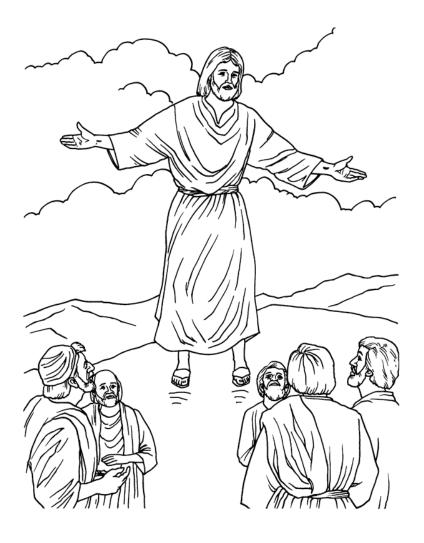
Groffdale Mennonite Church



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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 Auker 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: 26 North Charles Street Ephrata, PA 17522





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