far.
2. As we prepare our hearts for worship through music in our renewal event Sunday and Monday evening (Mar. 22-23) may the Holy Spirit lead us to truly worship in Spirit and in Truth!
3. Do you have unsaved, uncommitted family members? Let's persist in prayer for our family members or friends who have yet to accept the free gift of salvation through Christ and to surrender to His lordship. May Jesus win their hearts!
4. "We love because he first loved us" (I John 4:19). ASK God to fill us with His love and compassion as we PRAY during Ramadan for the Muslim world, this vast, diverse group of people (1 billion!), especially since what's happening in Iran greatly impacts that world. PRAY that God would reveal Himself as they fast and pray from sunrise to sunset each day.
5. PRAY for Shawn & Laura Green, a missionary family supported by DMC to serve in Italy, a nation where few Bible-believing churches exist. THANK God for their willingness to pour out their lives in a spiritually difficult place where secularism rules people's lives. ASK God to powerfully use their lives and witness in that context!  
- Submitted by Eva Eberly

**Do you have a question/s for the Leadership Team**, is there something you are struggling with, or do you have a prayer request? Email them at [Questions@daytonmennonite.org](mailto:Questions@daytonmennonite.org)

Micah Heatwole, Pastor  
Mike Troyer, Pastor  
Shawn Rhodes, Pastor  
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Roland Horst, Elder  
Chester Brunk, Elder  
Gerald Nolt, Elder  
Jason Knicely, Elder  
Ruthann Weaver, Admin Assistant

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