

Groffdale Mennonite Church

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SUPPLEMENT

THANK YOU for last Sunday's (June 23) and this week's Electronic Funds Transfer offerings:

- Program Fund \$3,621.00
- Leadership Support \$480.00

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Fund Balances at the end of May:

Church Facilities (\$5,763)

Program Fund \$3,999

Leadership Support (\$2,869)

Happy Birthday

Charles Bauman—Monday, July 1

Glenn Hershey—Wednesday, July 3

Ray Horst—Thursday, July 4

Kathy Weaver Wenger—Thursday, July 4

Jim Hanna—Saturday, July 6

John Frey—Sunday, July 7

Sara Frey—Tuesday, July 9



Happy Anniversary

Joe and Donna Jaskolka—Sunday, June 30

John and Ruth Zimmerman—Friday, July 5

DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

- July 7, 2019** - Message from Daryl & Jen Hoover
- July 14, 2019** - Worship Service at Woodcrest Retreat
Message from Pastor Austin
- July 21, 2019** - Message from Pastor Tom
- July 28, 2019** - Message from Pastor Tom
- August 4, 2019** - Message from Pastor Austin

Commissioning for Andres Prins

Andres Prins will be commissioned by EMM to spread the gospel of Jesus Christ throughout the world! Everyone is invited to the EMM commissioning service on Sunday, July 7, 6:30 pm at the Oakwood Chapel at Black Rock Retreat (1345 Kirkwood Pike, Quarryville).

Afterwards, stay to chat and enjoy the ice cream that will be served.

More details at emm.org/commissioning

Thank You Note

A special thank you to everyone at Groffdale for your cards, encouragement, food and prayers after the unexpected death of Glenn on June 15th. Please continue to pray for our family.

With love, Sharon Eberly and family

CAMPING AT WOODCREST RETREAT

Dates for the camping weekend at Woodcrest Retreat are July 12-14.



Cost is \$71 per campsite (for 2 nights) which includes hook-up for water and electric.

Please sign up ASAP, as we need to confirm number of campsites with Woodcrest.

If you'd like to reserve a campsite, please sign up at the information table in the lobby.



Events for Saturday are being planned. Stay tuned for more details!!

Summer Sunday School series for June and July...

A book study called "The Art of Neighboring"

Everyone is invited to participate!
Classroom schedules listing the dates and chapters that are to be read are on the information table.

- June 30 Read chapters 7 and 8
Discuss in Sunday School classes
- July 7 **Sunday School classes will meet in the all-purpose room for group sharing**
- July 14 Woodcrest Retreat Weekend
No Sunday School
10:00 am worship service at Woodcrest
- July 21 Read chapters 9 and 10
Discuss in Sunday School classes
- July 28 Read chapters 11 and 12
Discuss in Sunday School classes

Building relationships with our neighbors leads to better communities, better cities, and ultimately...a better world.



Around the world...in just 4 hours!

Eastern Mennonite Missions GLOBAL FAIR

July 13, 11 a.m.–3 p.m.

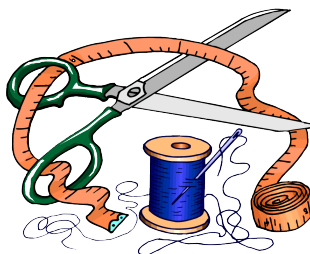
Hans Herr House, Willow Street, PA

- Brand new music stage
- Culinary delights
- Games for kids
- Lively global bazaar
- Petting zoo animals
- Hans Herr House exhibits



Entrance by donation.

Your contribution helps to keep this event thriving.
EMM.ORG/GLOBALFAIR



Sewing Circle will not be meeting in July.

CVCCS NEWS

Backpack Giveaway - Items Needed

In August, CVCCS (Conestoga Valley Christian Community Services) will have its annual backpack giveaway for children in need who attend Conestoga Valley schools. Groffdale will be collecting the following items for the backpack giveaway:

- ♥ Colored pencils
- ♥ Divider packs
- ♥ Paper clips (small and large)



Please bring your donated items and place them in the "CVCCS Backpack Giveaway" box in the lobby by SUNDAY, JULY 21.

***A good neighbor
is a welcome blessing!***



Trip to the Phillies

Everyone is welcome to join us for a Groffdale trip to the Phillies on Thursday, August 15. Meet at the church at 4:30 and the game is at 7:05. Price will be approximately \$70.00 per person. Sign up sheet is at the back of the church.

