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

TODAY....JANUARY 8

9:00am Sunday School for all ages 10:00am Worship Service "Sermon: "Can You Hear Me Now?" Exodus 3 Pastor Mike Clemmer Worship Leader: Chrisy W

.NEXT WEEK JANUARY 15

9:00am Sunday School for all ages 10:00am Worship Service Sermon: "What's in Your Hand?" Exodus 4 Pastor Mike Clemmer Worship Leader: Matt Chambers Food Cupboard Collection

THIS WEEK

Wednesday, 6:00am Men's Prayer@ MG 9:00am Sewing Circle 7:00pm Youth Group@MG 7:00pm Finance Commission Meeting @ MG 6:30-8:30pm Quiz Teams Practice Thursday. 7:00pm Worship Practice

Thursday & Friday, Spruce Lake Men's Retreat

Friday, Jan. 13, 8:00pm - Sat., Jan.14 8:00am Sr. Youth All Nighter @ MG LOOKING AHEAD...

Sunday - Saturday, Jan. 22-28 Eastern Kentucky MDS Trip Sunday, Jan. 22. 7:00pm First Quiz Match @ Petra Fellowship, New Holland Friday - Sunday, Jan. 27-29 Spruce Lake Jr. Hi Youth Retreat

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS!

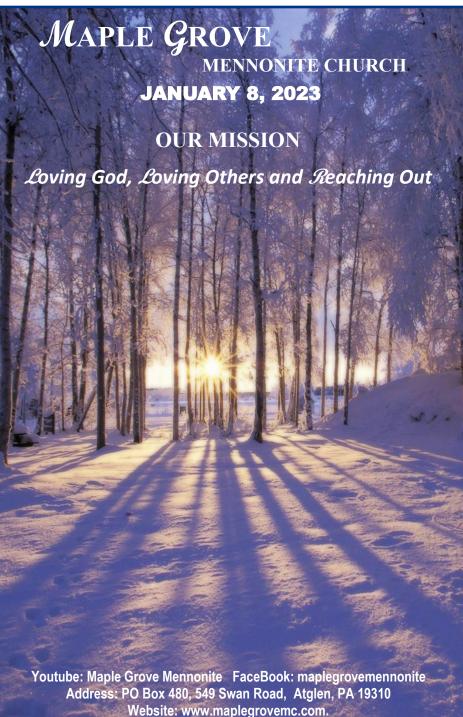
1/10 Kyle S 1/11 Arlin K 1/12 Ken U 1/14 Missy K 1/15 Moe S

STAFF HOURS & CONTACT INFORMATION

Lead Pastor Mike Clemmer office hours Monday, Wednesday, Friday; works from home on Tuesdays, off on Thursdays.mclemmer@maplegrovemc.com, 215.767.6582 or 610.593.9501 Worship Pastor Matt Chambers office hours: Monday and Friday, 610-593-9502; mchambers@maplegrovemc.com.

Elders: Arlin Kennel, Nolan King, Matt Ressler (Lead Elder), Mike Weaver Treasurer: Wanda Lapp - treasurer@maplegrovemc.com office hours: Mondays,7-12am Secretary: Marilyn U- 610-593-6658; info@maplegrovemc.com; office hours: Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday: 9:00-1:30; off Tuesdays. Please send all bulletin and Sunday morning announcements by Thursday, Noon.

Preschool Director: Wendy Dougherty: maplegrovepreschool@gmail.com. 610-593-1159



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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. old located at the rear of the sanctuary.

ROOM 102 OFF FOYER CHILDCARE (AGES 1-3)

8:45 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL HELPERS

9:50 AM CHURCH TIME HELPERS

1/8 Sally M & daughter 1/15 Sally M & daughter 1/8 Doug & Rachel S 1/15 Missy & Campbell K

If you need to switch your schedule, please call someone else on the childcare schedule you were given and then inform the office of the change by calling 610-593-6658.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

BABY CONGRATULATIONS! Colton & Stephanie K welcomed a new daughter, Rosie Jane, to their home on Tuesday, January 3, 2023. Siblings are Corbin and Josie and happy grandparents are Neal & Mary Lou K.

OUR SYMPATHIES to Rich R as wife Sue, went to be with Jesus on January 3. She is also survived by children Matt (Laura) & Megan (Matt C) and eight grandchildren. Please keep the families in your prayers during these difficult times.

YEAR END STATEMENTS You should have received an email from Planning Center contained your year-end giving receipt. See Wanda at the Welcome Center with any questions.

MENNONITE DISASTER SERVICE 2023 ANNUAL MEETING Feb. 10-11, 2023 @ The Worship Center 2384 New Holland Pike, Lancaster, PA. Be inspired as you hear stories of service across the US and Canada. Free meal and open to all but please register by Jan. 31 @mds.org/annual-celebration or call 800.241.8111.

SHARE A PUZZLE TABLE Donate a puzzle and/or pick up a puzzle from the puzzle shelf in the library. Put your name on the box if you'd like it returned.

BIBLE QUIZ TEAMS 2023 Teams have been formed and started practicing The first quiz will be at Petra Fellowship, New Holland, PA on Jan 22 @ 7:00pm. Keep these teams and coaches in your prayers as they study God's word.

<u>Team 1:</u>	<u>Team 2:</u>	<u>Team 3:</u>
Caleb R	Tori B	Mason B
Josiah R	Abbie F	Garrett B
Sterling F	Abby B	Peter H
Blaine H	Gabby H	Logan K
Coaches:	Kaylie R	Grant U
Chris & Megan B	Calli K	Coaches: Seth H,
	Coaches: Brian & Lisa	Sarah W
	H, Earl H	

FOOD DISTRIBUTION Ken & Joyce S's garage @ 438 Moores Dr., Atglen, will now be open every Friday from 9:00am - 5:00pm for food pickup. You will only receive a phone call or text if it is closed for some reason.

PRESCHOOL FUNDRAISER Check out the delicious Bundt Cake Fundraiser at the Welcome Center. Orders due by January 22.

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.

Duane H - pray for healing from hip replacement surgery on 12/19. Dave K Family - wisdom and peace as Sue's health deteriorates. Joe K, Jr. (son of Cathy) - pray for wisdom regarding his health care. Rich R & family - wife and mother, Sue, went to be with Jesus on 1/3. Galen S- surgery for a broken ankle.

Randy U - in US awaiting a kidney transplant. Please pray for a donor.

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 (in USA for 1 year) Garry & Ruth - 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

January 8 Attendance: 175 December Offerings: \$ 67,431.86