

Italian “Happy Week” expands to impact adolescents

By **EVA EBERLY**
VMM worker in Bari, Italy

“How can our tiny church facility host the growing group of community children who love to participate in “Settimana Felice” (Happy Week)?” As the Centro Koinonia congregation submitted this question to prayer and discussion, an exciting idea emerged. Why not organize two weeks of activities—a “happy week” for elementary school kids and a second week called “Tribe’s Impact” suited for middle schoolers!

Many hands and hearts united to realize this expanded project that demanded more work and commitment. Twenty-five kids overflowed Centro Koinonia’s facility for “Happy Week.” In spite of intense heat the second week, 12 adolescents enthusiastically participated in activities especially designed for them—a type of Bible/music day camp that focused on the

life of Joseph. Maurita Eberly and Dino Colonna created a delightful musical that communicated the biblical story through narration, music, drama, and dance—utilizing the creativity and talent of these adolescents. One studies guitar and another, violin at the Bari conservatory; another plays drums, while several others study classical dance. At the Saturday night performance for parents, everyone marveled at the surprising results of those five short days!

That week marked the first steps in fulfilling a vision God has given Dino & Mara Colonna—developing a ministry for adolescents called “Tribe’s Impact” that will provide wholesome friendship, meaningful activities, and spiritual nurture on a regular basis.



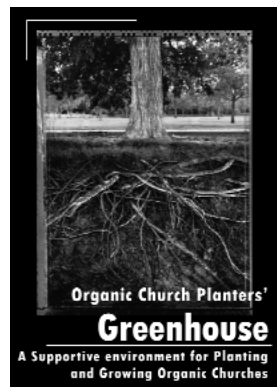
Joseph (Adam Riddle) displays his multicolored coat handcrafted by Lia and Mara Giuliani.
Photo courtesy of author

Organic church planters’ Greenhouse event coming to Harrisonburg

By **SKIP TOBIN**
VMM Director of USA Ministries

An excellent opportunity to continue to learn and grow as followers of Jesus is coming up soon. On October 19-21, Virginia Mennonite Missions and Mennonite Hispanic Initiative (MHI) will host an “Organic Church Planters’ Greenhouse” intensive training with Neil Cole from Church Multiplication Resources (CMAR), held at Harrisonburg Mennonite Church. A Greenhouse is a three-day intensive seminar that focuses on missional living that results in new “organic” ways of being church. Jesus

always used natural metaphors to explain the essence and growth of the Kingdom of God. The Greenhouse is designed to bring back the organic nature of God’s kingdom and rediscover what a healthy living church can be.



I’m excited that Neil Cole will be us for this event. Neil Cole is a c h u r c h

planter as well as the founder and executive director of Church Multiplication Associates & CMAResources, which has helped start thousands of churches in all 50 states and at least 40 nations. He is seen by many to be one of the key founders of what is known as the “organic church movement.” He is also the author of multiple books including *Organic Church*, *Church Transfusion*, *Journeys To Significance*, *Church 3.0*, *Organic Leadership* and more.

Neil’s influence has been very helpful for me as a returned missionary. I desire

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After all these years...



Owen and Ruth Ann Burkholder

On July 9, 1972, at the age of 22, in the seventh month of my marriage with Ruth Ann Augsburg, I was ordained to the ministry in Bluesky, Alberta, Canada. Yes, that is now 40 years! (That would be three children, 2.75 grandchildren, 3 congregational ministry assignments, “x” number of conference and churchwide service assignments, and now 17 years of conference ministry ago).

When the ministerial committee of Northwest Conference of the Mennonite Church heard that Ruth Ann and I were planning to go to seminary at Eastern Mennonite in Harrisonburg, they rather quickly conferred and approved my ordination. The message was inescapable to me, “we want you to return here for ministry following seminary.” So, after a conversation with Uncle Harold Boettger (one of the bishops on the ministerial committee) in our little travel trailer on

Saturday, I was ordained the next day in an afternoon service. Samuel Nafziger from La Crete (200 miles north of Bluesky!) preached. Ruth Ann’s family was on an itinerating singing ministry through the northwest and they sang, “Hark, my soul, seraphic music...” at my request. (Where is that tape?!)

