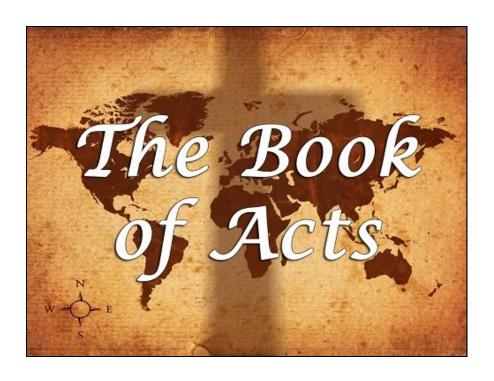
Groffdale Mennonite Church



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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!

Sunday School classes are not meeting for the month of August and September 3

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



Prelude—Kayley and Tanner Eshleman

10:00 a.m. Worship Service

Opening Hymn—Fern Bauman

Welcome and Prayer—Dave Moore

Call to Worship

Offering: Leadership Support

Offertory—Kayley and Tanner

Praise and Worship—Anne Martin and Jennifer Eshleman

Children's Church—Rachel Gavilondo

Scripture reading

Sermon—Pastor Tom Eshleman

"Compelled by God's Spirit"

Scripture text: Acts 20

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Song of response

Congregational Sharing

Prayer and Benediction

Serving Today:

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



Nursery—10:00—Jen Lambert

Bring these situations to God in prayer:

- ◆ The Burkhart family and especially Roy's brother, Frank as he grieves the passing of his wife Doris.
- Our college students, Emily Evans and Cassidy Martin as they prepare to return to college.
- Our Groffdale worship and administrative teams that will be meeting this week.
- Fred and Betty Reeser as they prepare for their move to the Welsh Mountain Home on September 11.
- Leon and Lydia Martin as they prepare to move to Brethren Village later this month.
- Promise Learning Center teachers, students and families as they anticipate the new school year.
- Our nation in the midst of racial tensions and strife. Pray that God would give wisdom and good judgment to President Trump and other leaders.



PLEASE NOTE: There will be no Sunday School during the month of August and on September 3 (Labor Day weekend).

Events This Week

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

Administration Team, 6:30 p.m. at the church

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

Sunday: 9:30 a.m. prayer—all are welcome

Next Sunday, August 27, 2017

Prelude/Offertory: Bob Mohler Worship Leader: Austin Horning Praise Music: Jessica Kiefski

Hymns: Henry Youndt

Sermon: Pastor Tom Eshleman Theme: "Back to School Sunday"

Offering: Program Fund

Greeters: Dave and Dawn Moore
Ushers: Clete and Diane Weaver
Projectionist: Derrick Lambert
Sound technician: Harold Musselman

Nursery:

10:00—Anne Martin



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P.O. Box 14894 00800 Westlands Nairobi, KENYA Prayer cards are available on the information table.



Brian and Krista Snader and their family will be serving in Nairobi, Kenya for a three year assignment with Mennonite Central Committee (MCC). Arrangements have been made with MCC for donations to be made to the Snader's Personal Drawing Account (PDA). The Snaders will have access to their PDA for special occasions, family outings, etc. If you'd like to make a contribution to the Snader PDA, please clearly designate "Snader PDA" on your check and place it in the offering basket. Contributions to their PDA can be made any time within their three year assignment. *Thank you!*

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