

***Groffdale Mennonite  
Church***



**“On Earth As It Is In Heaven”**

***November 3, 2019***

# ***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

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

Welcome and Call to Worship: Andres Prins

Gathering Song: Rick Umble

“We Praise Thee O God” Blue Hymnal #99

Offering: Groffdale Missionaries/EMM/Love INC

Children’s coin offering for “Weekend Blessings” program

Children’s Time: Pastor Tom Eshleman

Worship in Song: Joe Jaskolka

Scripture Reading: Matthew 6:5-14

Sermon: Pastor Tom Eshleman

Title: “On Earth As It Is In Heaven”

Song of Response

Prayer and Benediction

***Everyone is invited to join us for a Soup Lunch Potluck  
in the all purpose room following the worship service.***

## Serving Today:

Greeters - John and Henrietta Shertzer  
Ushers - Glen and Joyce Shenk  
Projectionist - Madison Myers  
Sound Technician - Dean Myers



## Bring these situations to God in prayer:



- ◆ Lydia Martin and the family as they remember the life of Leon Martin who passed away last Sunday evening at Brethren Village.
- ◆ Dale Weaver as he heals from his dislocated elbow.
- ◆ Pastor Austin Horning as he returns today from Costa Rica where he was teaching at Vida220.
- ◆ Pray for God's provision of more people to serve as sound techs for our worship services.
- ◆ Our congregation as we gather today for our congregational meal.
- ◆ The church Finance Team led by Henry Youndt as they meet this Tuesday evening.
- ◆ Our special prayer gathering scheduled for Wednesday, November 13 at 8:30 a.m. here at the church.
- ◆ Bekah Groff and her fiancé, Jeremy Blackman, as they anticipate their wedding next Saturday, November 9.



## Events This Week

Tuesday: **Sewing Circle**, 9:00 a.m. at the church  
**Finance Team**, 6:00 p.m. at the church

Wednesday: **Morning prayer group**, 8:30 a.m. at the church  
**Youth Group**, 7:00 p.m. at the church

Sunday: **8:30 a.m. prayer**—all are welcome  
**Youth Barn Party**, 6:30 p.m. at 849 Temperance Hill Road, Lititz

## Next Sunday, November 10, 2019

Prelude/Offertory: Linda Myers	Projectionist: Chris Martin
Worship Leader: Kathy Frey	Sound technician: Dean Myers
Praise Music: Jim Evans & Joe Jaskolka	Offering: Leadership Support
Hymns: Keith Stoltzfus	Greeters: Elmer and Minerva Nolt
Sermon: Pastor Tom Eshleman	Ushers: John and Kathy Frey

### **Seeking Sound Technicians**

We are currently seeking people to serve as sound techs on Sunday mornings during our worship service. This is such an important behind the scenes ministry. If you are interested in being trained, please contact either Keith Stoltzfus (717) 286-8565 or Tom Eshleman (717) 669-4578. **Both women and men can serve as sound technicians.** Our goal is that no one person needs to serve more than once a month.

*Please join us in praying for this need!*

### **Special prayer gathering on Wednesday morning, November 13 at 8:30 am at Groffdale!**

Everyone is invited to join the Wednesday prayer group on **November 13 from 8:30-9:45** for a special prayer gathering led by Pastor Tom. We will be praying for our church and community! **We hope you can join us!**

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