While all of this may seem like it happened in a rush, it was not completely random. How did the ministerial committee whose members were scattered around the conference (and not all my relatives) know of Owen’s interest in ministry? They had observed my participation in youth events and, even my sitting in delegate sessions while things other than youth-oriented were being discussed.

For me, a personal call happened when I was 15 years old. I wrote the following in my journal in code: I have received the call of God to the ministry yesterday. It was while we were praying and brother Sam was ordained a minister. The date: fourteenth of February 1965. It was very plain. I’m sure God was present during that service. It was a communion service. (The “Sam,” was—you guessed it—Samuel Nafziger, who preached at my ordination.)

That sense of call was deeply influenced by my church-planting family. I watched my father minister in our little community and beyond, no doubt deeply formative for me.

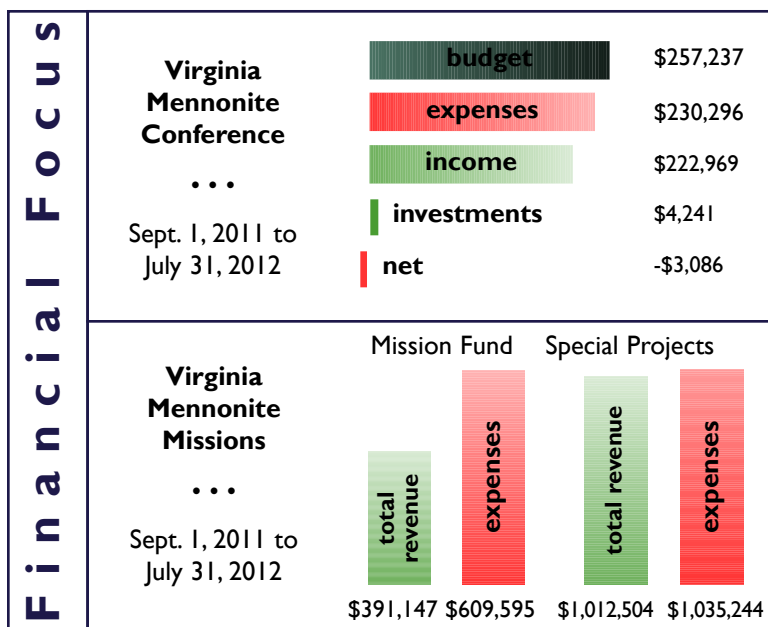
Did I feel inadequate for the task when I was ordained? In every way! The text I chose was I Thessalonians 5:23-24: *May God himself, the God of peace, sanctify you through and through. May your whole spirit, soul and body be kept blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. The one who calls you is faithful and he will do it.* (NIV)

The sense of the faithfulness of God has sustained me through these 40 years of ministry. Watching the transition of the generations and the development of faith has been rewarding. For example, I was privileged to baptize each of my daughters when I was their pastor. Recently, my grandson asked if I would participate in his baptism in his congregational context. God is faithful; He continues to call and sustain persons for ministry.

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to learn more about how to live into God’s mission here in the USA. I’ve been especially impacted in the last year and a half by regularly being part of a Life Transformation Group, a simple structure which Neil has been championing. I believe Neil’s focus on organic church is an important ingredient that can help us learn together what missional church is all about. You can learn more about Neil Cole and church multiplication resources at cmaresources.org.



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Oasis of Hope awarded 'Peace Mug' by VMC Peace Committee

By **GLORIA L. LEHMAN**
Connections Editor

On July 27, Spencer Bradford, Virginia Mennonite Conference Peace Committee co-chair, addressed the delegate session at the VMC assembly in Chesapeake, Va., for the annual presentation of the VMC 'Peace Mug.'

