

Groffdale Mennonite Church

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SUPPLEMENT

THANK YOU for last Sunday's (August 20) and this week's Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) offerings:

- Leadership Support \$4,392.00
- Church Facilities \$820.00
- Missions \$200.00
- Snader Family PDA \$100.00

Happy Birthday

Helen Hershey—Wednesday, September 30
Nancy Ressler—Monday, September 4

Happy Anniversary

Curvin and Lois Buchen—Friday, September 1



MCC SCHOOL KIT PROJECT

MCC is now collecting school kits. Please feel free to pick up one or more bags from the foyer and fill them with the following items:



- 4 spiral or perforated notebooks (8-1/2 x 10-1/2" and 70 pages)
- 8 unsharpened pencils
- 1 ruler (flat, flexible plastic; indicating both 30cm and 12 in)
- 12 colored pencils (in packaging)
- 1 large pencil eraser

Please place your completed school kits in the basket provided.

We will be collecting school kits through the end of August.

Thanks for your generosity!!!



Adult Sunday School Materials for the Fall quarter are available.

- ♦ Sunday School classes will resume September 10
- ♦ Student books are in the classrooms
- ♦ Teacher's guides are on the information tables

The ladies Sunday School class that met in the south hall downstairs has been moved to the NORTH hall across from the All Purpose Room. Your books are in the new classroom location.

DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

September 3—God stories from work

September 10—Pastor Tom Eshleman

September 17—Pastor Tom Eshleman

September 24—Pastor Austin Horning

October 1—Homecoming!

Mark your calendar now and plan to attend

***Homecoming* on Sunday, October 1.**

There are postcards on the information tables for you to invite family and friends who have been influenced by Groffdale.



Sunday, Oct. 1, 2017

Homecoming

Groffdale Mennonite Church

Celebrating 300 years of God's Faithfulness!

The New Pictorial Directory Has Arrived!

***A special thank you to Levi Hoover
for taking the photographs for the
directory!!!***



You are welcome to stop by the table in the lobby to pick up your copy. Please print your name on the orange sign-up sheet when you pick up your directory. The cost for the directory is about \$19.00 each. You are invited to help cover the cost if you are able. A basket is provided on the table for donations. Please make checks payable to Groffdale Mennonite Church. Thank you!

Lancaster Mennonite School Seeks Athletic Director/Activities Coordinator

Lancaster Mennonite School has an immediate opening for an Athletic Director/Activities Coordinator. We are looking for someone to bring leadership in several areas including: the total LM athletic program, the Mennonite Sports Organization, summer camps and rental oversight of athletic facilities at the Lancaster Campus. Candidates should have an understanding of Anabaptist/Christian values and have strong skills relating to people. Application deadline is September 1.

Persons of underrepresented racial/ethnic groups are encouraged to apply. For more information contact Miles Yoder at yoderme@lancastermennonite.org or call (717) 740-2423 (direct line).

 **September 9, 2017**

**Benefit Live Auction
& Silent Auction
Market Place, Yard Sale,
Children's Area,
Food Court, BBQ Chicken**


www.landishomes.org 717-569-3271



1 WEEKEND; 3 EVENTS

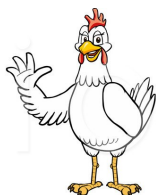
**Benefits the New Holland Early Learning Center
18 Western Avenue, New Holland**

Friday, September 8

Chicken BBQ—11:30 a.m.—5:30 p.m.

Meal—\$10; Chicken—\$5

Meal includes roll, chicken leg/thigh,
chips, applesauce, cookie and drink



Saturday, September 9

Yard Sale 7:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.

Something for everyone, stop in to check it out.

Cruisin' for Kids 9:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m.

Door prizes, food, drinks, DJ Rick Magee

Entry fee: by donation

**Fairmount Homes 28th Annual Benefit Auction and Barbecue
Saturday, September 9**

Schedule of events:

6:30 a.m. Country Breakfast by "Big John's"

6:30 a.m. Flea Market opens

8:00 a.m. Auction Registration opens

8:30 a.m. Singing by "Amish Youth Group"

9:00 a.m. Auction, children's activities, silent auction opens

9:30 a.m.—2:00 p.m. Chicken Barbecue (eat-in)

10:15 a.m.—12:30 p.m. Chicken Barbecue (drive-thru)

10:30 a.m. Candy Drop



*For complete schedule of events and more details,
please visit www.FairmountHomes.org.*

Homes of Hope Mentor Workshop

Friday, September 22, 2017

8:00 am—4:00 pm

490 West Lincoln Ave, Lititz

Cost \$65—includes lunch & materials

Contact Beth Crosby by September 15 to register:

(717) 735-7540, ext 3, or

bcrosby@loveinclancaster.org

*CV Homes of Hope is a great place for volunteers
that wish to help families living in poverty and want
to make changes.*

Fairmount Homes to Host AARP Driver Safety Course

September 12 and 19

8:00 am—12 noon

The cost of the course is \$15 for AARP members or \$20 for non-members and may qualify participants to receive an insurance discount.

For anyone who has taken the course less than four years ago, a refresher course will be offered on Thursday, September 14 from 8:00 am—noon.

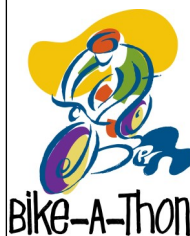
Please see poster on bulletin board outside coat room for more details and registration information.



16th Annual BR2RB

125 Mile Bike-a-Thon

September 15-16, 2017



Brochure is posted on bulletin board.

Register online at:

www.blackrockretreat.com/bikeathon

EVERENCE OFFERS FREE WORKSHOP

*My financial journey; integrating my faith
with my finances*

Saturday, September 9

Stumptown Mennonite Church

Presenters: Kevin Nofziger and Jamie Detweiler

8:30-10:00 Session 1: Living well within your means:

What does the Bible say about integrating faith and finances?

10:15-11:45 Session 2: The seven pillars of financial planning.

This is a free workshop, but please RSVP by Tuesday, Sept 5, to groffg@stumptownmc.org or Glenda at 656-7878.

BLACK ROCK RETREAT GOLF OUTING

Monday, September 25

Tanglewood Golf Course

Morning & Afternoon Sessions

Proceeds support the ministry of Black Rock Retreat.

Online registration is available at

www.brr.org/golf.

There is a limit of 120 golfers for each session, so early registration is encouraged.

See brochure on bulletin board outside coat room.

