

Groffdale Mennonite Church

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SUPPLEMENT

THANK YOU for last Sunday's (June 24) and this week's Electronic Funds Transfer offerings:

- Program Fund \$3,789.00
- Leadership Support \$230.00
- Youth Group—Costa Rica Trip \$250.00

Happy Birthday

Charles Bauman—Sunday, July 1
Glenn Hershey—Tuesday, July 3
Ray Horst—Wednesday, July 4
Kathy Weaver Wenger—Wednesday, July 4
Jim Hanna—Friday, July 6
John Frey—Saturday, July 7
Sara Frey—Monday, July 9



Happy 60th Anniversary

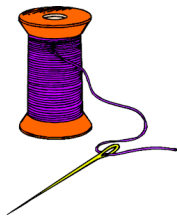
John and Ruth Zimmerman—Thursday, July 5



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Next Sunday, July 8 - J and M will be sharing during Sunday School.

Any classes that want to join this special time of sharing in the All Purpose room are welcome.



Sewing circle will not be meeting in July.

DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

July 8 - Message from Pastor Tom

July 15 - Worship Service at Woodcrest Retreat
(No Sunday School on July 15)

July 22 - Youth will be sharing about their Costa Rica trip
10:00 am Worship Service

7:00 pm - Special time of sharing about their mission trip and ice cream social.

July 29—Message from Pastor Tom



Volunteers needed to help with mulching at the church

Saturday, July 7

8:30 am

Any help would be much appreciated!



WOODCREST FAMILY ACTIVITIES

Saturday evening July 14



We invite you to some fun activities at Woodcrest on Saturday evening July 14. There will be a softball game at 6:30 at the Poplar View pavilion at the top of the hill beyond the swimming pool.

All are welcome to watch or play! Bring friends to make the game more fun! At 8:00 everyone is invited to the campsites near Indian Rock where we will have camp fires, smores and hot dogs.



We look forward to a fun evening together!

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.



Trip to Phillies Baseball Game

Tuesday evening, July 24
Phillies vs. Los Angeles Dodgers
Cost: \$35 (includes transportation)
Everyone is invited!

Please sign up during the month of June. We will place our ticket order on Monday, July 2. The price of \$35 includes a ticket and transportation. The church will supplement the actual costs of the trip, but anyone can feel free to contribute more as they desire. You may either sign up at the church or email Joyce at churchoffice@groffdale.com.

Fundraiser for Weaver Family

Please support the Weaver family on **Monday, July 2**, as they host a fundraiser at Lickity Split in New Holland PA. Please give your family and friends forms to present at Lickity Split anytime between **11 AM and 8 PM** and 20% of the cost will go directly towards the Weaver family's mission work. Miriam and Darrel Weaver will give an update.

A form is in your mailbox. Extra copies are on the information table.



Experience the world at Global Fair!

Celebrate summer with international culture and flavor at EMM's biggest event of the year! An open-air missions and culture festival that represents the vast scope of EMM's global presence.

Saturday, July 7 from 11am-3pm
1849 Hans Herr Drive, Willow Street
\$1.00 suggested donation

Contact Jessica Fellenger at jessicaf@emm.org or 717-898-2251 ext 235, or visit emm.org/globalfair



Volunteer for Woodcrest Kitchen Ministry August 6-10

Two volunteers are needed each day (Monday thru Friday) to assist staff with serving lunch to the campers. There's a sign-up sheet on the information table in the lobby. This is a great opportunity to serve in the ministry at Woodcrest. If you have any questions, please see Joyce Shenk.



Potter's House Annual Pig Roast and Ground Breaking Ceremony

Saturday, July 14 at Still Water's Recovery Center
261 School Lane, Brownstown
Meal served from 2:00-4:00pm
Testimonies at 2:00
Groundbreaking at 2:30pm
Baptisms in the river at 3:15pm

Come out for a fantastic time of fun, fellowship and great food. The meal will include roast pork sandwiches, "Mama Elaine's Almost Famous Sloppin' Sauce, baked beans, cole slaw, assorted desserts and more. Suggested minimum donation for the meal is \$10 per person (\$5 for children 12 and under). The afternoon will include special guests, testimonies of victory over addiction, several baptisms, volleyball, yard games, water play in the Conestoga River and a great deal of fellowship. Bring a lawn chair and plan to relax.

For more information please see the poster on the bulletin board outside the coat room - lower level.

Questions? Contact Lanny Millette at 717-656-3222.

REVIVE INITIATIVE:

Reimagining God's Mission for the Church
Saturday, July 7
8:30 am—3:00 pm
East Petersburg Mennonite Church
6279 Main Street, East Petersburg

Join us for a one-day initiative with teaching, roundtable discussion, and workshops for churches, pastors, and leaders who are pursuing revitalization through Missional church transformation and leadership development. Sponsored by Lancaster Mennonite Conference and Everence. For more information and to register, go to www.reviveinitiative.com.

Registration is FREE and lunch is included, thanks to sponsorship.