

Groffdale Mennonite Church

*"Not by might
nor by power,
but by my Spirit"
says the Lord.*

Zechariah 4:6

February 19, 2017

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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!

8:30 a.m. Pre-service Prayer Time in conference room #201

9:00 a.m. Sunday School. Nursery is provided.

Prelude—Derrick Lambert

10:00 a.m. Worship Service

Opening Hymn—Mark Wenger

Announcements and Call to Worship—Brian Snader

Offering: Program Fund

Offertory—Derrick Lambert

Children will be collecting coins for MCC's Water Project.

Children's Time—Tom Eshleman

Worship Team—Anne Martin and Jennifer Eshleman

Scripture Reading

Sermon—Wes Furlong, Director of Church Development for EVANA

"Re-think Big"

Scripture text: Zechariah 4:1-10

Hymn of Response—Mark Wenger

Congregational Prayer

Benediction



We extend a warm welcome to Wes Furlong. EVANA is a ministry of pastors and churches with a heart to see lives transformed by the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Our common ground is in Anabaptist and Mennonite theology and our common vision is to live out Jesus' Great Commission to make and grow disciples.

Serving Today:

Greeters—Dave and Dawn Moore

Ushers—Glenn and Helen Hershey

Projectionist—Trevor Lambert

Sound Technician—Dale Weaver

Nursery—9:00—Faye Woods

10:00—Kathy and Sara Frey



Give thanks to God:

- ♦ For the meaningful experiences our church is having through Groffdale Family Night.



Bring these situations to God in prayer:

- * Leonard Martin as he anticipates back surgery on Tuesday, February 21
- * Doris Mohler as she recovers from hand surgery and deals with a reoccurrence of shingles.
- * Continued strength and healing for Paul Weber at Lancashire Hall.
- * Curvin Buchen as he seeks relief from pain from shingles.
- * Brian and Krista Snader and their family as they discern the invitation they have received to serve in Kenya with Mennonite Central Committee.
- * Andres Prins traveling and ministering in Florida and Cuba.
- * Leadership and Administration teams meeting next week.
- * Our guest speaker, Wes Furlong and his family as they minister to churches and leaders around the country through EVANA.



Events This Week

Tuesday: **Administration Team**, 4:00 p.m. at the church

Wednesday: **Morning prayer group**, 8:30 a.m. at the church
Family Night, meal 6:00-6:45 p.m.; classes 7:00-8:00;
café 8:00-8:30. Everyone is invited to participate.
Bring friends.

Thursday: **Leadership Team**, 4:00 p.m. at the church

Sunday: **8:30 a.m. prayer**—all are welcome

Next Sunday, February 26, 2017

Prelude/Offertory: Bob Mohler

Worship Leader: Kathy Weaver
Wenger

Praise Music: Nzabarinda family from
Democratic Republic of Congo

Hymns: Henry Youndt

Sermon: Tom Eshleman

Topic: "Blessed be your glorious
name" (Renewal of prayer life)

Scripture Text: Nehemiah 9

Offering: Leadership Support

Greeters: Ruthie Zimmerman and
Delores Tennis

Ushers: Clete and Diane Weaver

Projectionist: Chadman Martin

Sound technician: Harold Musselman

Nursery:

9:00—Open

10:00—Tom and Jen Lambert



Classroom Locations for Family Night Activities

The Past Shapes the Future—Room 201—Main Level

Crocheting or Knitting (all ages)—Sewing Room next to the Library

Hands-on Hobbies—All Purpose Room—West end

Community Issues—Room 106—Lower Level South

Youth—Youth Room

Children: Pinewood Derby—Room 107-109—Lower Level North

Craft Project—Room 105—Lower Level North

Gel Pen Coloring—Room 103—Lower Level North

Art Show—Doug Hoover's pictures—Lower Level Halls

Nursery provided up through age 3—Main Level



Leadership Team at Groffdale Mennonite Church

Pastor Tom Eshleman; Associate Pastor of Christian Education and Worship: **Kathy Weaver**

Wenger; Youth Pastor: **Austin Horning**; Elder of Administration: **Levi Hoover**;

Ministry Leaders for Community Life: **Glenda Evans and Kathy Frey**;

Ministry Leader for Mission and Outreach: **Andres Prins**;

Ministry Leader for Worship: **Keith Stoltzfus**; Member-at-large: **Helen Hershey**

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