

9:30 a.m. Sunday School

10:30 a.m. Worship

## Gathering

Prelude - *Ranita Shenk*Welcome and Announcements - *Alan Shenk*

Call to Worship and Prayer

## Praising

Congregational Singing - *c/o Martha Laub*Offering (*includes coin offerings for missions*)

## Listening

Scripture Reading: Isaiah 6:8-9a

Message: "Flipping Dachau on its Head" - *Jim Goalder*

## Responding

Song of Response

Congregational Sharing and Prayer

## Sending

Sending Song

Benediction

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*Nursery Volunteers: Meg Emery, Carleen Layman*

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Next Sun., Sept. 29, we will collect our fifth Sunday **offering for missions**. Envelopes for this purpose are available in the foyer.

**New Book: Faith & Mental Health.** This book focuses on spiritual resources within communities of faith. Chapters include Religion, Coping and Positive Emotions, Caring for the Emotionally and Mentally Ill, & Local & National Christian Assistance (i.e., Mennonite Health Services Alliance). Library file code: 248.

## THIS WEEK

**Thurs. 7:15 a.m.:** Morning Prayer Gathering**9:30 a.m.:** Freedom Group Meeting

## NEXT SUNDAY / COMING EVENTS

**Sept. 29:** Fifth Sunday Offering for Missions**Oct. 3:** Sewing Circle (9:30 a.m.)**Oct. 4-5:** Virginia Mennonite Relief Sale (R'ham Co. Fairgrounds; flyers available in the foyer for distribution)**Oct. 13:** Congregational Meeting (lunch provided for participants)**Oct. 20:** Peace Sunday (with a peace soup meal after worship)**Nov. 4:** Providing Lunch for Disciples' Kitchen (11:30 a.m.)**Nov. 8-10:** Mennonite Women of VA Fall Retreat (Short Pump, VA)

Thanks to everyone who helped with supplies and **making pies** on Wednesday & those who **made apple butter** yesterday for the upcoming VA Mennonite Relief Sale (Oct. 4-5)! Lots of other **baked items** will also be needed (see insert), as well as **help with set-up and tear-down** (talk to Dave Mininger). Also, if you can **bake several** already-made **pies** at your home on Oct. 4, please sign up in the foyer.

You are strongly encouraged to be part of a **Congregational Meeting** on Sunday, Oct. 13, following worship. This will be a time to talk about next steps for our congregation, and how we process uncertainties while also moving forward together to be the church God is calling us to be. *Lunch will be provided for those staying for the meeting - please sign up in the foyer if you plan to attend.*

Check the **bulletin board** for information on the following:

- A summer newsletter from Iglesia Cristiana Shalom (Sanchezes).
- Job opening with Love, INC for a Connection Center Coordinator.
- Rehoboth Jail & Prison Ministry's Day of Jubilee, Sat., Sept. 28.
- ComfortCare Women's Health fall fundraising banquet, Oct. 7 & Oct. 8, 6:30 p.m., Cornerstone Church. Please RSVP by Sept. 30.
- Virginia Mennonite Men's workshop on *Achieving Relational Wholeness*, Sat., Nov. 2, 8 a.m.-3 p.m., H'burg Menn. Church. Registration is now open at [virginiacommunity.org](http://virginiacommunity.org).