

Groffdale Mennonite Church

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SUPPLEMENT

THANK YOU for last Sunday's (March 25) and this week's Electronic Funds Transfer offerings:

- Leadership Support \$4,917.00
- Missions \$800.00
- Program Fund \$75.00

Happy Birthday

Jonas Reiff—Monday, April 2
Yamil Gavilondo—Wednesday, April 4
Janet Eberly—Friday, April 6
Joshua Wenger—Friday, April 6
Dylan Horst—Saturday, April 7
Kamie Graver—Monday, April 9



Happy 96th Birthday

Ruth Groff—Saturday, April 7

Happy 89th Birthday

Helen Ressler—Saturday, April 7

Happy Anniversary

Rick and Ruthie Umble—Friday, April 6



Copies of the minutes from the February 22 Administration Team meeting are on the information table. Please help yourself to a copy if you'd like one.



Youth Group Couch Derby

On Sunday, April 15th, five local youth groups will be having a couch derby at Stumptown Mennonite Church at 3pm. Come see the spectacular couch races, eat delicious snacks, and support the Groffdale Youth Group.



DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

April 8 - Pastor Tom Eshleman
April 15 - Pastor Tom Eshleman
April 22 - Pastor Austin Horning
April 29 - Pastor Tom Eshleman



CVCCS News

Conestoga Valley Christian Services is in need of the following:

Food items:

- ◆ Canned fruits
- ◆ Canned soups



Clothing

Clean, gently used Spring and Summer clothing of ALL sizes.

Please place your donated items in the box provided in the lobby.

It takes a small army to minister to the families in Conestoga Valley and we are seeking volunteers.

We are open Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays during the day. If something peaks your interest, please call Deb (717) 208-3711 or go to our website and fill out a Volunteer Inquiry Form.

Food Bank: Helping clients shop, packing and breaking down of food, unloading and putting away deliveries, stocking shelves, cleaning, and delivering food to persons who cannot come to the building for food.

Clothing Bank: Helping clients shop for clothing, sorting and hanging clothing, cleaning, keeping racks in order, occasional mending and laundry.

Summer Lunch: We need help preparing lunches, delivering them to four sites, supervising the children that come. This is a morning commitment that is from 9-11:30am.

ROOTED: A new program this year where volunteers meet with a student every Tuesday from 3:00-5:30. This program involves mentor/tutoring one-on-one with the same student for the school year. We need volunteers for this fall.

Thanks for considering how you can help with these needs.

FRIENDSHIP COMMUNITY'S TALENT NIGHT

Monday, April 2
7:00 PM

Mellinger's Mennonite Church
1916 Lincoln Hwy East, Lancaster

This one-of-a-kind Talent Show showcases the talents and capabilities of our individuals with intellectual disability and autism.

Miriam Weaver will be singing in the program!

Everyone is welcome!

Silver Springs Ministries Spring Banquet (Introducing urban youth to Jesus) Camp Andrews/Meadows of Hope April 3 at 6:15 pm Shady Maple Smorgasbord

- ♥ Delicious food
- ♥ Music by Meadows of Hope girls
- ♥ Testimonies of God transforming lives

The offering will be doubled to build a new lodge that doubles the impact of the current Millhouse.

For free tickets, contact us by March 30 at 717-284-2624 or reservations@campandrews.org.

PENNSYLVANIA RELIEF SALE

Farm Show Complex, Harrisburg
Friday, April 6 (4:00 pm - 9:00 pm)
Saturday, April 7 (6:30 am - 3:00 pm)

The Pennsylvania Relief Sale supports Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) in its work to share God's love and compassion by responding to basic human needs and working for peace and justice.

See Schedule of Events posted on bulletin board outside coat room or visit their website at pareliefsale.org.



Global Outreach for Addiction Leadership and Learning "Signs & Symptoms" Workshop

Friday, April 6
9:00 am - 4:00 pm
Breakout Ministries
2400 Anita Court, Leola

Learn about the addiction warning signs and the symptoms of addiction.

See the poster on bulletin board for more details.



Messiah Sing-a-long

Friday, April 6 at 7pm
Westminster Presbyterian Church
2151 Oregon Pike, Lancaster
Freewill Offering



Global Disciples Banquet Schedule

6:30 pm Dinner

April 10 - Yoder's Restaurant, New Holland

April 12 - Brick Gables, Lititz

April 16 - Willow Valley/Doubletree, Lancaster

Join us for dinner and fellowship at a location near you. We can't wait to share God's latest stories and inspire your walk with Jesus!

Register at globaldisciples.org or call Kimberly Lapham at (717)290-7550 by April 5, 2018.



SEEKING THE HEART WORKSHOP

Tuesday, April 10
6:30-9:00 PM

Conestoga Church of the Brethren

Based on David Hain's book "Heart of the Addict" Finding compassion and hope for those caught in the snare of addiction.

See poster on bulletin board for more information and how to register for this workshop.