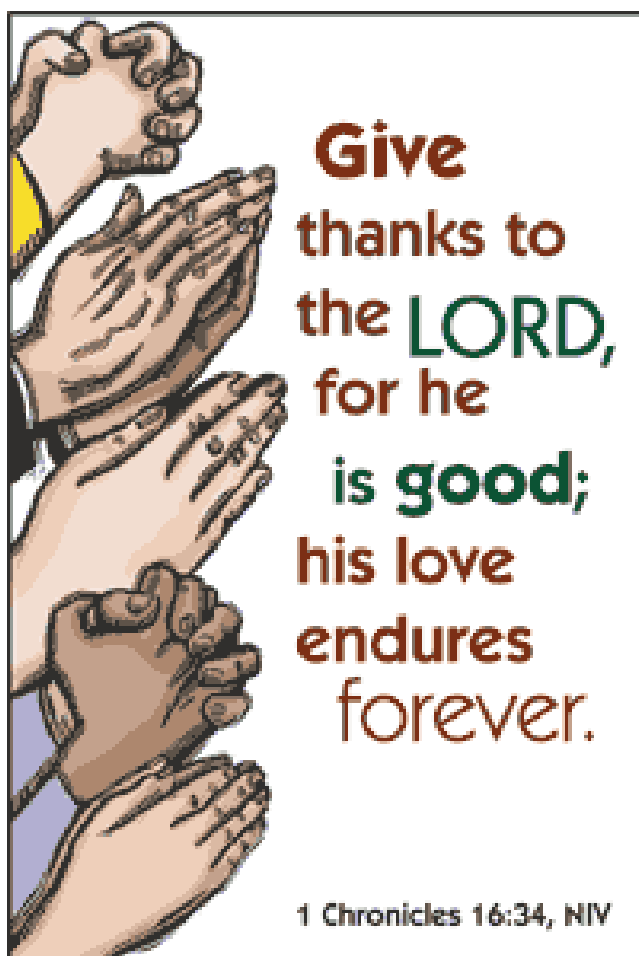


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Our Mission: To be a healing community of believers passionately committed to Jesus as Lord through worship, nurture, and outreach.
Every member a minister!

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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



Prelude—Rick Umble

10:00 a.m. Worship Service

Welcome and Announcements—Audrey Groff

Opening Hymn—Henry Youndt

Call to Worship

Offering: Leadership Support

Offertory—Rick Umble

Praise Music—Keith Stoltzfus

Scripture Reading

Sermon—Pastor Austin Horning

“Thanksgiving”

Scripture Text: Philippians 4:4-9

Hymn of Response

Sharing Time

Prayer and Benediction



Thank You, LORD!

Serving Today:

Greeters—Mel and Norene Martin
Ushers—Clete and Diane Weaver
Projectionist—Chadman Martin
Sound Technician—Harold Musselman
Nursery: 10:00—Steve and Sharon Nolt



Bring these situations to God in prayer:



- ◆ Our youth and Pastor Austin as they plan and prepare for their mission trip this summer.
- ◆ Our youth as they gather for a worship night this Wednesday evening with Carpenter's Community Church.
- ◆ Administrative Support Team meeting this Wednesday evening.
- ◆ Those among us who are traveling this weekend to celebrate Thanksgiving with family.
- ◆ Jessica Long in her battle with kidney disease.
- ◆ God's continued blessing and empowerment for the Promise Learning Center teachers and students.
- ◆ The people of Puerto Rico as they rebuild their lives after Hurricane Maria.



Events This Week

Wednesday: **Morning prayer group**, 8:30 a.m. at the church
Visitation Team, 8:30 a.m. at Landis Homes Rose Room
Administration Team, 6:30 p.m. at the church
Youth Worship Night, 7:00 p.m. at Carpenter's Community Church
Sunday: **8:30 a.m. prayer**—all are welcome

Next Sunday, December 3, 2017

Prelude/Offertory: Joe Jaskolka
Worship Leader: Dave Moore
Praise Music: Austin Horning & Youth
Hymns: Keith Stoltzfus
Children's Church: TBD
Sermon: Tom Eshleman
Theme: First Sunday of Advent
"Let it Be"
Scripture: Isaiah 64:1-9 and
Mark 12:24-37

Projectionist: Diane Weaver
Sound technician: Colin Nolt
Offering: EMM-General Missions/
Groffdale supported missionaries/
Groffdale Sewing Circle
Greeters: Dave and Dawn Moore
Ushers: John and Kathy Frey
Nursery:
10:00—Mindy and Owen Nolt



Christmas Cards and Notes of Encouragement for Brian and Krista Snader and family!!!

This will be Brian, Krista, Brandon and Lucinda's first Christmas serving in Nairobi, Kenya with Mennonite Central Committee. We as a church want to bless and support them by sending Christmas cards. We will be collecting Christmas cards on **November 26 and December 3**. You may place your cards in the basket on the table in the back of the sanctuary. We will be sending the cards with parents of the MCC Kenya representative who will be traveling to Kenya for Christmas.

In addition to the Christmas cards, we invite you to consider making a donation to their MCC Personal Drawing Account (PDA) account. 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. ***Thank you!***

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