

# *Groffdale Mennonite Church*



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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!***

**9:30 a.m. Pre-service Prayer Time** (conference room #201)

Prelude - Joe Jaskolka

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

Welcome and Call to Worship

Gathering Songs - Henry Youndt

*"Come We that Love the Lord"* Blue hymnal #14

*"I Sing the Mighty Power of God"* Blue hymnal #46

Offering: Groffdale Missionaries/EMM/Groffdale Sewing Circle

Offertory - Joe Jaskolka

Songs of Celebration: Glenn Hershey

*Scripture Reading: Luke 10:25-37*

Hymn of worship: *"We Praise Thee, O God"* Blue hymnal #99

Sermon: Pastor Tom Eshleman

*"The Ultimate Job Description"*

Song of Response:

*"To God be the Glory"* Blue hymnal #102

Prayer and Benediction

## Serving Today:

Greeters - David & Dawn Moore  
Ushers - John & Kathy Frey  
Projectionist - Diane Weaver  
Sound Technician - Dale Weaver  
Nursery - Kathy Frey



## Bring these situations to God in prayer:

- ◆ Pray for Sara Frey as she begins her semester at Cedarville University.
- ◆ Pray for all of our school students as they continue to transition to new routines.
- ◆ Pray for the family of Pauline Weaver (Steve Nolt's sister) who recently lost their father (Lloyd) and now their daughter Donna Snader.
- ◆ Pray for the family of Andrew Maines, former executive director at Welsh Mountain Home, who passed away this week.
- ◆ Pray for Robert Hahn as he rehabilitates at Lancashire Hall. Pray for Angela as she supports Robert.
- ◆ Pray for Harold Ressler as he regains strength at Fairmount Rehabilitation.
- ◆ Pray for Pastor Austin and Janelle and the youth as they prepare for the start of the new year of youth ministry.
- ◆ Pray for Bob and Joan Book as they grieve the passing of Joan's brother-in-law Don Bayer.
- ◆ Pray for those from our church family traveling this weekend.



## Events This Week

Tuesday: **Sewing Circle**, 9:00 a.m. at the church  
Wednesday: **Morning prayer group**, 8:30 am at the church  
Sunday: **9:30 a.m. prayer**—all are welcome

## Next Sunday, September 9, 2018

Prelude: Selected Songs  
Offertory: Rachel Gavilondo  
Worship Leader: Kathy Frey  
Praise Music: Keith Stoltzfus  
Hymns: Glenn Hershey  
Sermon: Pastor Tom Eshleman  
Theme: Who is my neighbor?  
Projectionist: Chris Martin

Sound technician: Colin Nolt  
Offering: Leadership Support  
Greeters: Glenn and Helen Hershey  
Ushers: Roy & Ada Burkhart

Nursery:  
10:00 - Glenda Evans



### **Coming in September!**

#### ***Sermon Series “Love your Neighbor”***

What does it mean for us to take seriously the command that Jesus gave us to love God with everything you have and **love your neighbor as yourself?**



Sermons will look at the story of The Good Samaritan, Mary and Martha, and Jesus at the home of a “sinner”. Let’s anticipate together ways God wants to call us into His plans and purposes in the places God has called us!



#### **Anticipating Communion in October!**

We invite you to prepare and anticipate sharing communion together as a congregation on World Communion **Sunday, October 7!**

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