

***Groffdale Mennonite  
Church***



***March 4, 2018***

# *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 - Joe Jaskolka

**10:00 a.m. Worship Service**

Welcome and Announcements - Kathy Frey

Call to Worship

Hymn - Glenn Hershey

Offering: Groffdale Missionaries/EMM/Transition to Community/

CVCCS

Offertory - Joe Jaskolka

*Children will be collecting coins for MCC's Food Projects*

Worship in song - Olivia Imchen, Teacher at Promise Learning Center

Scripture Reading

Sermon - Pastor Austin Horning

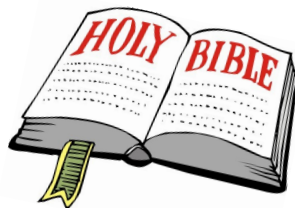
"It's all about Jesus"

*Scripture Text: Mark*

Song of Response

Sharing Time and Prayer

Benediction



### Serving Today:

Greeters - Dave and Dawn Moore

Ushers - Glen and Joyce Shenk

Projectionist - Diane Weaver

Sound Technician - Dean Myers

Nursery: 10:00 - Mindy and Owen Nolt



### Give thanks to God:

- ◆ For meaningful experiences over the past month with Antonio Ulloa on Wednesday evenings.
- ◆ Fred Reeser and Miriam Weaver are recovering well at home.

### Bring these situations to God in prayer:

- ◆ John Shertzer, who underwent a heart catheterization on Friday, March 2.
- ◆ Eugene and Thelma Eberly as Eugene goes through rehabilitation at Maple Farms in Akron.
- ◆ God's healing for Kathy Frey who underwent carpal tunnel surgery on Friday.
- ◆ Arlene Reiff who fell and broke her wrist and is rehabilitating at Health South in Reading. Plans are she will be discharged this Tuesday to Fairmount Homes. Pray for Arlene and Paul.
- ◆ Dave Oberholtzer who is a patient at LGH after suffering a fall in his home.
- ◆ Pastor Austin as he brings the message today as part of our Lenten series "It's all about Jesus." Pray God's continued strength and insight for Austin and Janelle as they minister to our youth.
- ◆ Pastor Tom worshipping today with the church in Orange Walk, Belize and over the next week as their team seeks to encourage and build connections.
- ◆ Pastor Samuel Mwangi who will be preaching next Sunday at Groffdale.
- ◆ Promise Learning Center teachers, students and for leadership.

### Events This Week

Wednesday: **Morning prayer group**, 8:30 am at the church

**Sewing Circle**, 9:00 a.m. at the church

**Junior and Senior Youth Group**, 7:00 pm at the church

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

## Next Sunday, March 11, 2018

Prelude/Offertory: Linda Myers  
Worship Leader: Dave Moore  
Praise Music: Jim Evans/Joe Jaskolka  
Hymns: Glenn Hershey  
Children's Time: Rick & Ruthie Umble  
Sermon: Samuel Mwangi from  
Carpenter's Community Church  
Projectionist: Trevor Lambert

Sound technician: Colin Nolt  
Offering: Leadership Support  
Greeters: John and Henrietta Shertzer  
Ushers: John and Kathy Frey

Nursery:  
10:00—Janelle Horning and  
Youth



Pastor Tom is traveling with Lancaster Mennonite Conference representatives to Belize leaving on **Friday, March 2 and returning on Monday, March 12.**

As part of his role as Global Delegate with Lancaster Mennonite Conference, Pastor Tom will be traveling to visit churches in Belize with Steve Shank from EMM and Bill and Judy Houser. Pray for this team as they prepare to strengthen connections between churches in Belize with churches here in Lancaster.

Please contact any of the following people with pastoral care needs while Pastor Tom is away. These persons will either respond to the need themselves or be in touch with others who can respond.

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