

Groffdale Mennonite Church



Blessed

IS THE ONE
WHO COMES
IN THE NAME
OF THE LORD.
—*Matthew 21:9*

March 28, 2021

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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!

9:00 a.m.—Zoom Sunday School

9:00 a.m.—In person Sunday School in the all-purpose room

9:50 - 10:00 a.m. - Prelude by Bob Mohler

Welcome and Call to Worship: Krista Snader

Processional and Gathering Song: “Hosanna in the Highest”

Sharing our Tithes and Offerings: MCC and MDS

Coin Collection: MCC’s My Coins Count

Canned Food Collection: CVCCS

Offertory: Bob Mohler

Scripture Memory Time for Everyone

Scripture Reading: I Corinthians 12: 12-27

Sermon: Pastor Richard Buckwalter

“Eyes and ears; hands and feet”

Song of Response: “Many Gifts, One Spirit”

Prayer and Benediction

10 minute break

Congregational singing led by Henry Youndt





Serving Today:

Ushers - Glenn and Helen Hershey
Projectionist - Tanner Eshleman
Sound Technician - Harold Musselman

Bring these situations to God in prayer:

- Eugene Eberly who was hospitalized this week at LGH. Pray for Eugene and Thelma during this difficult time.
- Pray for renewed health for Doug Hoover.
- John Shertzler as he anticipates hernia repair surgery on Wednesday, March 31.
- Pray for healing and health for Nathan Longenecker (Pastor Tom's nephew) as he battles a brain tumor and for his parents, Lynn and Laurie Longenecker and siblings, Jesse and Maria during this very challenging time.
- Andres Prins as he ministers in El Salvador and for Angelica here at home.
- Becki in the midst of job transitions and challenges in the Middle East.
- Our congregational worship experiences during Holy Week. Pray that we would experience the love of God in a deep and meaningful way.
- All those who knew and loved Beryl Forrester who passed away March 2 in West Africa. (His memorial service will be held at Groffdale on Sunday afternoon, March 28 at 3:00).

Events This Week

Today: **Drive through collection** for MCC coins and CVCCS canned food, 12:00 noon-1:00 p.m. at the church.
Wednesday: **Morning prayer group**, 8:30 a.m. at the church
Thursday: **Maundy Thursday Communion** - 6:00PM-7:00PM
Drive-thru/walk thru at the church
Friday: **Day of Prayer and Fasting**

EASTER - Sunday, April 4, 2021

Worship Leader: Andres Prins
Sermon: Pastor Tom Eshleman
Prelude/offertory: Joe Jaskolka
Worship Music: Keith Stoltzfus
and team

Projectionist: Diane Weaver
Sound technician: Clair Mast
Offering: Groffdale Missionaries,
EMM, Groffdale Sewing Circle
Ushers: Glen and Joyce Shenk



Groffdale leadership invites the congregation to join us in prayer and fasting on behalf of our congregation and community.

Friday April 2: We invite you to begin fasting Thursday evening after supper and to miss breakfast and lunch on Friday, April 2. Our prayer focus will be Isaiah 43:14-21 as we pray for our congregation and community. In Pastor Richard's sermon on February 28, he reminded us that Jesus said, "*when* you fast" rather than "*if* you fast." As you miss breakfast and lunch, we encourage you to spend this time in focused prayer for renewal and new life in our church and community. What might God be saying to us through this time of fasting? More information will be coming your way about this special day of fasting.

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