

CHURCH CALENDAR (please visit www.maplegrovemc.com for all events)

TODAY... April 11

9:00am Sunday School

10:00am Worship Service

Sermon: "The Road from Jerusalem" Luke 24:13-35 Matt Chambers

Worship Leader: Becky B

NEXT SUNDAY...April 18 Galatians Series: *Choosing Freedom*

9:00am Sunday School

10:00am Worship Service

Sermon: "One True Gospel" Galatians 1 Pastor Mike Clemmer

Worship Leader: Matt Chambers

Quiz Teams Recognition

Food Cupboard Collection

Wednesday 6:00am Men's Prayer @ Maple Grove

9:00am Sewing Circle

7:00pm Youth Group - MG Youth Room

7:00pm Young Adults

UPCOMING EVENTS....

Sunday, April 25 (rain date May 2) 2:00pm Quarryville Rail Trail Biking/Hiking

Sunday, July 18 Black Rock Church Picnic Day

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS!

4/12 Reid U

4/13 Robbie K

4/16 Sally M

ANNIVERSARY CONGRATULATIONS!

4/13 Vernon & Barb Y

4/16 Nolan & Nori K

STAFF HOURS & CONTACT INFORMATION

Pastor Mike Clemmer office hours Monday, Wednesday, Friday; Tuesday (works from home), off on Thursdays. mclammer@maplegrovemc.com; 610.593.9501 or 215.767.6582

Music Minister Matt Chambers office hours: Monday, Friday, and Wednesday mornings (works from home) mchambers@maplegrovemc.com; 717-593-9502

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

Treasurer: Sue N- esnafziger@verizon.net office hours: Wednesday morning

Secretary: Marilyn U- 610-593-6658; mumble@maplegrovemc.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: maplegrovespreschool@gmail.com. 610.593.1159



**MAPLE GROVE
Mennonite Church**

APRIL 11, 2021

OUR MISSION

THE
JOURNEY
TOWARD
JERUSALEM

(610)93-6658 549 Swan Road, PO Box 480, Atglen, PA 19310

A WARM WELCOME TO EVERYONE!

CONNECTION CARDS on the back of the pews are used to:

- * Share congregational and confidential prayer & praise items with our prayer teams.
- * Request a church mailbox.
- * Include you in church information emails & phone calls.

Please turn in your cards at the Welcome Center or drop them in the offering kiosks.

GUEST INFO If you are attending with young, active children, they are welcome to stay with you during the worship service. You may also use the unstaffed nursery (Room 106) at the rear of the sanctuary which includes a TV to watch the service online.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONGRATULATIONS to Dylan & Katelyn B on the birth of their son, Carson James on April 8! Clyde & Carolyn B and Cliff & Tammie B are the happy grandparents.

PASTOR MIKE AND APRIL are worshipping at Franconia Mennonite Church this morning where Mike is overseeing a pastor ordination.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS Next Sunday, April 18 is our monthly collection for the Octorara Food Cupboard.

WORSHIP PASTOR ABSENTEE BALLOTS are at the Welcome Center to approve Matt Chambers as Worship Pastor. As per our newly adopted constitution, a change in title (but not responsibilities) has changed from Minister of Music to Worship Pastor as he is now credentialed as a pastor with Lancaster Mennonite Conference. Ballots to approve this change will be available next Sunday, April 18.

MAPLE GROVE SPRING WORK NIGHT for building and grounds, Tuesday, April 20, 6:30- 8:00pm. Many helping hands are needed to spruce up the outside and deep clean inside! Bring weeding, edging, raking and mulch tools and buckets & rags for cleaning.

QUARRYVILLE RAIL TRAIL EVENT Sunday, April 28, 2:00pm (rain date May 5), Family Life Commission invites anyone to enjoy an afternoon on the trail bicycling or hiking. Entrance is at Quarryville off Rt. 372. Directions at the Welcome Center or contact any Family Life Member.

CHURCH DIRECTORY If you are a regular attendee or member at Maple Grove and want to be included in the pictorial church directory or update your existing page, please contact Laura R at laurajressler@gmail.com or 717.575.7904. Forms are at the Welcome Center and on the church website www.maplegrovemc.com. See Laura if you need a new photo taken. [Deadline is APRIL 30.](#)

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

THANK YOU to Harrison & Carolyn F for the beautiful planter boxes under the carport!

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 - healing after her March 24 cancer surgery.

Lantz Family - continued healing & patience for Dave.

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

Ken & Joyce S - Joyce's mother, Esther N, passed away March 16.

Chuck & Patti W - Chuck's nephew, Rob, died March 14.

LOCAL MISSIONS

Bridge of Hope

Cornerstone Pregnancy Resources

Eastern Mennonite Missions

Maple Grove Preschool

Parquesburg Point

PCCO (Parquesburg 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 - 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

April 4 Easter Attendance: 183

March monthly offerings: \$ 34,074.01