Spencer described Oasis of Hope, the organization that is honored with the mug. Oasis of Hope is a community of people in Newport News, Va. committed to caring for veterans who are struggling with Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) and are searching for peace and reintegration into home life. Oasis of Hope provides

social events for the entire family, group sharing for men and women, a safe place to find inner peace with meditations and prayer, and supportive and understanding friends. It is a loving and safe presence for veterans and their families in an environment of acceptance and healing.

John T. Kreider, Russell De Young and Stu Lund give leadership to this effort;



Russell De Young (left) accepts the Peace Mug for Oasis of Hope from Spencer Bradford, VMC Peace Committee co-chair. Photo: Gloria Lehman

Russell De Young accepted the peace mug on Oasis of Hope's behalf.

To learn more about Oasis of Hope, to volunteer and to make a contribution, call (757) 775-8101.

Community VBS at Stephens City engages area church relationships



The Stephens City community came together to bless many lives with the VBS event.

By **ALDINE MUSSER**
Co-pastor, Stephens City Mennonite Church

This summer, nine churches in the Stephens City area built relationships by participating in a vibrant Community Vacation Bible School.

Pastor James Musser explored the idea of working together as smaller faith communities with a few local pastors. The interest grew and we ended up with people committed from a total of 9 churches in the Stephens City area. Viqui Dill from *the exchange*, a Winchester-area VMC church plant, and Dee Williams, from a local

church, co-directed.

The Stephens City Mennonite Church hosted the Community VBS.

The energy level was high. Many adults and teens volunteered. We fed everyone a meal every night. Many area businesses donated food and supplies. The mayor of Stephens City was very supportive and involved.

The pastor at the Pentecostal Church, Bill Palmer, suggested we support Melody Musser as our global missions project. She is serving in Burundi with MCC who partners with other Christian organizations for peace and reconciliation. The offerings were generous.

The Christian fellowship among these churches has deepened. There were a few issues that needed dialogue and discernment before choosing a direction. Overall, the unity of brothers and sisters in Christ from different denominations and ethnic

groups was a witness to God's reconciling love.

Dr. Franklin Roberts, Senior Pastor of a Baptist congregation, was the adult Bible teacher who said to me, "I have preached at many places, but never at a Mennonite Church." He accepted an invitation to preach on a Sunday morning at Stephens City Mennonite Church.

Kids and adults learned about the love of God through a variety of sights, sounds, tastes, and experiences in the interactive program. Photos courtesy of author



“Where we’re from”

Reflections from Conference Assembly 2012

Throughout Assembly, several VMC members shared personal versions of the “**Where I’m From**” poem, providing a picture of the different ways we have been formed. This one reflects on where **we’re** from, as expressed in our shared experience of Assembly 2012.

The poem template is at virginiacommunity.org/delegates.

By **DIANE BOWMAN**
VMC Staff Assistant

Photos: Owen Burkholder, Galen Lehman, Gloria Lehman, Jon Trotter

We’re from long history and deep roots, from memories of tents and turkey houses, from a pleasant “mount” 15 feet above sea level.

We’re from Scripture that forms us, from discerning God’s truth. We’re from the breath of Jesus, breathed *in* us.

We’re from 606 and “We can be the bridge,” from “Praise Him with stringed instruments,” from drums and bass, from *a cappella* voices, toe-tapping bluegrass. We’re from “Lift your glad voices in triumph on high, for Jesus is risen and we shall not die!”

We’re from Spirit-filled preaching, accompanied by thunder. We’re from theological reflection, from plain simple speech. We’re from images that call us—“be thermostats, not thermometers!”

We’re from worship and funerals, from “what does mission look like,” from taking vows of peace. We’re from changed lives and changing lives.

We’re from “What is your story?” from conflict and peace-making, from failure and learning, from new churches born.

