

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!

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

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

Prelude—Joe Jaskolka

10:00 a.m. Worship Service

Welcome and Opening Hymn—Keith Stoltzfus

Announcements—Audrey Groff

Call to Worship and Prayer

Offering: EMM-Persecuted Church/Leadership Support/

Landis Homes/Fairmount Homes

Offertory—Joe Jaskolka

Receive Miriam Aufer as member

Praise and Worship—Keith Stoltzfus

Scripture Reading

Children's Church - for Kindergarten through Grade 2

Sermon—Pastor Tom Eshleman

"Commissioned by Jesus"

Scripture text: Acts 1:1-11

Song of Response

Congregational Sharing and Prayer

Benediction



Serving Today:

Greeters—Dave and Dawn Moore

Ushers—Glen and Joyce Shenk

Projectionist—Diane Weaver

Sound Technician—Dean Myers

Nursery—9:00—Open

10:00—Brian Snader



Give thanks to God:

- ◆ For the healing experienced by Jonathan Bauman in the last weeks.

Bring these situations to God in prayer:



- ◆ Arlene and Paul Reiff as they grieve the passing of Arlene's sister, Minerva Horst who passed away last Saturday.
- ◆ Lydia Riehl as she regains strength at Lancaster Rehab Hospital.
- ◆ Robert Hahn as he rehabilitates at Lancashire Hall and anticipates returning home.
- ◆ Austin and Janelle Horning as they adjust to married life and resume responsibilities at home in the next week.
- ◆ Our congregation as we plan and anticipate leadership transitions in the months ahead as Kathy Weaver Wenger retires.
- ◆ Kathy and Mark Wenger as they anticipate many changes and transitions ahead with their move to Franconia.
- ◆ Brian and Krista Snader and their family as they anticipate their move to Kenya at the end of July to serve with Mennonite Central Committee.
- ◆ Andres Prins traveling and ministering this week in Sarajevo with David Shenk.
- ◆ Our students anticipating high school graduation in the next month; Will Baumiller, Ashtyn Greenawalt, Chris Martin, Grace Moore and Luca Ventura.

Events This Week

Wednesday: **Morning prayer group**, 8:30 a.m. at the church
Inspired Parenting Class; 5:30 meal, 6:15-8:15 class
at the church

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

Next Sunday, May 14, 2017

Prelude/Offertory: Derrick Lambert

Worship Leader: Lloyd Weaver

Praise Music: Jim Evans and Joe
Jaskolka

Hymns: Glenn Hershey

Children's Time: Mark Wenger

Sermon: Tom Eshleman

Theme: "Pentecost all year"

Scripture Text: Acts 2

Offering: Leadership Support

Greeters: Elmer and Minerva Nolt

Ushers: John and Kathy Frey

Projectionist: Chris Martin

Sound technician: Dale Weaver

Nursery:

9:00—Open

10:00—Open

Congratulations

*Congratulations to Pastor Austin and Janelle
Horning who were married on Saturday, April 29.
We pray God's blessing on their marriage.*

Their address is:
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