

# Dayton Mennonite Church

## Dayton, Virginia

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### SUNDAY SCHOOL – 9:00

*“David’s Sacrifice”* 1 Chronicles 21:17-27

Adult Superintendent	Adam Good
Primary Superintendent	Krista Heatwole

### WORSHIP SERVICE – 10:00

Worship Leader	Blake Showalter
Moderator	Shawn Rhodes
Offering	East Gate Ministries
Song Leader	Josiah Driver
Message	<i>“Jesus Walks On Water”</i> Matt. 14:22-36      Mike Troyer

### LOOKING BACK

**Sunday School:** 192 **Worship:** 323

**Offering:** Congregational Operating Fund 7,509.83

**Yard Sale** Split between Building Fund & Ananias House 4,951.15

Building Fund 1,061,201.45... as of May 1 – Goal is 2,000,000.00

### TODAY

**Infant Nursery:** Edith Beery, Marj Martin

**1’s Nursery:** Lois Horst, Bonnie Showalter

**2’s Nursery:** Crystal Beery, Amy Showalter

**Hosting:** Brian & Briana Shenk

### THIS WEEK

**Mon. May 5 @ 6:30pm:** Baby Shower for LeAnn Knicely in the Fellowship Hall. All ladies invited. She is registered on Amazon.

**Tues. May 6 @ 5:00 & 6:30am:** Men’s Prayer Meetings

**Tues. May 6 @ 6:45pm:** Church Council Meeting

**Wed. May 7 @ from 8:30 am – 1pm:** WMSC Ladies, any and all help is appreciated. Bring your lunch! Your children are welcome too!

**Fri. May 9... 6-8pm:** Building Fund Auction -see announcements

### LOOKING AHEAD – May 11

**SUNDAY SCHOOL** *“Solomon Dedicates the Temple”* 2 Chronicles 7:1-7,11

**Infant Nursery:** Carla Byler, Charity Trissel

**1’s Nursery:** Kim Caricofe, Bridgette Showalter

**2’s Nursery:** Roxanne Knicely, Shania Showalter

### WORSHIP – May 11

**Worship Leader** Josiah Driver **Moderator** Buff Showalter

**Offering** Pastoral Support **Song Leader** Joseph Showalter

**Message** Guest speaker – Sam Scaggs

### UPCOMING DMC EVENTS

**May 18** Testimony Night

**May 21** Prayer Meeting

**June 1** Softball / Cook Off Event

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Life Center Benefit Auction** Thanks to everyone who has helped build the auction catalog and set this fundraiser up for success! We have over 120 items that are live to view online now, so please plan to attend next Friday night! Drop off times are Thursday evening 6-8pm or Friday 10am-2pm. If those windows will not work, please contact a member of the fundraising committee to make arrangements. Some willing hands to help with chairs, tables, etc. after the auction would be greatly appreciated!

**Sabbatical** Pastor Micah will be on Sabbatical from May 5-June 7. For pastoral needs during that time, please reach out to Mike Troyer, Shawn Rhodes or any of the elders; or contact the church office.

**Membership** If you have any interest in membership at DMC, you are invited to talk with Mike, Shawn or another member of the team.

**Additional Information Areas** Regarding DMC (see display in library) pertinent events in our community or missions (see postings on the boards opposite the mailboxes) **Please see community board for info on a Catfish Dinner to benefit the Lezha Academic Center in Albania.**

### BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

Azalea Movadatnia, Rebecca Byers, Colton Heatwole, David Mumaw, Morgan Shank, Arlene Trissel

*“May our Lord Jesus Christ Himself and God our Father,  
who loved us and by His grace gave us eternal encouragement and  
good hope, encourage your hearts and strengthen you  
in every good deed and word.”  
2 Thessalonians 2:16-17 (NIV)*

## PRAYER REMINDERS

1. Today we have opportunity to support East Gate Ministries financially – a ministry in Bridgewater, dedicated to rescuing vulnerable, broken young women and families by the transformative power of Jesus. EGM asks us to PRAY for a pregnant girl under their care who by God's grace, was able to escape her sex-trafficker.

2. Yasir Makki, Sudanese pastor, now refugee in Egypt, asks for prayer for the church he is planting there, that the Lord would provide a larger, more suitable meeting space. In the meantime, they meet in small groups. PRAISE God for Yasir's Arabic-speaking missionary friend who senses God's call to assist Yasir in his work and ministry among refugees! PTL!

3. In a recent letter, "Raleigh & Opal" communicated that this summer they will be on "home assignment" in Virginia and Ohio. ASK God to prepare them for this time of reconnecting with family and churches and sharing regarding their work in Africa.

4. THANK the "Lord of the Harvest" for His amazing work among the nations through many workers from many places. Specifically, PRAISE Him for Nasrin's brother and husband who on Easter Sunday baptized more new believers from the Iragi refugee camp! PRAY for them, as well as for those baptized recently at DMC!

5. PRAY this week for the DMC Life Center Auction held on Friday that God's blessing and favor would be upon each donation and upon each person who donated!

- Submitted by Eva Eberly

**Do you have a question/s for the Leadership Team**, is there something you are struggling with, or do you have a prayer request? Email them at [Questions@daytonmennonite.org](mailto:Questions@daytonmennonite.org)

Micah Heatwole, Pastor  
Mike Troyer, Pastor  
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Worship Service 10:00