

January 4, 2026

9:30 am - Sunday School

10:30 am - John-Allen E. is worship leading. Our singing will be led by Jared S.. Tim I.

Mumbauer is preaching: "What Mountain will You Climb" and the text is Psalm 32: 1-11 (all of it.)

Nursery This Sunday - Debbie & Robbie R.

Nursery Next Sunday - Evie S. & Sarah S.

The church leaf clean up will be tomorrow beginning at 8am. Lunch is being provided. If you're able, the trustees would appreciate help with cleaning up the leaves. Feel free to bring extra rakes or your handheld or backpack blower.

Communion is planned for next Sunday, January 11.

There will be a soup, salad, bread and dessert **fellowship meal on January 18.** A *signup sheet will be on the bulletin board at church the next two Sundays* for those who want to contribute.

Girl's Club will meet January 18 following the fellowship meal until 4 p.m. Pick up at the church.

VMissions Prayer Request: Pray for the house churches that Jorge and Ginny Enciso partner with in Colombia. As they come back from Christmas break, pray that their excitement and commitment may grow and produce fruit.

Registration for Highland Retreat's summer youth begins Tuesday January 6th. Trissels covers the full camp enrollment cost for children actively attending our church. See Rachel Figgins to get the code to use this year when registering.

Linking Arms to get a job done - We all want homes that are warm/safe/dry. This is not the reality for too many in our Valley. In the Tenth Legion area along N Valley Pike one neighbor became aware of another's plight. What began as three work days given by Trissels Mennonite and friends over Thanksgiving break has now expanded to several workdays involving folks from several valley congregations and a local builder's guild. God is up to something special. Relationships are forming and one more house is on the way to becoming warmer/safer/drier. The timeframe for most of the work to be completed is the end of January 2026. Work days are typically Fridays and Saturdays. If you can help please contact Ben Newcomer (540-578-6822) or David Lehman (540-810-2749). A good estimate of costs to be incurred for materials is approximately \$14,000. Contributions are needed and may be sent payable to Trissels Mennonite Church, PO Box 549, Broadway, VA 22815 with "Lydia Project" on the memo line. Donations of any size are welcome. Questions can be directed towards Ben or David and also Max Troyer or Joe Yoder.

Epiphany Messiah Sing-Along is this Tuesday, January 6, 2026, 7:00 p.m. at Park View Mennonite Church - It's that time again for our annual community sing-along of Handel's Messiah (Part One +), with a live chamber orchestra and soloists directed by Dr. Benjamin Bergey. The congregation sings the Chorus parts. Bring your score. There will be some on hand if you don't have one. Bring a friend!

An orientation to the purpose and practice of CruCon (Crucial Conversations):

In-person: Sunday **January 11th, 6-7:30 pm** at 9 Court Square, Harrisonburg, Va 22801

Online: Thursday **January 15th, 6-7:30 pm** on Google Meet (link will be emailed via [RSVP](#))

Whether joining in-person or online, participants will come away with a growing awareness of how CruCon, as a discipling resource and initiative of SLAQ, might serve their family and church community.

Jan 18 (Sun) 3pm - The Soil and The Seed new album release concert at First Presbyterian Church (17 Court Square, Harrisonburg). *Matthew: Gospel Collection*, a 75-minute experience of the Gospel of Matthew will be performed from start to finish with a full band. Event is family friendly with coloring sheets during and snacks afterwards, and permission to wiggle or walk or waltz around as needed throughout. Admission is free, though consider bringing along items to share with Patchwork Pantry. More info at thesoilandtheseedproject.org/matthew#release-concert.

Jan 24 (Sat) - Our Young Adults (post college/career age) are inviting other Blue Ridge District Young Adults to an evening of games at the home of Eric & LuAnn Bender (2941 Harpine Hwy, Rockingham). Come at 7pm, bring a favorite game and snack. We warmly welcome you and look forward to good fellowship and fun.

Jan 31 (Sat) 7pm - Join the celebration of what the Lord is doing among **Iglesia Shalom Comienzo Nuevo** and help **welcome them as the newest congregation of the Blue Ridge District** at their weekly worship service (which is Saturday evening) at 1801 Monroe St, Waynesboro.

Families, couples, individuals: join The Prime Timers of Weavers for a one-day bus (coach) trip on Mar 24 (Tues) to see "Joshua" at Sight & Sound in Lancaster, PA. After the 11am show we will stop for a later lunch at Katie's Kitchen, which will be at your own expense. Your ticket will be reserved when your payment is received. Checks should be payable to Weavers Mennonite Church with Sight & Sound on the memo line; bring to the church office or mail to 2501 Rawley Pike, Harrisonburg, VA 22801. Or call the office for electronic option: 540.434.7758.

LMC's Assembly 2026 will happen June 18-21, 2026 at Millersville University, Millersville PA! This conference-wide event is for EVERYONE in LMC: plenary sessions and workshops for adults, programming for children, and a special Youth Convention for middle and high school students and youth groups. More info coming soon.

2026 Mary Reitz Nursing Scholarship - Virginia Mennonite Retirement Community is pleased to announce that applications open Monday, December 1 and will be awarded in the spring of 2026 for the following academic year. This scholarship enables students to pursue a career in nursing as either an LPN or RN with up to \$30,000 to be directed to the school a student plans to attend. Eligible applicants must reside in Augusta, Rockingham, Shenandoah, or Page County, or within the cities of Waynesboro, Staunton, or Harrisonburg. For more information, go to vmrc.org/scholarship.

