

**Stephens City Mennonite Church**  
*Invites You to Celebrate the Lord's Presence*

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9:30 am Sunday School      Worship 10:30 am  
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Fix your eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith.  
Hebrews 12:2

Gathering song: StJ 2: Hamba nathi mkululu methu.

Prelude

Welcome - Prayer

Call to Worship

Worship in Song: BB 17: Sizohambe naye  
HAWB 229: Tu has venido a la orilla  
HAWB 523: Dear Lord and Father  
BB 16: Pah Jesu sang ern kha

Offering

Children's time

(children ages 2-5 are dismissed)

Scripture: Matthew 4:18-22;16:24

Sermon: Following Jesus Daily

Song of Response: HAWB 540: Strong, righteous men of Galilee

Sharing/Praying

Announcements

Sending song: StJ 70: Pah Jesu sang ern kha

Sending words

Worship Leader: Phoebe Hershey Sermon: Jim Musser  
Song Leader: David Gonzol Pianist: Sandra Snodgrass  
Greeter: Irvin and Ann Heishman Usher: Craig Kleman  
Children's Church: Groveen/Anna Next Week: Joanne/Rebecca

**Meetings and Opportunities for Service**

**September**

30—Service and Witness Commission, 7pm

**October**

1 - Worship commission meeting @ 7:00pm  
4 - Communion  
10 - Men's breakfast (correction of date)  
11 - Ekklesia  
14---Exec. Church council @7 pm  
22—SCMC youth serving at 5pm soup kitchen at Mkt. St UMC

Prayer meeting each Tuesday morning at 6 am in the church basement



Contact Pastor Jim if you have interest in becoming part of a small group.

The Stephens City Korean Community Church will be hosting a fundraising dinner featuring Korean cuisine on Friday, October 23<sup>rd</sup> at 5:30 pm at Lindale Mennonite Church. If you can help out this effort by preparing a large green salad, it will be transported by attendees on the day of the event. To reserve a place at one of the tables, please talk with Jim or Aldine.

The **Special Project** for the 2009 Virginia Mennonite Relief Sale is a **FOOD DRIVE!** Please bring non-perishable food items or prefilled grocery bags along with you to the sale Oct. 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>. The food items will be donated to MCC as well as the Blue Ridge Food Bank. Cash donations will also be accepted and the proceeds will be given to People Helping People and the Staunton/Augusta Church Relief Association. A listing of the MCC Grocery Bags contents can be found on the website, [www.vareliefsale.com](http://www.vareliefsale.com) under Special Projects or contact Kim Zook, 437-0672, [kimz@mennonitefinancial.com](mailto:kimz@mennonitefinancial.com) for more information.

Rose Jantzi, *tranSend* and Radical Journey participant, is learning to know the community in Asuncion, Paraguay, where she is serving. Ask God to enable her for every task and situation she faces.

Please turn off cell phones and other electronic devices during Sunday School and the worship service to reduce distractions.

**Last Sunday:**      Offering:      Worship service: \$2,234.00      weekly budget goal: \$1706.88  
Sunday School: \$9.10  
Attendance:      Worship service: 43  
Sunday School: 36  
Building fund: \$4003