



Beyond Ourselves

*Labor as
vocation*

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PARK VIEW MENNONITE CHURCH

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a community of communities engaging in God's mission,
a diversity of voices discerning the Spirit's call,
a family of faith bearing with one another in Christ's love
[from "a leadership vision for our times" – full statement on website]

Visiting today? Welcome! Please stop by the desk in the foyer to say "hello" and get some church info. Today's hosts are Sandy Brownscombe and Joan Chamberlain.

Greeting at the doors are John/Barbara Miller; Dick/Louise Alderfer; Millard Showalter/Mary Kratz

Today's ushers are Gordon and Bonnie Zook, Lee and Marie Moyer, Edie Swartz, Lee Yoder.

DID YOU KNOW?

- DVDs or CDs of the service are available in the library to borrow.
- Large print hymnals and bulletins are available in the foyer.
- Hearing assistance units are available at the sound booth.
- To get church emails, announcements, prayer requests: bit.ly/pvmc-email

THIS MORNING AT PARK VIEW

WORSHIP (9:30-10:45 am)

Nursery for Infants-3yrs: Mary Pimental and April Sachs

FELLOWSHIP TIME (10:45-11:00) **Beverages & visiting** in Fellowship Hall.

FAITH FORMATION HOUR (11:00-12:00)

Nursery attendants: Irene Kniss and Heidi Yoder

K-5th Grade - Welcome to Shine Time!

Kids' Café: Following the service we meet downstairs in Rm 4/5

(*Fireflies:* PreK-K), Rm 8 (*Stars:* 1st-2nd) and Rm 9/10 (*Lunas:* 3rd-5th) for our own time of snacks and fellowship.

Snack assistant: Dorothy Logan

Sing Out (Rm 17): We move our bodies and join our voices in song.

Scripture Speaks (Rm 12): Special guests present this week's Bible story.

Storyteller: Ervin Stutzman

Activity Time: Craft/activity related to the Bible story, in three groups.

Grades PreK-K: Rebecca Shank and Bonnie Stoltzfus

Grades 1-2: Mark Brubaker and Karla Tierney

Grades 3-5: Brian Nussbaum and Carissa Gredler

MYF (fellowship hall): sponsors

JYF (Room 18): Moriah Hurst and Sandy Brownscombe

Colloquy (FP room): "*Streams of Living Water*" intro - Kenton Brubaker

Logos (Rm 3): *Reflecting on the sermon and service*

SALT (Phil's office): *TBA*

Shalom (Rm 7): *Extended fellowship time - no class*

ROOM 16 (Rm 16): *Life meets sermon*

Yalla (balcony): *Faith and Life Together*

Intergenerational Conversations on Spirituality and Faith (Conf Rm):

College Students and Young adults welcomed and encouraged to attend.

Prayer Room: Prayer Room is available downstairs for silent meditation

THIS WEEK AT PARK VIEW

TODAY: **Extended fellowship time** following worship

MONDAY: **Church office closed for holiday**

WEDNESDAY: **Mennonite Women monthly meeting**, 9 am, fireplace room

Taize evening song and prayer, 8 pm

FRI-SUN: **Church Retreat: "Creation is a song..."**

FURTHER AHEAD AT PARK VIEW

SEPTEMBER

12 **Elders meeting**, 11:30 am, conference room

16 **Safe Church approved adult training**, 9-12 noon, fireplace room

17 **School Kit Blitz**

24 **PVMC Leadership retreat**, 2 pm

26 **Men's Bible Study begins**

DETAILS ON HAPPENINGS AT PARK VIEW

Welcome back Phil & Irene AND welcome back college students! - join us after worship today for an extended fellowship time following worship.

Church retreat: "Creation is a song . . ." — **Please plan on attending our church retreat at Camp Brethren Woods, on Friday-Sunday, September 8-10.** Sandy will be at the table in foyer following worship to answer questions.

Mennonite Women will meet this Wednesday, September 6, at 9 a.m. in the Fireplace Room. We will knot comforters, string school kits, and quilt.

Everyone should bring a dish to share for the potluck lunch. After lunch, Emma Frederick will speak to us about "Receiving Guidance," based on Exodus 20: 1-17. All women are welcome.

Safe Church Approved Adult Training - September 16 from 9am-12 noon, Fireplace Room. If you have interest in working with the young people of our church or just making our church a safer place for young people, you are strongly encouraged to attend this training. Talk to Pastor Moriah if interested.

School Kit Blitz QUIZ FOR ALL: Stop by the table in the foyer and complete the form to submit your guess of the number of school kits sent to MCC in the last 10 years. Note we will pack 2,000 on Sept. 17, include this in your number. Noon on Sept. 17 is the deadline for your submission. Pastor Phil will announce the two persons who guess the correct total number or the closest to the total at the end of the blitz, who will receive either a bag of *Phil's Just Java* or gift certificate to Kline's ice cream. Attendance required to receive your prize.

Faith in Action, a multi-faith group of 24+ Harrisonburg and Rockingham county congregations, of which *PVMC is a covenant member*, is in the process of choosing an issue to work on during our next phase. During the past 2 year cycle Faith in Action worked with the city and county on the topic of Welcoming our Immigrant Neighbor resulting in Harrisonburg being designated as a Welcoming America City, and the formation of the Welcoming Harrisonburg Council. As part of the process to choose a new issue, **John Fairfield and Aaron Kishbaugh will be conducting listening sessions during the church retreat in order to pass your comments along to the group.** If you have issues or concerns with the local community that you think people of faith should be addressing please make time to speak with one of them. For more information: <http://www.harrisonburgfaithinaction.org/>

Worship attendance last Sunday: 275 Faith promise offering: \$10,858.50

OFFICE HOURS: Monday-Thursday 9-4, Friday 9-3

Morning prayers: 9-9:15 daily, all are welcome; office closed for lunch

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Custodians: Warren Bock, John Fast,
Don Burkhardt

Music: Judy Bomberger (music
director), John Fast (organist), Karen
Moshier-Shenk (choir director)

Congregational Council: Ron Yoder (chair),
Sandy Brownscombe (vice-chair), Rosemary
King, John Wenger, Annmarie Early [*three
positions in process of being filled*]

Elders: Gloria Diener (chair), Phil Helmuth,
Edgar Miller, Laura Yoder, Shirley B. Yoder