

Welcome for worship at...

## Trissels Mennonite Church

Broadway, VA

trisselsmc.org

Join us as we  
celebrate & live out  
**our story**  
as God's people!



**Pastor:** Harold N. Miller  
*Hours: (typically): Mon., Tues.,  
Wed. mornings & Fri. Afternoons*

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*Hours: Occasional Wed.  
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### February 26, 2017

*Worship Leader: Tim C. M. Song Leader: Dave Y.*

Gathering Music  
Call to Worship  
Worship in Song

Announcements  
Sharing ~ *including a story of "Something I'm doing differently" Gloria S.*  
Prayer & Offering

Worship in Song  
Scripture Reading ~ by the Berkey Family  
Hearing God's Word

Luke 15:11-32  
Eric Codding

*"The Ultimate Epic"*

Closing Song  
Benediction & Prayer for Carry-in Meal

**Nursery this Sunday:** Tina, John & Kyle S.

**Nursery next Sunday:** Janet L. & Rachel F.

**Stewardship Report:** February 19– Worship: 62 Offering: \$2,578

Please talk to a sound system controller if you need hearing assistance for Sunday School or worship.

## Announcements . . .

**A special welcome** this morning to Eric & Heather C. and their three children, Caitlyn, Joseph and Matthew. Eric is one of the elders of our sister congregation at Zion Mennonite Church and is sharing God's Word with us this morning.

**This morning** following the service we will have a **carry-in meal**. Please stay for a wonderful time of fellowship, and great food!

**Pray for our Strategic Planning Team** as they meet together again this week on Tuesday.

This weekend Karen & Harold have been at the **Virginia Mennonite Conference Ministers Retreat** at Williamsburg Christian Retreat Center.

The **Shenandoah Valley Men's Chorus under the direction of Jared Stutzman** will be in concert at the Eastern Mennonite High School auditorium on Sunday, Feb 26, at 3 pm. The collected offering will benefit New Creation, a Harrisonburg based non-profit counteracting human trafficking through education and the hope of Christ.

Area Mennonite churches are invited to an **Ash Wednesday worship service on March 1, 6:30 pm at Zion Mennonite Church**. We will begin the journey of Lent through this time of confession, lament, healing, hope, and worship. An offering will be received for Skekinah, a female vocal ensemble, who will minister through their gift of song.

**VMM Prayer Request:** Asher and Lindsey Fast are beginning their term of service in Francistown, Botswana. As they fly today and arrive tomorrow, pray for safe travels and a smooth adjustment to their new home.

## Happy Birthday this week:

February 26 ~ Carol S.

~ Donald L.

March 1 ~ Alli E.

~ Liz S.

March 4 ~ Ruth Z.

**Make sense of your Medicare choices** “Retiring Soon? An introduction to Medicare” will be presented at The Gathering Place behind the Everence office in Harrisonburg the first Thursday of each month (6-7 pm). Representatives from Everence will speak on Medicare, provide instructions on how to enroll, explain how continuing to work affects your benefits, and answer related questions. For more information call (540) 437-7422. RSVPs are requested but not required.

**Annual Meat Canning** is scheduled for Feb 27-Mar 3 at the Hinton Mennonite Relief Center, Hinton, Va. **Virginia Mennonite Conference churches are responsible to help provide help on Tues, Feb 28.** Help is needed from 5 AM until 11 PM each day. Friday, March 3 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.

The **Shenandoah Valley Sing Off** is Sat, April 8 at 7 pm, at HHS. It is sure to be a fun, family friendly night - attracting a *cappella* groups from all across the state. For more information, visit [singoff.org](http://singoff.org)

**EMS Senior Class presents: William Shakespeare's "A Midsummer Night's Dream"** March 2\*, 3, 4 at 7:30PM at the Eastern Mennonite School, Main Campus Auditorium. Come see the EMS Class of 2017 perform this Shakespeare comedy classic. Tickets are sold at the door: General Admission \$7 adults and \$5 students and senior citizens.  
\*March 2nd performance is a Pay What You Will Preview night.