We’re from *hot* sand on the beach, from steaming humidity, from ice cream at night. We’re from the dancing of children to express God’s praise.

We’re from English and Spanish, from mountains and cities, from academia, traditions, communities, the world.

We’re from Thailand and Jamaica, Italy and Albania, from brothers and sisters we have not met, from a world-wide family birthed in Christ’s Spirit and bearing Christ’s name.

We’re from teaching our children, from training young leaders. We’re from sustaining the aging, walking with the poor. We’re from mutual aid



The **Mt. Pleasant worship band** led music during worship both evenings.

and stewardship, from “As the Father has sent me, so I send you.”

We’re from financial need and generous giving. We’re from hardship and challenge, yet hospitality with joy. We’re from fruitful labor, given for Christ and his Church.

We’re from the risen Christ. *Together*, we receive the risen Christ. We go with the risen Christ in us—for the world.



A new congregation, **Iglesia Enciende Una Luz** (Lighting the Light Church) joined Virginia Mennonite Conference. Here, pastor Armando Sanchez (center) is introduced by Dave King (right) with Byron Pellecer (left) translating.



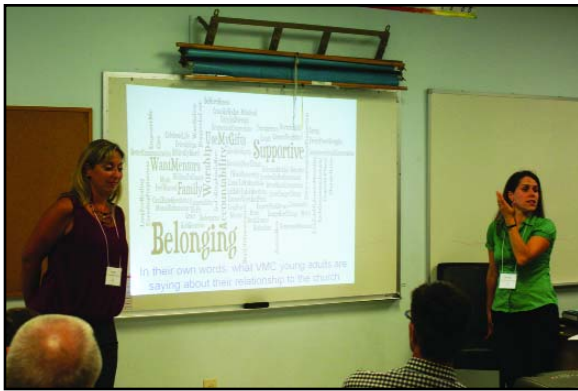
Harold Bergey introduces **Shirley Yoder Brubaker**, Thursday evening worship speaker.



Dr. Natalie and Bishop Leslie Francisco marked their 29th anniversary at Assembly even as both were involved with worship Friday evening. Bishop Leslie gave the message and Natalie led the C3 Praise Team.

Plan now to join us next year for Conference Assembly 2013 at Eastern Mennonite School in Harrisonburg, Va., July 25-27.

Formed by the



Inga Mast and **Sarah Bixler** led a workshop entitled “Christian Formation with Young Adults,” providing insights into how the faith community can continue forming and connecting with young people.



The **C3 Praise Team** from Calvary Community Church, Hampton, Va., led several worship songs Friday evening.



As **fraternal guests** from Jamaica Mennonite Church, **William George** and **Joan Broughton** brought greetings.



Delegates sit in small groups to discuss Bible studies presented by **George Brunk III**.



Jennifer Davis Sensenig led a workshop on “Homegrown Worship & Preaching,” focusing on biblically focused ideas for worship planning.



Bethany Tobin, along with her husband **Steve Horst**, shared about their upcoming mission assignment with Virginia Mennonite Missions to a South Asian nation. Other families commissioned for service this year also shared about their plans.

The “**Mennonites’ Chorus**,” a combined chorus practiced and gave a performance at Mt. Pleasant Mennonite Church on Friday evening.



Thank you to every Assembly attendee for your participation and contributions!

- Thursday: 225 worship attendance, \$976 offering
- Friday: 231 worship attendance, \$2,227 offering

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Forgetfulness is not always bad

By **KENT KAUFFMAN**
Director, Highland Retreat

The extended tough economy has been difficult for some families, and children are not excluded from the stress it creates. At Highland we have noticed a dramatic increase in camp scholarship requests growing from 20 requests in 2010 to 37 in 2012. The reasons given for these hardships are varied, including unemployment (both short- and long-term), divorce, loss of a parent, illness and medical expenses.

