

**CHURCH CALENDAR** (please visit [www.maplegrovecm.com](http://www.maplegrovecm.com) for all events)

**TODAY...JULY 11**

9:00am Sunday School  
10:00am Worship Service  
Sermon: "Sinning Like a Christian: Sloth" Pastor Mike Clemmer  
Text: Ecclesiastes 1:14-17; John 5: 1-9  
Worship Leader: Matt Chambers

**NEXT SUNDAY....JULY 18**

10:00am Church Camp Day at Black Rock Retreat, Quarryville (details in insert)  
Randy Umble & Ryan Umble will be sharing.  
Worship Leader: Matt Chambers

**THIS WEEK....**

Wednesday 6:00am Men's Prayer @ Maple Grove  
9:00am Sewing Circle  
7:00pm Youth - girls @ Nolan & Nori's; guys @ Doug & Wanda's

**UPCOMING EVENTS....**

July 25 Elder Affirmations  
August 1 2-6pm Annual Corn Hole Tournament @ Tim & Carolyn F's  
August 15 Baptism & New Member's Sunday  
August 22 Congregational Meal & Meeting 2021-2022 Slate & Budget Affirmations

**BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS!**

7/11 Taylor F  
7/13 Gina H  
7/16 Caleb R  
7/18 Doug G  
7/23 Bella B, Karolina K  
7/24 Kaden K

**ANNIVERSARY CONGRATULATIONS!**

7/17 Taylor & Chelsea F, Ken & Marilyn U  
7/19 Jeff & Rhonda S, Nelson & Joyce S  
7/21 Pete & Becky B  
7/22 Moe & Laura S

**STAFF HOURS & CONTACT INFORMATION**

**Lead Pastor Mike Clemmer** office hours Monday, Wednesday, Friday; works from home on Tuesday, off on Thursdays. 610.593.9501 or 215.767.6582; [mclimmer@maplegrovecm.com](mailto:mclimmer@maplegrovecm.com)

**Worship Pastor Matt Chambers** office hours: Monday and Thursday, 717-593-9502; [mchambers@maplegrovecm.com](mailto:mchambers@maplegrovecm.com).

**Elders:** Arlin Kennel, Matt King - Lead Elder, Matt Ressler, Mike Weaver

**Treasurer:** Sue N- [esnafziger@verizon.net](mailto:esnafziger@verizon.net) office hours: Wednesday morning

**Secretary:** Marilyn U- 610-593-6658; [info@maplegrovecm.com](mailto:info@maplegrovecm.com); office hours: Monday, Wednesday Thursday, Friday: 8:30-1:30; off Tuesdays. Please send all bulletin and Sunday morning announcements by **Thursday, Noon.**

**Preschool Director:** Wendy Dougherty: [maplegrovecpreschool@gmail.com](mailto:maplegrovecpreschool@gmail.com). 610.593.1159

# MAPLE GROVE MENNONITE CHURCH

JULY 11, 2021

## OUR MISSION

*Loving God, Loving Others and Reaching Out*



**SINNING LIKE A  
CHRISTIAN**

### SLOTH

*"If anyone, then, knows the good they ought to do and doesn't do it, it is sin for them."*

*James 4:17*

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# A WARM WELCOME TO EVERYONE!

## GUEST INFORMATION

You may fill out a Connection Card at the Welcome Center. Cards are used to share congregational and/or confidential prayer & praise items with our prayer team, request a church mailbox and/or include you in church information emails, phone calls & texts. Hand in your card at the Welcome Center or drop them in the offering kiosks.

## 9:00AM SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES MEET

## 10:00AM WORSHIP SERVICE

During the worship service, unstaffed childcare facilities with live service streaming are available and located in:

Room 106 (infants to 1 year) crib nursery at the rear of the sanctuary.

Room 102 (ages 1-4) off the foyer.

**MISSIONARY SHARING** Welcome to Nathan & Laurel C (Chris & Elizabeth C's daughter & son-in-law) who are sharing their missionary experience in Cameroon during Sunday School this morning and again briefly during the 10am service. Maple Grove helps to support them through World Life in Africa.

