

Groffdale Mennonite Church

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SUPPLEMENT

THANK YOU for last Sunday's (May 27) and this week's Electronic Funds Transfer offerings:

- Leadership Support \$4,399.00
- Program Fund \$65.00
- Youth Group—Costa Rica Trip \$1,200.00

Happy Birthday

Jose Gavilondo—Tuesday, June 5
Lydia Riehl—Friday, June 8
Ryan Lambert—Monday, June 11



Happy Anniversary

Jim and Elsie Hanna—Sunday, June 3
Harold and Jean Wissler—Monday, June 4
Tim and Kris Good—Sunday, June 10
Kamie and Tom Graver—Monday, June 11

DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

June 10 - Message from Bishop Lloyd Hoover
June 17* - Message from Pastor Tom
June 24 - Message from Pastor Austin
July 1 - Message from Pastor Tom



*June 17 - we will be honoring the men of our congregation on Father's Day and also honoring our high school graduates.



Revitalization Update:

We give thanks to God for meaningful experiences at our first Revitalization Gatherings. Our next date is Sunday evening, **June 24 from 6:00-8:00 PM.**

Please note time change.

Everyone is welcome to attend!
Taste and see that the Lord is good.

Thank you!

- Clete Weaver and Dale Weaver for installing the new handrailing at the front entrance to the church. *Nice job!!!*
- Kathy Stoltzfus for the "Welcome to Our Church" bulletin board on the lower level by the kitchen/all-purpose room. Stop by to see the pictures and learn how to say "welcome" in different languages.



Groffdale Sunday School classes will be meeting in the months of June and July.

Children's Sunday School classes (K-8) will be meeting together in the All-Purpose Room.

There will be no Sunday School in the month of August and Sunday, September 2.

CAMPING AT WOODCREST RETREAT

Dates for the camping weekend at Woodcrest Retreat are July 13-15. Cost is \$68 per campsite which includes hook-up for water and electric. **There's still time to sign-up for a campsite.**

If you'd like to reserve a campsite, please sign up at the information table in the lobby.



WORLD NIGHT MARKET RESCHEDULED

NEW Date, Time and Location

Sunday, June 10

1:00—5:00 p.m.

Buchanan Park (Buchanan Ave/Race Ave)

World Night Market is an event designed to promote the mission and vision of MEDA (Mennonite Economic Development Associates), a nonprofit committed to creating business solutions to poverty around the world.

This family-friendly event is free to the public and will feature six countries, local food vendors, a variety of activities for children, and a full music line-up.

For more information, visit meda.org/wmn.

FREE admission! Everyone welcome!

Copies of the minutes from the May 2, 2018 Administration Team meeting are on the information table. Please help yourself to a copy if you'd like one.



SAVE THE DATE

Saturday evening, July 29

Ice Cream Social with J and M.
Time and other details will be shared when available.



Lancaster Mennonite School has several positions open for the 2018-19 school year, such as Director of Marketing and Communication, Director of Annual Giving and Alumni Relations, Event Liaison, Spanish Immersion Teacher and others. See the LM website for a full listing and more information about each position: www.lancastermennonite.org/employment.

Persons of underrepresented racial/ethnic groups are encouraged to apply. Interested persons should download an application, then send the completed application and resume to Lorri Hengst at hengstlk@lancastermennonite.org.

Walk for West Africa Kick-off Event

Sunday, June 17 at 5:00 PM

Roland Park

North 11th Street, Akron

An information and fund raising event for the new building for the church and pre-school ministry developed by Beryl Forrester in Catel, Guinea Bissau.

Come out and support this worthy endeavor.

Fliers are in your mailbox.



MENNONITE CHILDREN'S CHOIR AUDITIONS

The Mennonite Children's Choir of Lancaster is holding auditions for the 2018-2019 choir year on June 11 at Blossom Hill Mennonite Church, 333 Delp Road, Lancaster. Auditions include matching pitch, singing in tune, using head voice, maintaining a melodic line while another line is being sung and singing one prepared piece of music.



The choir involves singers in Carol Choir, grades 2-5; Concert Choir, grades 6-8; and Chamber Choir, grades 9-12. The choirs practice weekly throughout the school year in preparation for a concert series in early December and in the spring. Singers rehearse Tuesday evenings January through April.

Prospective singers should schedule a 15-minute audition time slot by calling 717-540-383-9986 or emailing carolandconcertchoir@lancastermennonite.org.

MCCL is also accepting registrations for two non-auditioned programs that develop vocal skills: Prelude Music for children in grades K-1 and Choristers for grades 2-8. Classes are held Tuesday evenings from September through November and again in February through April. To register, contact Audrey Livengood at 717-455-7025 or mccl@lancastermennonite.org.

The mission of MCCL is "training children and youth to glorify Jesus Christ through excellent choral singing." This program of Lancaster Mennonite School is open to the community. For more information, visit www.mennonitechorenschoir.org.