Dean Williams, Summer Camp Program Director, will be the first to tell you that parents, grandparents, and guardians seeking scholarships are wanting meaningful experiences for their children not just “hand-outs.” Many, like Nicole Bauman Foltz, are former Highland campers who loved their Highland experiences and now desire a similar experience

for their children but have fallen on hard times.

“We are thousands and thousands of dollars in medical debt and finances are very tight. I went to camp and it was the highlight of my summer, at Highland Retreat,” Foltz said, “I hate for Andrew to have to miss camp because we don’t have the money to send him. I hate to ask for help... but thank you!”

Whether burdened by financial struggles or other major life issues, a week of summer camp can be freeing for a child because there is often a natural forgetfulness. Away from home, they are able to forget some of their regular stresses. In the camp setting a child may choose to share those stressors with a counselor or cabin mates on their terms. It is those places of “forgetfulness” and intentional



Highland counselor Benson Hostetter helps two campers to build a boat made of natural materials to float down Capon Run. Photo courtesy of author

sharing where God’s healing often takes place.

Virginia Mennonite Conference churches and other local organizations are central in connecting Highland with families who have financial need. Generous and caring individuals are key in helping Highland continue to meet the requests for scholarships.

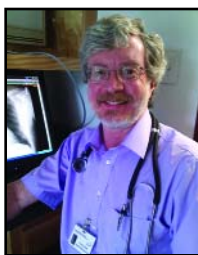
VMRC Health Center becomes central for life enrichment

By **MAUREEN PEARSON**
VMRC Director of Communications

Earlier this summer, Virginia Mennonite Retirement Community opened the VMRC Community Health Center on its campus to expand its health and wellness services to seniors.

“We’ve created what is becoming commonly known as a patient-centered medical home,” said Ronald Yoder, president and CEO.

“This initiative brings to the campus physician services but also an integrated management of health and wellness needs,” said Ben Burks, Ph.D., vice president of Life Enrichment. “Primary health services are essential to aging well, and this medical staff will partner with the patients to understand fully how the coordination of health and wellness services impacts total care.”



Christopher Benjamin
MSN, FNP-C

Harrisonburg
Community Health
Center *Family
Nurse Practitioner*

Creating a patient-centered medical home means that care and services will address all the dimensions impacting one’s wellness: socialization, intellect, emotions, physical health, spirit and vocation. The Health Center will provide primary care health services along with some ancillary lab services such as EKG, screenings and blood work. VMRC already offers onsite short-term rehabilitation, nutritional therapy, wellness programs and outpatient rehab services.



Jonathan David Moss MD

Harrisonburg
Community Health
Center
Medical Director

“VMRC’s philosophy of life enrichment is to consider how the mind, body and spirit affect the health and wellness of an individual,” added Ben. “The VMRC Community Health Center becomes a primary focal point of coordinating services a patient may need to keep him or her healthy.”

Staffing for the VMRC Community Health Center will be provided by the Harrisonburg Community Health Center.

SEPTEMBER 2012 Prayer Calendar

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

30 Four VMC congregations in Harrisonburg do not meet in traditional church buildings: Early Church, Eastside Church, Family of Hope, and The Table. Ask God to use their unique witness to usher in God's kingdom.

This month's prayer calendar is sponsored by:

If you would like the sponsor the calendar, please call Gloria Lehman at (540) 434-9727 or send message to gloria.lehman@vmmisions.org



"Therefore, since we have these promises, dear friends, let us purify ourselves from everything that contaminates body and spirit, perfecting holiness out of reverence for God."
2 Corinthians 7:1 (NIV)

2 On July 27, VMC delegates welcomed Iglesia Enciende Una Luz as our 70th full member congregation. As this congregation in Harrisonburg relates to the Northern District, invite God's blessing on their leaders and members.

3 School opens today at the Maranatha School for the Deaf in Top Hill, Jamaica. Pray that the teachers and students get the year off to a good start, excited and happy to learn together.

