

Note for guests and visitors:

We are so glad you are joining us for worship this morning and we hope you come again. We invite you to fill out one of the guest cards found on the back of the church benches and place the completed card in the offering plate.

Groffdale Retreat

July 7-9 at Woodcrest Retreat, Ephrata, PA

A team has been formed who will be giving oversight to our camping activities at Woodcrest Retreat July 7-9. If you would like to camp on Friday and Saturday nights, please make reservations by signing up on the paper sign-up sheet on the table at the back of the church or by contacting Keith Stoltzfus at knkjs@gmail.com or 717-286-8565. Costs of campsites are \$30 per night. Checks can be made out to Groffdale Mennonite Church with memo "camping" and placed in Henry Youndt's mailbox. Please place cash payments in an envelope with a note indicating your name and "Woodcrest camping".

This year we are planning to have a cornhole tournament. We will be holding it at the campground on Saturday evening with playoffs on Sunday afternoon if need be, depending on the number of teams. There is a sign-up sheet at the back of the church as well as one in the front vestibule on the table under the mailboxes. Teams can be spouses, friends, or if you do not have someone to compete with and wish to play, we will put teams together so everyone has the opportunity to participate.

Nora Stauffer's new address:

Lincoln Christian Home
Memory Care Room 2
1307 Apple Street
Ephrata, PA 17522

OFFERING

Listed below are the totals for last week's offering and deposits. Thanks for giving so generously!

Leadership Support \$ 3195.48

Serving Next Sunday, June 11

Prelude: Linda Myers

Hymns Leader: Anne Martin

Worship Leader: Richard Buckwalter

Sermon: Tom Eshleman

Projectionist: Diane Weaver

Sound Tech: Dale Weaver

Live Stream: Jim Evans

Camera Operator: Dawn Moore

Ushers: Glenn and Helen Hershey

Back Table: Rachel Gavilondo

Nursery: Ruthie Umble and Mag Nolt

Offering: Church Facilities



Pastor: Tom Eshleman, tome@groffdale.com

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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.

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Welcome! We are glad you are here!

Prelude by Joe Jaskolka

Opening Song led by Marv Smoker

“To God Be The Glory” (Blue Hymnal #102)

Welcome and Call to Worship by Krista Snader

Offering for Leadership Support

Children’s Time

Congregational Singing

“Great is Thy Faithfulness” (Blue Hymnal #327)

“I Stand Amazed” (Blue Hymnal #528)

Scripture: Jude 17-25

Sermon by Pastor Tom Eshleman

“Keep Yourselves in God’s Love”

Closing Song

“Fairest Lord Jesus” (Blue Hymnal #117)

Sharing Time and Prayer

Benediction

*Thank you to those serving in our worship service today!
Including Ushers Glen and Joyce Shenk, and those behind-
the-scenes: Projectionist Janessa Eshleman, Sound Tech*

*Brian Snader, Live Stream Chris Martin, Camera Operator
Mim Auker, Back Table Helper Dawn Moore, and Nursery
Workers Anne Martin and Jen Eshleman.*

Bring to the Lord in prayer:

Pray for James and Melani as they travel to PA in the coming weeks.

Pray for Lee and Lisa Zimmerman and their children Caeley, Lily and Elyse as they leave this Saturday for a three week trip to visit friends in Kosovo where they previously served with EMM.

Pray for Jackson Sensenig, great nephew of Glenda and Jim Evans, as he receives treatment for cancer at Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia.

Pray for the Saragih family as they move out of the 170 house this week. Pray God’s blessings of health and well-being for their family.

Pray for Loren and Danae and their children as they move into the 170 house in early June. Loren and Danae and their two sons are serving in Central Asia.

Pray for peace in Ukraine, Sudan and other areas of turmoil in the world.

Events this week:

Wednesday at 8:30am: **Morning Prayer Group**



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

José Gavilondo: Monday, June 5

Ever Decembrino: Friday, June 9

Brandon Snader: Tuesday, June 13

Richard Buckwalter: Wednesday, June 14

John Shertzer: Friday, June 16

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

Harold & Jean Wissler: TODAY Sunday, June 4

Tim & Kris Good: Saturday, June 10

KEEP YOURSELVES IN GOD’S LOVE (Sermon series from book of Jude)

This morning we begin a two part sermon series from the book of Jude. This epistle may be short but it packs a powerful message of God’s grace and mercy. The first part of the book brings warning and judgment but culminates in a beautiful proclamation of God’s love and sustaining grace.