



WELCOME TO HUNTINGTON MENNONITE CHURCH

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Our Mission: *“In response to God’s call, we seek to embrace God and to rescue, rebuild, and release each person into full ministry as followers of Jesus Christ in the Kingdom of God.”*

Gather for coffee & fellowship 9:15 – 9:25 a.m.; 10:30-10:45 a.m.

Grow through Sunday School 9:30 a.m.

Celebrate through Worship 10:45 a.m.

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Gathering

Prelude Samantha Luck
Call to Worship Clayton Blosser
Praise and Worship c/o Samantha Luck

Engaging

Congregational Prayer Dub Havens
Peace Prayer Russell DeYoung
Receiving Tithes and Offerings Clayton Blosser
(Passing of Friendship Registries & Guest Cards)

Focus Song: c/o Samantha Luck

“Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore” HWB 229

Scripture: Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23 & Romans 10:13-18

Brian McCann

Message: “Missions in Albania”

Dini Shahini

Song of Response:

c/o Samantha Luck

“Trees of the Field (You Shall Go Out with Joy)” HWB 427

Sending

Closing Prayer Dini Shahini
Postlude Samantha Luck

TODAY

Nursery – TBA

Adult Sunday school – Holy Spirit Acts 1:8 (Auditorium)

Discussion class – If You Want to Walk on Water You Have to Get Out of the Boat (room behind the pulpit)

No Children’s Church or Kid’s Church

12:30 p.m. Young Adult meal after Worship Service at Cheddars.

THIS WEEK

<u>Wed. Oct 3rd</u>	10:00 a.m.	Prayer Time
<u>Sat. Oct 6th</u>	7:00 a.m.	Men's Breakfast
<u>Sun. Oct 7th</u>	9:30 a.m.	Sunday school for all ages
	10:45 a.m.	Message—Howard Miller

UPCOMING EVENTS

<u>Oct. 7:</u>	World Communion Sunday
<u>Oct. 12:</u>	Fall Festival at WRCS
<u>Oct. 20 & 21:</u>	Mission Event at Huntington
<u>Oct. 30:</u>	Annual School Council meeting at WRCS

Announcements and Opportunities:

For 8 Sundays, beginning next week (October 7th), we are joining with a longstanding Christian tradition called “Dwelling in the Word.” Acts 2:42-47 will be our focus. Each Sunday a volunteer will read and make a one-to-two-minute comment on what this Scripture says to his/her heart. Volunteers should read the text (in their preferred translation) and then make their comments. Please limit time to 2 minutes. Those wishing to volunteer, please contact Anna Janzen.

World Communion Sunday, Oct. 7: We will be joining in the celebration of communion with other churches across the world.

Fall Festival at Warwick River Christian School on Friday, Oct 12, 4-7 p.m. on the school grounds. Pork BBQ & Hot Dogs will be available for purchase. There will be games and activities for everyone.

Youth in grades 6-12 are invited to attend the Fall Festival at Warwick River Christian School together. Talk with Dianna Schiedel if you would like to attend.

“**Surprises of the Christian Way**” authored by David W. Shenk is available for reading in preparation for the Mission Event on October 20 & 21 at Huntington Mennonite Church. David & Grace Shenk will be our guests for the event. We'll begin Saturday evening with a meal at 5:30, followed by a mission gathering at 7:00. Sunday afternoon will be another meeting at 4:30. We'll consider the question “*What difference does Jesus make in a world of many religions.*” There is no charge for the event but a mission offering will be accepted each evening. See checkout papers on bulletin board in Fellowship Room.

Annual School Council meeting at Warwick River Christian School on Tuesday, Oct 30, 7 p.m. – Sponsoring churches leadership councils are expected to participate in this annual meeting.

Attendance/Offering:

September 23rd

Worship – 64

Offering – \$ 7809.00

Love Fund – \$ 25.00

Offering YTD – \$ TBA

Budget YTD – \$ TBA

Huntington Church Staff:

Secretary Office Hours: Monday, Wednesday & Friday 9:00 a.m. –1:00 p.m.

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Huntington Mennonite Church Leadership Council:

Chair –Dianna Schiedel

Embrace Elder – Anna Janzen

Administration Elder – Danni Clark

Rebuild Elder (Pastoral Care) –

Rescue Elder – Russell DeYoung

Rebuild Elder (Christian Education) – Carl Aude

Release Elder – Karen Guisewite

Pastoral Associate – Dianna Schiedel