**VACATION** The secretary will be out of the office next Thursday & Friday.

**ELDER AFFIRMATIONS** Pending congregational affirmation, Matt R has agreed to serve for another 3 year elder term and Nolan K as the second elder needed on the ballot. Absentee affirmation ballots are at the Welcome Center and may be turned in before July 25 at which time ballots will be handed out to the congregation.

**MG PRESCHOOL TEACHER OPENING** Little Bear class (2 – 3 yr. olds) is in need of a lead teacher. Classes are 2 days a week-Tuesday/Thursday from 9:15-12:15. Teachers hours are approximately 8:45-12:45 on most days. Class size goes up to 8 students with an assistant teacher and runs September-May. If interested in interviewing, please contact Wendy Dougherty at [maplegrovepreschool@gmail.com](mailto:maplegrovepreschool@gmail.com) by July 30.

**PRESCHOOL AGE CHILDCARE** Would you be willing to occasionally provide care for our Maple Grove children ages 1-3 on Sunday mornings during the 10:00am worship service? This would give our young parents some opportunities to listen without distraction like the rest of us enjoy. If just 24 folks would sign up, turns would only be approximately 2x/year. Men, women and youth over age 12 are all needed. If you are willing, please sign up at the Welcome Center or see Megan C.

**MEMBERSHIP & BAPTISM** Baptism is planned for Sunday, August 15. Please contact Pastor Mike or a Leadership Team member ASAP if you are interested in baptism or Maple Grove membership.

**FOURTH ANNUAL CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT** Sunday, August 1, 2 - 6pm @ Tim & Carolyn F's, 6321 White Oak Road, Christiana. A light supper and dessert will be provided. Please bring chairs along. Sign up your team at the Welcome Center.

**PREGNANCY RESOURCES AT CORNERSTONE GAP** Joyce Peifer, LPN and Clinic Director has retired. With this transition, Kristi Martin, Administrative & Events Assistant, looks forward to sharing the praise & prayer concerns at Cornerstone with us.

**CHURCH TREASURER POSITION OPENING** Sue N will be finished as church treasurer on September 1. The job averages 3-5 hours per week and pays \$65.00/ week. A job description is at the Welcome Center. We are very thankful to Sue for her years of service! Contact Doug L if you are interested @610-637-4618.

## PRAYER LIST

Prayer concerns are listed for 4 weeks after which you may call the office to continue. Prayer concerns are shared weekly with those of our congregation who commit to pray.

### Please pray for:

#### Maple Grove Leadership Team & Lay Ministers.

**Gina H** - ongoing chemotherapy following her March 24 surgery.

**Matt K** - recovering from ACL surgery May 14.

**Dawn M (& parents John & Sara S)**-Dawn is beginning 16 weeks of chemo treatments. Pray for strength for all the family.

**Rich & Sue R** - healing, strength & wisdom for Sue's cancer journey.

**Mike & Stephanie W** - ongoing cancer treatment for Stephanie and shoulder replacement surgery for Mike.

**Hannah W** - healing from back surgery on May 28.

### LOCAL MISSIONS

Bridge of Hope

Cornerstone Pregnancy Resources

Eastern Mennonite Missions

Maple Grove Preschool

Parkesburg Point

PCCO (Parkesburg Community Churches Outreach)

Southern Chester County Young Life

Welsh Mountain Home



### MISSIONARIES

Nathan & Laurel C- World Life in Africa

Garry & Ruth - EMM in Israel

David & Dawnell G - Commission to Every Nation in Mexico

Kandace G - EMM in Cambodia

Lindsey G - CRU West Chester University

Mike & Sharyn K - Powered to Move in Texas

Randal K Family - Modern Day in Italy

Dale & Kathy M - YWAM Virginia & Chile

Jon & Amanda R - CRU West Chester University

Randy & Melanie U - Reach Beyond in Mexico

Mentor & Erinda Z - CRU in Albania - congrats on a second daughter in June!

July 4 Attendance: 162

June monthly offerings: \$ 30,109.76