

Staunton Mennonite Church

2406 Third Street
Staunton, Virginia 24401

Pastor: Kevin Gasser 540-442-7274
Elder: Glenn Zendt 885-3550

September 3, 2006 No. 35 vol. XL

A warm WELCOME. Join with us in PROCLAIMING that God calls us to follow Him and to invite others to be followers of Jesus Christ.

Greeters: Lowell & Marlene Wenger
9:30 a.m. Sunday School - Adult Lesson: "Finding Security" - discussion leader: Glenn Zendt

10:30 Congregational Worship service

Gathering:

Call to Worship Kathy Zendt
Worship in Song Glenn Zendt
Announcements
Tithes and Offerings

Moment in Mission -

Praises & Prayer Concerns

Hearing God's Word
Revelations 3:7-13
"The Church of the Open Door"
Dr. Ed Bontrager

Response:
Song
Sending

Sunday August 27 Worship attendance 31
Offering \$1,343.00

September 10 Message - Pastor Kevin
Sunday School Ronald Friesen
Worship Leader Danny Weaver

September 10 - [Sunday] Church picnic at Humpback Rock [on Blueridge Parkway] eat: 5:00 - come earlier if you wish to hike.
-Sept. 13 [Wed. 7:30p.m.] Church Council [dev. Lowell W.]
-Sept. 9 & 16 apple butter boiling at Friendship Park. help needed all day long: start at sunrise.

-Sept. 16 Church Yard sale- please pick up 'shared magazines' if you want them. Those left will go -Yard Sale. Proceeds of the yardsale will benefit the Mennonite Women Relief activities. bring in items after Sunday Sept. 10
-Oct. 6-7 Virginia Relief Sale. Contact "people" to volunteer
-Oct. 22 [Sunday A.M.] Licensing and Installation service for Kevin and Sonja Gasser. Fellowship meal.

- Nov. 3-5. Mennonite Women of Virginia Retreat-Richmond
-"The Mennonite" sub. due: \$37.13 - may be placed in offering

Prayer:

-Growth and future direction for SMC
-Clyde Cornelius and family members
-Health & Healing: Jim Eckard, Mary Shifflett, Joyce, Peggy, Maxine, Janie - Ronald Baker [diabetes]
-Sonya Gasser: Gall bladder surgery Sept. 22
-Connie Birch with Steve Wingfield to Mississippi [Labor Day]
-Salvation for Omaru Shiroh
-Kevin's Message [Labor Day Softball Tourney in Ohio]

Matthew 25:40

"I am telling you the solemn truth: Whenever you did one of these things to someone overlooked or ignored, that was me--you did it to me." - The Message

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Greeters: Lowell & Marlene Wenger
9:30 a.m. Sunday School - Adult Lesson: "Trusting Promises" - discussion leader: Ronald Friesen

10:30 Congregational Worship service

Gathering:
Call to Worship Danny Weaver
Worship in Song Glenn Zendt
Announcements
Tithes and Offerings

Moment in Mission -

Praises & Prayer Concerns

Hearing God's Word
Ephesians 6:10-17
"Biblical Equipping Management" [part II]
Pastor Kevin

Response:
Song
Sending

Sunday September 3 Worship attendance 26
Offering \$ 585.00

September 17 Message - Pastor Kevin
Sunday School Connie Birch
Worship Leader

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-Flowers today - given by Joyce and family in memory of Cecil's birthday [Sept. 13]

Prayer:

-Growth and future direction for SMC

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Visitors, A warm welcome. We appreciate your presence here and welcome you to join us in worship at all of our services.

Please Register in our guest book in the foyer.

Greeter: Lowell & Marlene Wenger

Sunday School Worship Hour 9:30 a.m.

Adult Lesson: "Being mutually responsible"

Exodus 19:1-6, 24:3-8

Discussion Leader: Connie Birch

Congregational Worship Service 10:30 a.m.

Gathering: Call to Worship: Sonya Gasser

Praising, Thanksgiving & Giving.....

Worship in Song %Glenn Zendt & Friends

Tithes and Offerings

Praises & Prayer Concerns

Hearing God's Word:

Mark 8:31-38

Message - Pastor Kevin

Title: "Taking up our Crosses"

Response:

Song

Prayer: "May God go with you, give you peace,
As you look to the future with hope."

Last Sunday: Attendance 34 Offering \$ 1242.13

Penny Power Project: MCC Deaf Ministry of Nancy Marshall in Belize and educating students at Plateau School for the Deaf.
Give generously until Relief Sale, October 7, 2006!

Next Sunday, July 30

S.S. Discussion Leader: Danny Weaver

Worship Leader -

Worship in Song - Glenn Zendt

Message - Pastor Kevin Gasser

Looking Ahead

Sept 27, Wednesday evening Prayer Mtg, 7:30

Oct. 6-7, Virginia Relief Sale: volunteers are needed to bake and serve at the sale - Take pans from the kitchen

Oct 13-15 - Homecoming at EMU

October 22, Sunday a.m. Licensing and Installation for Kevin & Sonya Gasser. Fellowship Lunch.

November 3-5 Mennonite Women Retreat in Richmond.

Fund open for Uganda Trip through Oct 31.

Those interested in sharing in the cost of trip & ministry thru GAIN - Global Aid Network

Mark checks "Uganda Trip"

Search the new church website @

mennochurch.net or stauntonmennonitechurch.net

Special thanks to A.D. Strickland for developing this site and serving as web master.

We have discovered the need for corrections to the new church directory. Give the corrected info to Kathy; we will print a sheet of corrections to add to the directory in the near future.

Praise & Prayer Needs:

Growth and future direction of SMC

-discernment for community connections

Ron & Paul Steele, leading evangelism class

Health & Healing: Jim E, Mary S, Peggy, Maxine (eye surgery)

Joyce, Janie, Ronald Baker (diabetes)

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