

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

**TODAY .... APRIL 23**

9:00am Sunday School  
10:00 Worship Service  
Worship Leader, Chrisy W  
Sermon: Nathan C, Zech. 4:6, "Close Your Eyes".

**NEXT SUNDAY...APRIL 30**

9:00am Sunday School  
10:00am Worship Service  
Worship Leader, Pastor Matt Chambers  
Sermon: Pastor Mike Clemmer, Acts 27:42-44, "A God Determined Legacy".

**THIS WEEK...**

Wednesday 6:00am Men's Prayer @ MG  
7:00pm Youth Group @ MG  
Thursday 7:00pm Worship Practice @ MG

**LOOKING AHEAD...**

Saturday April, 29, Ruth Chou Simmons Women's Conference

**BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS!**

Chris C, 4/23  
April C, Linda Y, 4/25  
Dave L, Dianne U, 4/29

**ANNIVERSARY CONGRATULATIONS!**

Arin & Lois K, 4/23  
Todd & Rita H, 4/24  
Erwin & Robin S, 4/25

**STAFF HOURS & CONTACT INFORMATION**

**Lead Pastor Mike Clemmer** - Office hours: Tuesday-Friday, the office is closed on Mondays.  
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**Worship Pastor Matt Chambers** - Office hours: Thursday and Friday, 610-593-9502,  
[mchambers@maplegrovemc.com](mailto:mchambers@maplegrovemc.com).

**Elders:** Arlin K, Nolan K, Mike W, Matt R (Lead Elder).

**Treasurer:** Wanda L - [treasurer@maplegrovemc.com](mailto:treasurer@maplegrovemc.com) office hours: Mondays, 7am-12pm.

**Administrator:** Sarah W - 610-593-6658; [info@maplegrovemc.com](mailto:info@maplegrovemc.com);

Office hours: Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday: 9:30am-1:30pm

Please send bulletin all and Sunday morning announcements by Thursday, 12:00pm.

**Preschool Director:** Wendy D: [maplegrovepreschool@gmail.com](mailto:maplegrovepreschool@gmail.com). 610-593-1159

**MAPLE GROVE**  
**MENNONITE CHURCH**  
**APRIL 23, 2023**

**OUR MISSION**

*Loving God, Loving Others and Reaching Out*



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## A WARM WELCOME TO EVERYONE!

Childcare facilities with live service streaming are available and located in:

**ROOM 106** unstaffed crib nursery for infants to 1 yr. olds located at the back of the sanctuary.

**ROOM 102 OFF FOYER CHILDCARE (AGES 1-3)**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### ● QUARRYVILLE RAIL TRAIL EVENT

Today, April 23 @ 2:00 pm (rain date: April 30) Family Life Commission invites everyone to enjoy an afternoon on the trail either bicycling or walking/running. Enter the rail trail off Route 372 before you go over the bridge into Quarryville; parking area is on the left-hand side. You may pick up directions at the Welcome Center or contact Matt and Laura R.

### ● RUTH CHOU SIMONS REGISTRATION

REGISTRATION ENDS TODAY.

Sign up @ [fellowshipsj.churchcenter.com](http://fellowshipsj.churchcenter.com).

Click on the 1st tab- Events and Registrations.

Scroll down until you come to - Ruth Chou Simons Women's Spring Conference, and click on that box. Follow registration prompts. (Cost is \$50 for adults, and \$25 for youth.)

Transportation will be available from Maple Grove, April 29 @ 7:30 am.

### ● BRING YOUR UNIQUE VEHICLE TO CHURCH

Family Life would like to invite you to bring any unique vehicle (antique, tractor, etc.) to church on Sunday, May 21st. We will be having a chicken BBQ lunch right after church and then the vehicles will be on display. If you plan to attend, please bring a side dish or dessert to share. Any questions, please ask Matt or Laura R.

### ● BAPTISM & CHURCH MEMBERSHIP

If you are interested in becoming a member of Maple Grove or getting baptized, please contact Pastor Mike Clemmer.

### ● SPRUCE LAKE WOMEN'S RETREAT

You will find a Spruce Lake Ladies Retreat Informational flyer in your church mailbox. Please note REGISTRATION IS ON YOUR OWN. This is a great opportunity to get your friends together, and get away to a beautiful part of God's Creation to worship and grow in Him.

### ● EXTRAORDINARY WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

Lancaster, PA, Sept 29 &30, 2023 @Spooky Nook Event Center. Registration is 90% full. Register online @: [ewomen.net/lancaster-pa-2023/](http://ewomen.net/lancaster-pa-2023/)

## FOR SHARE & PRAYER

Call or email your prayer requests, praises & sympathies to the church office for the bulletin. Prayer request and praises may also be written on the Connection Card at your pews and handed in at the Welcome Center. We have a group who faithfully prays for requests each week.

### PLEASE PRAY FOR:

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

**Those who have lost their homes in Parkesburg due to a fire on 4/9.**

**Randy U & Family** -Randy is still awaiting a matching kidney donor.

**Carolyn S** - Undergoing stage 4 cancer treatment.

**Barb Y** - Loss of sight in eye after an infection from her cataract surgery.

**Ken S** - Healing for his knee.

**Johanna J** - Recovering from back surgery.

### 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 Team in Africa (currently in USA for 1 year)

**Garry & Ruth D** - EMM in Israel

**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 (see prayer concern above)

**Les Y** - Ag Connect Moldova

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

**April 16 - Attendance: 193**