

Church Calendar (please visit [www.maplegrovemc.com](http://www.maplegrovemc.com) for all events)

### Today...April 28

9:00am Sunday School

10:00am Service, Wilmington Celebration Choir

Fellowship meal following the service

### Next Sunday... May 5

9:00am Sunday School

10:00am Worship Service

Worship Leader: Pastor Matt Chambers

Sermon: Pastor Mike Clemmer, Romans 5:3-5, "Obstacle Help"

## Looking Ahead

May 2... Golden Agers Women's Event, 12:00pm at Maple Grove  
May 5... MYF Dinner & Guest Panel, 6-8pm at Maple Grove  
May 8... Sewing Circle, 9:00am-2:00pm at Maple Grove  
May 8... No MYF

## Birthday Blessings!

4/29 Dave L, Diane U, 4/30 Mervin S  
5/1 Duane H, Rhonda U, 5/2 Karen K  
5/3 Marilyn H, Ruth M, Nathan S,  
Robin S, Chuck W, 5/4 Bradley B

## Anniversary Celebrations!

5/1 Tim & Donna T, 5/4 Mike & April C  
5/5 Alan & Pam R

## Staff Hours & Contact Information

**Lead Pastor Mike Clemmer** - 215-767-6582, [mcllemmer@maplegrovemc.com](mailto:mcllemmer@maplegrovemc.com)

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Office hours: Thursday and Friday.

**Administrator: Sarah H** - 610-593-6658, [administrator@maplegrovemc.com](mailto:administrator@maplegrovemc.com)

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**Treasurer: Wanda L** - [treasurer@maplegrovemc.com](mailto:treasurer@maplegrovemc.com)

**Elders: Brian H, Arlin K, Nolan K, Matt R (Lead Elder)**

**Preschool Director - Wendy D:** [maplegrovepreschool@gmail.com](mailto:maplegrovepreschool@gmail.com)



Please send all bulletin and Sunday morning announcements by Thursday at noon.



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# Welcome Everyone!

Childcare facilities with live streaming are available at **Room 106 & Room 102**. Room 106 is an unstaffed nursery for infants-1 yr. olds located through the doors at the back of the sanctuary. Room 102 is staffed for 1-3 yr. olds located before the sanctuary entrance on your right.

## Sunday School Childcare

Marilyn & Carolyn

## Church Time Childcare

Missy

## Next Week, May 5

Judy & Naomi Grace & Sara

# Announcements

## • WILMINGTON CELEBRATION CHOIR

The Wilmington Celebration Choir will be performing during our service today. If you would like to help support their ministry, we will receive gifts in our offering boxes on your way out of the sanctuary. Please join us for a meal downstairs in the fellowship hall after their performance!

## • KID'S CHOIR PRACTICE

Children ages 5-12 are invited to the basement during the Sunday morning service time to rehearse a song to be performed in the service on Mother's Day, May 12. Their presentation will include recited scripture from Psalm 139:14 and a song titled "*Fearfully and Wonderfully Made.*" Children will be dismissed from the service after worship to practice downstairs. Contact Megan C or Chrisy W with any questions.

## • ELDER NOMINATION

Matt R has faithfully served our congregation as an Elder for six years and has now completed his time of service. Please be in prayer for discernment and God's leading in the process of nominating a new Elder. Nomination forms are available today at the Welcome Center and are due back by next Sunday, May 5.

## • MCC RESOURCE CENTER

Maple Grove is invited to MCC Resource Center in Ephrata on May 16, Thursday at 9:00am for a work day. Men & women are invited to help.

## • WOMEN'S EVENT

Thank you to everyone who signed up for the women's lunch event for Golden Agers (70+ years) on Thursday, May 2 at 12:00pm, in the fellowship hall. There will be a tropical themed lunch followed by flower arranging. Please bring a pint jar for your flower arrangement. We look forward to seeing you there!

## • OCTORARA FOOD PANTRY COLLECTION

Thank you to everyone who has joined us in providing for the needs of our community by donating to the Octorara Food Pantry last week.

# Sharing & Prayer

Please call or email your prayer requests, praises & sympathies to the church office to have them added to the bulletin. You may also write them on a Connection Card at your pew and place it in the box at the Welcome Center.

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

**Middle East Conflict** - For God's protection against the violence.

**Elder Nomination** - For God's leading in discerning a new Elder.

**Maple Grove Preschool** - That God would provide a new director & classroom assistant for this upcoming year of preschool.

**Mike & Stephanie W**- Dealing with multiple health issues.

**Ken S** - Continued prayer for strength and healing.

**Mast S** - Dealing with health struggles.

# Missionaries

**Nathan & Laurel C** - World Team in Africa

**Garry & Ruth D** - EMM

**David & Dawnell G** - Commission to Every Nation in Mexico

**Kandace G** - EMM in Cambodia

**William H** - EMM Teaching Missionary

**Mike & Sharyn K** - Powered to Move in Texas

**Randal K** - Modern Day in Italy

**Dale & Kathy M** - YWAM Virginia & Chile

**Omar M Family** - Word of Life Thailand

**Jon & Amanda R** - CRU West Chester University

**Randy & Melanie U** - Reach Beyond in Mexico

**Mentor & Erinda Z** - Eurasia Partners in Albania

*Thank you for joining us!*