Groffdale Mennonite Church



Called and Sent

July 9, 2017
Woodcrest Retreat

Groffdale Mennonite Church

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! 10:00 a.m. Worship Service—WOODCREST RETREAT

Call to Worship and Announcements

Gathering Song—Glenn Hershey

Offering: Church Facilities

Worship in Song—Youth Team

Brian and Krista Snader and family sharing

Blessing and commissioning of Snader family

Song of blessing

Scripture reading

Meditation—Pastor Tom Eshleman
"Called and Sent"
Scripture text: Acts 13:1-3

Song of response

Prayer and benediction



Everyone is invited to stay for the Fellowship Meal following the worship service.



Serving Today:

Greeters—Leonard and Mim Martin
Ushers—Glen and Joyce Shenk
Projectionist—Chris Martin
Sound Technician—Dale Weaver
Nursery—Nursery will not be provided.



Bring these situations to God in prayer:

- ◆ Brian, Krista, Brandon and Lucinda Snader as they prepare to move to Kenya at the beginning of August.
- ◆ God's blessing on our fellowship this weekend at Woodcrest.
- ◆ Those traveling and for the Eshleman family as they leave this Thursday morning for their trip West.
- ◆ Pastor Austin as he prepares to preach next Sunday, July 16.
- ◆ Healing for Jessica Long as she battles kidney disease. Pray for strength and courage for Jessica's parents, Doug and Lori Long, and the entire family.
- ◆ Promise Learning Center teachers and students as they prepare for the school year and set up in our Groffdale basement.
- ♦ Blessing of rest and renewal for Ryan and Bethany Umble family who are living in the Groffdale missionary house.
- ♦ O and L as they return to the States for home leave and as they share the sermon at Groffdale on July 23.



Events This Week

Wednesday: Morning prayer group, 8:30 a.m. at the church

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



Next Sunday, July 16, 2017

Prelude/Offertory: Sharon Eberly Worship Leader: Audrey Groff Praise Music: Jim Evans and Joe

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Hymns: Fern Bauman

Children's Church: Rachel Gavilondo

Sermon: Austin Horning

Theme: TBD Scripture: TBD Offering: Leadership Support
Greeters: Glenn and Helen Hershey
Ushers: Elmer and Minerva Nolt
Projectionist: Trevor Lambert
Sound technician: Colin Nolt

Nursery: 9:00—Open 10:00—Open



Brian, Krista, Brandon and Lucinda will be moving to Nairobi, Kenya at the beginning of August to begin a three year assignment with Mennonite Central Committee. Their work will focus on improving access to clean water and conservation agriculture,

both of which are areas of vital need in so many parts of the world. Brian and Krista served several years ago with MCC doing similar work in Bolivia. Brandon will be entering first grade at Rosslyn Academy which is located in the city of Nairobi. Lucinda is looking forward to going to preschool. The mission statement of MCC is "Sharing God's love in the name of Christ." We pray God's blessings on the Snader family as they serve the people of Kenya in the name of Jesus.

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