4 In *Perspectives* (H'burg) class this evening, Mary Thriessen Nation teaches "The Story of His Glory" centering on God's purpose to receive greater glory, drawing all people to worship Him. Thank God for Mary's insight.

5 Today Steve, Laura, Ruth and Esther Campbell arrive in Montenegro for a 2-year term of service through VMM. Pray for a smooth transition as they get settled in Podgorica.

6 A new group of Ethiopian believers in the Washington, DC area are presently exploring relating to VMC. May God grant wisdom for all involved.

7 Mt. Pleasant Mennonite Church offered countless hours and resources to VMC's recent Assembly in Chesapeake, Va. Thank God for their service, and pray for Nevin Mast as he joins Sam Scaggs on their pastoral team.

9 Today a service of ordination is held for Nicola & Lia at Centro Koinonia as elder and deaconess. Pray for them as they assist with leadership in the congregation in Bari.

10 School opens today at Lezha Academic Center, Albania. An additional grade has been added; students and teachers are enthusiastic about learning in the year ahead. Ask God to bless these first days as they all work together.

11 In *Perspectives* class (H'burg) this evening, Mark Fesmire teaches "Your Kingdom Come" emphasizing the transformation of society with Christ's kingdom in view. Pray for the students as they read and participate.

12 How often do you pray for your pastor(s)? This fall, commit yourself to holding your congregational leaders up in regular prayer as prescribed in Acts 14:23: "With prayer and fasting they entrusted them to the Lord."

13 Norma Teles, mission worker in Albania, is currently in Harrisonburg, taking classes and getting refreshed for her work with Roma children. If you want to invite her to speak in your congregation, email ken.horst@vmmisions.org

14 New Bridges Immigrant Resource Center and the Mennonite Hispanic Initiative are new Conference-endorsed Ministries of VMC. Praise God for these excellent resources and diverse perspectives.

15 Pray for VMM/MMN worker David Shenk as he works with Colombian refugees in Ecuador. Fleeing for their lives, they need assistance in many ways. Ask God to give him strength and insight every day.

16 September marks high church attendance rates as families return to regular routines at the start of the school year. Pray that attendees will commit to engaging with the body of Christ throughout the coming year.

17 Pray for VMM *TravSendex* Justin Rittenhouse, as he teaches math at the Lezha Academic Center, Albania. May God enable him to teach well, and may his students apply themselves to class materials, and high ideals.

18 In *Perspectives* class (H'burg) this evening, Jacob Thomas teaches "Mandate for the Nations" with an understanding of the Great Commission and God's sending in relational power. Pray that new truths will enlighten each mind.

19 Jacob, Hosanna, Elias and Maia are leaving for South Asia on Friday after being in the US for several months. Ask for protection in their travels, and for the Lord's help in making the transitions as they return to their home.

20 Invite God's Spirit to work among the Mennonite Women of Virginia at this weekend's annual retreat, and pray that the theme, "We Are God's Beloved Daughters," will resonate as they are equipped for caring ministry.

21 Join in prayer for the church planters and missional community leaders who gather in Alexandria, Va. for a 24-hr. resources event called Planting Peace Churches. May our Lord invigorate those who attend.

22 A celebration of Willard & Eva Eberly's ministry at Centro Koinonia in Bari is held today. They served the church for 10 years in Bari. Pray that as the congregation says "thank you" that all will be abundantly blessed.

23 Pray for Patricia as she is baptized today at Centro Koinonia in Bari. May others be moved to accept Christ through her life and witness.

24 This past weekend at the VMC Middle School Retreat, youth gathered as speaker Micah Hurst guided them in growing closer to God through spiritual practices. Pray that they will recognize God as a real presence in their lives.

25 In *Perspectives* (H'burg) class this evening, Aaron Kauffman teaches "Unleashing the Gospel" which concentrates on the first followers of Jesus who were obedient in costly, foundational ways. Pray that we will follow too.

26 Remember our congregations in Knoxville, TN: Concord Mennonite and Knoxville Mennonite. Pray that God will bless their fellowship and witness, as they grow in Christ and share His love in their communities.

