#### CHURCH CALENDAR (please visit www.maplegrovemc.com for all events) TODAY....MARCH 19

9:00am Sunday School for all ages 10:00am Worship Service Sermon: "Following Jesus" Matthew 4:18-20 - Pastor Mike Clemmer Worship Leader: Matt Chambers Food Cupboard Collection 1:00pm AMEC Quiz Tournament @ Lancaster County Christian School NEXT SUNDAY.... MARCH 26

> 9:00am Sunday School for all ages 10:00am Worship Service Sermon: Bishop Steve Weaver Worship Leader: Matt Chambers 6:00pm "Guess Who's Coming to Dinner"

## THIS WEEK...

Wednesday 6:00am Men's Prayer @ MG 7:00pm Youth Group @ MG
Thursday 6:30-8:30pm Quiz Team Practice 7:00pm Worship Practice
Friday 9:00am - 5:00pm Food Distribution @ Ken & Joyce S' garage
Friday-Sunday, March 24-26 Quiz Invitational Tournament @ Ohio
Saturday, March 25, 9-11:00am ham loaf order pickup @ MG

## LOOKING AHEAD...

Sunday, March 26 6:00pm Guess Who's Coming to Dinner Thursday, March 30 Adopt a Meal @ Parkesburg Point March 31 & April 1 Lancaster Conference Celebration of Life @ Petra Church

## BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS!

## ANNIVERSARY CONGRATULATIONS!

3/19 Lois K, Carly K 3/22 Clara B 3/25 Abbie F, Maria S 3/20 Bill and Diane U

## **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,7am-noon. Secretary: Sarah W- 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

# MAPLE GROVE MENNONITE CHURCH MARCH 19, 2023

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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 rear of the sanctuary.

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

8:45 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL HELPERS

9:50 AM CHURCH TIME HELPERS

3/19 Sally M & daughter 3/26 Sally M & daughter 3/19 Missy K & daughter 3/26 Glenda B & Mary Lou K

If you need to switch your schedule, please call someone else on the childcare schedule you were given. Call the office @ 610.593.6658 to update the schedule.



# ANNOUNCEMENTS

**AMEC QUIZ TOURNAMENT** Today at 1:00pm, our quiz teams will be competing in their league tournament at Lancaster County Christian School, 2390 New Holland Pike, Lancaster, PA 17601. Come on out and cheer for our teams!

MARCH SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES At 9:00am. Jr. & Sr. Hi guys through adult men will meet downstairs to be taught by Pastor Mike. Jr & Sr. Hi girls and adult women will meet in rooms 107-109.

**HAPPY 90TH BIRTHDAY** We celebrated Vernon U's 90 years of life on March 12 with a card shower. If you still want to send a card, you may do so and send it to the following address: 625 Robert Fulton Hwy, Quarryville, PA, 17566.

**MDS LANCASTER AREA UNIT ANNUAL MEETING** March 20 @7:00pm at Mt. Joy Mennonite Church, 320 Musser Rd. Mt. Joy, PA. Come hear inspiring stories and project accomplishments including Jackson, KY where our Maple Grove team just served. Snacks & ice cream to follow the meeting!

**NEW CHURCH SECRETARY** We congratulate and welcome Sarah W, who has joined our staff at Maple Grove Mennonite Church as our Church Secretary. We also thank Marilyn U for her many years of service as she had faithfully served our church. May the Lord bless each of you in your new adventures.

**LMC CELEBRATION OF CHURCH LIFE** March 31 & April 1 @Petra Church. Attendance registration is closed, but sessions are available to view online at Imcchurches.org on Friday evening @7:30 & Saturday 9:00am-3:30pm.

**LADIES' EVENT** April 29, 2023, Mt. Laurel, NJ. If you are interested in hearing best selling author/speaker/artist Ruth Simons Chou speak on living truthfully, please sign the interest form ASAP at the Welcome Center. Eight women will qualify for a group rate, and registration information will be distributed at that point (group registration rate is \$40/ person; which includes lunch.) Contact Missy K 610.563.3403.

#### MARCH 12 MAPLE GROVE QUIZZING RESULTS

	Win	Loss	Tie	Team Bonus	Quiz Outs
Team 1	0	1			
Team 2	0	1			Abby (1)
Team 3	0	1		1	Peter (1)
March 19 1:00pm @ Lancaster County Christian School					
March 24-26 PA/OH Quiz Invitational					

# 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. Bud B - his sister, Ruth B, passed away on 2/4. Kaycee K– complete healing from ACL surgery on 2/8. Randy U & Family - Randy is still awaiting a matching kidney donor. Carolyn S - Undergoing stage 4 cancer treatment.

### 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 - 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

March 12 Attendance: 195

February Offerings: 33,455.55