

Groffdale Mennonite Church

LUKE 9:57-62

AS THEY WERE WALKING
ALONG THE ROAD A MAN
SAID TO HIM, "I WILL
FOLLOW YOU WHEREVER
YOU GO."

JESUS REPLIED,
"FOXES HAVE ~~HOLES~~
DENS AND
BIRDS HAVE NESTS.
BUT THE SON OF
MAN HAS
NO PLACE
TO LAY
HIS HEAD."
TO ANOTHER
MAN JESUS
SAID,
"FOLLOW
ME"

**BUT
FIRST
LET
ME**

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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!

8:30 a.m. Pre-service Prayer Time (conference room #201)

9:00 a.m. Sunday School

Prelude - Rick Umble

10:00 a.m. Worship Service

Welcome and Call to Worship: Kathy Frey

Gathering Song: Glenn Hershey

“Come, Thou Almighty King” #41 Blue Hymnal

Worship by sharing our tithes and offerings: Program Fund

Offertory: Rick Umble

****Children’s Coin Offering to benefit MCC’s educational programs****

Worship in song: Jim Evans and Joe Jaskolka

Scripture Reading: Luke 9:57-62

Sermon: Pastor Austin Horning

“But First Let Me...”

Song of Response

Prayer and Benediction





Serving Today:

Greeters - Dave and Dawn Moore

Ushers - Glen and Joyce Shenk

Projectionist - Trevor Lambert

Sound Technician - Dale Weaver

Bring these situations to God in prayer:

- ◆ Give thanks to God for the meaningful experiences our youth had last weekend at Camp Hebron.
- ◆ Our Vision Sunday and congregational meeting on Sunday, February 2.
- ◆ Pray for full restoration of health for Doug Hoover as he works with doctors to determine the cause of his shortness of breath and pressure on his chest.
- ◆ Les Martin and the family as Les experiences declining health.
- ◆ Ada and Roy Burkhart as they remember the life of Ada's sister, Ether Smoker.
- ◆ Pastor Tom as he preaches this morning at the baby dedication of his niece Gabriella Matute Eshleman at Blossom Hill Mennonite Church.
- ◆ Kayley Eshleman as she and her team adjust to life in Trujillo, Honduras.
- ◆ Daryl and Jen Hoover and their family as they anticipate returning to Costa Rica.
- ◆ The people of Puerto Rico in the aftermath of recent earthquakes.
- ◆ The people of Australia as they face devastating wildfires.



Events This Week

Wednesday: **Morning prayer group**, 8:30 a.m. at the church

Friday-Saturday: **Groffdale District Leadership Retreat**,
at MCC Welcoming Place in Akron

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

Next Sunday, January 26, 2020

Prelude/Offertory: Bob Mohler
Worship Leader: TBD
Praise Music: Pastor Austin Horning
Hymns: Henry Youndt
Sermon: Pastor Tom Eshleman

Projectionist: Tanner Eshleman
Sound technician: Harold Musselman
Offering: Leadership Support
Greeters: Mel and Norene Martin
Ushers: Clair and Pat Mast

VISION SUNDAY - February 2, 2020

- **Sunday School conversations and story telling
(discovering the gifts in one another)**
- **Worship Service focusing on God's mission
for the church
(Matthew 9 - Ask the Lord of the Harvest)**
- **Fellowship Meal and Congregational Meeting
(Please bring one large dish to share)**



**Plan to join us for this important
event in our church life!**

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