

# *Groffdale Mennonite Church*



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**Our Mission:** To be a healing community of believers passionately committed to Jesus as Lord through worship, nurture, and outreach.  
Every member a minister!

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***Welcome! We are glad you are here!***

**9:30 a.m. Pre-service Prayer Time** (conference room #201)

Prelude - Rick Umble

**10:00 a.m. Worship Service**

Welcome and Call to Worship - Dave Moore

Gathering Hymn - Glenn Hershey

Offering: Program Fund

Offertory: Rick Umble

Worship in Song: Jim Evans and Joe Jaskolka

Scripture reading - John 21:1-14

Sermon: Pastor Tom Eshleman

Title: "The Other Side of the Boat"

Song of Response

Prayer and Benediction



## Serving Today:

Greeters - Charles and Fern Bauman  
Ushers - Roy and Ada Burkhart  
Projectionist - Trevor Lambert  
Sound Technician - Dale Weaver



## Bring these situations to God in prayer:

- ◆ Andres Prins as he travels and ministers in Argentina. Pray God's healing, equipping, and strengthening for Andres as he travels on crutches with an injured ankle.
- ◆ Continue to pray for Lucas Heft as he recovers from recent surgery.
- ◆ Healing for Sharon Eberly.
- ◆ The Worship Support Team meeting on Tuesday, August 20 at 4:00. Pray for the creativity and vision of the Holy Spirit.
- ◆ Our congregational meal and event planned for next Sunday, August 25 after church. Give thanks to God for the vision of our youth in planning this congregational activity.
- ◆ Our school students preparing to return to classes in the coming weeks.
- ◆ O and L and their family who will be sharing with our congregation next Sunday.



## Events This Week

Tuesday: **Worship Support Team**, 4:00 pm at the church  
Wednesday: **Morning prayer group**, 8:30 am at the church  
**Youth Group Swim Party**, 6:30 pm at the Martin's  
Sunday: **9:30 a.m. prayer**—all are welcome  
**Congregational Cookout**—youth group fundraiser

## Next Sunday, August 25, 2019

Prelude/Offertory: Bob Mohler  
Worship Leader: Kathy Frey  
Praise Music: Olivia Imchen  
Hymns: Henry Youndt  
Sermon: O and L

Projectionist: Tanner Eshleman  
Sound technician: Harold Musselman  
Offering: Leadership Support  
Greeters: Leonard and Mim Martin  
Ushers: Jim and Glenda Evans

**Sunday School classes will not be meeting in August and on September 1 (Labor Day weekend).**

### **Pastoral Care Arrangements while Pastor Tom is in Ethiopia and Kenya**

Pastor Tom leaves for Ethiopia on August 27 and returns September 8. Our congregation is blessed with many gifted people who are prepared to minister to pastoral care needs that may arise. The following people will be serving as contact people for pastoral care needs from August 27-September 8. They will involve members of the visitation team as needed.

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