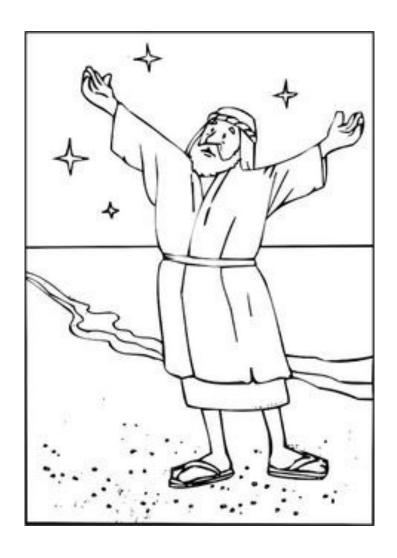
# Groffdale Mennonite Church



**September 24, 2017** 

#### **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!

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

9:00 a.m. Sunday School



Prelude—Bob Mohler

10:00 a.m. Worship Service

Welcome and Announcements—Tom Eshleman

Opening Hymn—Henry Youndt

Call to Worship

Worship in Song—Sara Frey

Children's Time—Rick and Ruthie Umble

Offering: Leadership Support Offertory—Bob Mohler *The children will be collecting funds for Mennonite Disaster Service.* 

Scripture reading

Sermon—Pastor Austin Horning

"Homecoming in Surrender"

Scripture text: Genesis 22:1-14

Responding in song

Prayer and Benediction



#### Serving Today:

Greeters—Glenn and Helen Hershey
Ushers—Clete and Diane Weaver
Projectionist—Tanner Eshleman
Sound Technician—Harold Musselman
Nursery: 10:00—Jennifer Eshleman



## Give thanks to God for:

 Meaningful experiences for Junior and Senior Youth this past Wednesday night.



## Bring these situations to God in prayer:

- John Shertzer who is recovering from a broken leg (tibia).
- God's continued healing for Doris Mohler and Curvin Buchen who are experiencing pain from shingles.
- Our sisters, Natassa from Indonesia and Pamela from Kenya, who are worshiping with us this morning.
- ◆ God's blessing on our Homecoming worship service and meal planned for next Sunday, October 1.
- God's healing for Jessica Long who is experiencing kidney disease.
   Pray for the benefit planned for Saturday, October 14 to raise funds for her medical costs.
- God's continued blessing on Promise Learning Center teachers and students.
- ◆ Those who are experiencing loss and devastation from the earthquake in Mexico and hurricane Maria in Puerto Rico.
- Peace for our world. Pray wisdom and restraint for North Korean leader, Kim Jong-un and U.S President Donald Trump.



#### **Events This Week**

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

Friday: Education Team, 10:00 a.m. at the church

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

## Next Sunday, October 1, 2017—Homecoming!

Prelude/Offertory: Joe Jaskolka
Worship Leader: Austin Horning
Praise Music: Jim Evans/Joe Jaskolka

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Ray Horst and friends Hymns: Special Music

Sermon: Roger Weaver Dramas

Theme: "Homecoming"
Projectionist: Diane Weaver
Sound technician: Dean Myers

Offering: EMM-Business for Transformation/Groffdale supported missions/

Leola Home of Hope

Greeters: Dave and Dawn Moore Ushers: Glen and Joyce Shenk

Nursery:

10:00-Open



#### YOUTH WORSHIP NIGHT



Sunday evening (Sept 24th) there will be a youth worship night held at Bowmansville Mennonite Church starting at 7:00pm. Youth from Groffdale are invited to join with other youth in worshiping God together.

# Saturday, September 30—WORK DAY

Come and help set-up and get ready for Homecoming.

Time: 7:15 AM

Donuts and coffee for all volunteers!



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