27 The family of five serving in South Asia has had months of transitions: leaving their first residence, they moved to another city where they have been led by the Spirit. Ask God to sustain them as they move forward in Him.

28 Pray for Harry & Kris Kraus serving in Kijabe, Kenya. In addition to working there, Harry goes to a neighboring country to perform surgeries which are life-giving. May God grant His grace and strength to them every day.

29 VMM/MMN workers David & Rebekka Stutzman arrived in Bammental, Germany, this month to assist in pastoral ministry in a local Mennonite congregation. Pray for their transition to life in Germany.



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Announcements



Mennonite Women of Virginia Fall Retreat

will be held Sept. 21-23. Speakers will be Rhoda Keener, President of Mennonite Women USA, as well as Carolyn Heggen, speaking on "We are God's Beloved Daughters...Sister Care: Equipping Women for Caring Ministry." Be adventurous and bring a friend or two to a new location, the Eagle Eyrie Baptist Conference Center in Lynchburg, Va. Brochures are available at <http://wp.me/P2AxnQ-8s>

You are invited to **A Taste of the Mediterranean**, a meal hosted by Shawn & Laura Green, who along with their son Lucas are VMM appointees to southern Italy. Come hear what God is doing in and through the Mennonite church in Italy while enjoying homemade pasta, salad, and other regional foods on Thursday, October 11, at 6 p.m. at Weavers Mennonite Church's Shady Oak fellowship hall. An opportunity to participate in the work will be given. Please RSVP to Melanie Eby (MST chair) at (540) 810-6315 or melanie.eby@gmail.com. They look forward to sharing their hearts for the Italian people.

Registration details for the Greenhouse Intensive Training with Neil Cole can be found at: cmresources.org/greenhouse/happenings under "Harrisonburg Greenhouse." The training will be October 19-21 at Harrisonburg Mennonite Church. Contact Skip Tobin with questions, (540) 434-9727

(office) or (540) 560-9107 (cell) or send a message to skip.tobin@vmmissions.org

Join in singing "**David the Shepherd Boy**," directed by Marvin Miller, October 26-28 at Williamsburg Christian Retreat Center! Music Weekend guests receive choral music instruction, meals and snacks, lodging, and a terrific weekend filled with fellowship. For more information and registration go to www.wcrc.info or call: (757) 566-2256.

Visit the Balkans (Albania & Montenegro) on a Mission Fellowship Tour, May 6-16, 2013. Led by Ed Bontrager, and with Virginia Mennonite Missions President Loren & Earlene Horst, the tour will visit mission workers, the new Lehza Academic Center, Shkodra, Tirana, Berrat Village, old castles, stunning Adriatic coastlines, ancient monasteries, Lushnje, Durres, and much more! Price (incl. taxes and fuel surcharge) only \$2498 from D.C. Contact Ed at (540) 438-8304 or eebontrager@comcast.net for a brochure.

Join Myron & Esther Augsburg for **Footsteps of Paul's Journeys**, May 25 - June 7, 2013. This trip of a lifetime will include eight days in Greece with visits to Athens, Corinth, Thessalonica, Philippi, Berea and Dephi. The trip will conclude with a four-day Aegean cruise with stops in Mykonos, Ephesus, Patmos, Rhodes, Crete and Santorini. For full details, contact Travel Counsellors at (540) 434-1796 or (800) 572-4049.

The British Isles, a trip to England, Scotland and Wales is planned for Sept. 13-25, 2013 with hosts Dave & Joyce Eshleman. This trip planned by TourMagination will include points of interest in the lives of Charles Spurgeon, C. S. Lewis, John Bunyan and John Newton. Other points of interest will include: Snowdonia National Park in Wales, the Lake District of England, the cities of Glasgow and Edinburgh in Scotland and much more. For details go to: TourMagination.com or call (800) 565-0451.