

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

TODAY...

April 28 9:00-9:50am Sunday School for all ages
10:00am Worship Service: Pastor Mike Lusby
Sermon: "Rich Generosity: The Grace of Giving"
Text: 2 Corinthians 8:1-7
Worship Leader: Matt Chambers
2:00pm Quarryville Rail Trail Bike or Hike (rain date May 5)

THIS WEEK.....

Monday 3:30-5:00pm Octorara Good News Club
Tuesday 9:30am Moms in Prayer
Wednesday 6:00am Men's Prayer Group @ Dutchway
6:30-8:30pm VBS Prep Night
6:30pm MG Youth Meeting-VBS Prep
Thursday 10:00am Prayer @ MG
National Day of Prayer Meeting at Parkesburg Fire Hall

UPCOMING EVENTS.....

June 1 4- 8pm MG *Jump Into June Community Day* (Carter Family Band Program- 6:30pm)
June 16-20 Vacation Bible School *ROAR* (see announcement inside)
July 21 Church Camp Day at Black Rock Retreat, Quarryville
August 4 Annual Corn Hole Tournament @ Matt & Missy K Farm

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS!

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

April 21 Easter Attendance: 197 Offering \$ 5050.17

STAFF & CONTACT INFORMATION

Pastor Mike Lusby is in the office Monday - Thursday. 610-593-9501 or 717.606.7289 or milusby@maplegrovemc.com.

Minister of Worship: Matt Chambers is in the office on Tuesday & Friday and some Wednesday mornings. 717-593-9502 or mchambers@maplegrovemc.com.

Elders: Matt King, Dave Lantz- lead elder, (contact him for needs @610.316.8871 in Pastor Mike's absence), Matt Ressler, Mike Weaver

Treasurer: Sue N- esnafziger@verizon.net

Secretary: Marilyn U 610-593-6658; mumble@maplegrovemc.com; office hours: 8:30-1:30 (off Tuesdays) *Please send all announcements by **Thursday, Noon**.

Preschool Director: Adrienne Fiscus: maplegrovepreschool@gmail.com; 610.593.1159

MAPLE GROVE MENNONITE CHURCH

EVERYONE WELCOME!

APRIL 28, 2019

Our Mission

Loving God, Loving Others and Reaching Out

THE NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER | MAY 2, 2019

★ PRAY FOR AMERICA ★

LOVE ONE ANOTHER

LOVE ONE ANOTHER. JUST AS I HAVE LOVED YOU JOHN 13:34



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A WARM WELCOME TO EVERYONE TODAY!

Connection Cards for your prayer requests and praise items are on the back of the pews and at the Welcome Center. Your prayer concerns will be shared confidentially with our Leadership Team and/or Church Prayer Teams. You may contact the office if you want to join a prayer team or if you have a prayer or praise item for the bulletin.

Connection Cards are also used to include you in any church communications of your choice- phone calls, emails or a church mailbox. First time guests may exchange the completed card for a gift at the Welcome Center.

You may also drop your Connection Cards along with your tithes and offerings in the giving stations at the exit doors.

CHILDCARE

Kindergarten -5th grade Children's Church will meet downstairs following the worship music.

Room 106 (rear of the sanctuary) is available for parents to use who have infants up to 1 yr. old.

Childcare for 1 & 2 yr. olds (Room 102)

4/28 Bruner Family

5/5 Lynda K & Diane U

Childcare for 3 & 4 yr. olds (Room 104)

4/28 Andrew K, Kaden K

5/5 Maria S

SUNDAY SCHOOL: April 28 "Serves" Mark 10:35-45

May 5 "Purifies" Mark 11:15-19, 12:41-44

ANNOUNCEMENTS

QUARRYVILLE RAIL TRAIL EVENT (rain date-May 5), Family Life Commission invites anyone to join them and enjoy this afternoon on the trail bicycling or hiking. Trail parking lot is on the left of Rt. 372 as you enter Quarryville. Directions at the Welcome Center or contact Erwin & Robin.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL ROAR JUNE 16-20, 2019

- **VBS Prep Nights - Wednesdays, May 1, 8, 15, 22** from 6:30 - 8:30PM.
- **VBS Set Up Nights - Tues. -Thurs., June 11-13,** from 6:30 - 8:30PM.
- **VBS Staff Training - Sunday, June 9th - immediately** following the service.

Contact is Bonnie B @ 610.656.3484

NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER Thursday, May 2. The theme is "Love One Another". Everyone is invited to a Parkesburg prayer meeting at noon at the Fire Station. Local Pastors will lead as we lift up our community and our country in prayer.

MENNONITE DISASTER SERVICE FUNDRAISER Join Ted & Company on Friday, May 3 at 7:00pm at Neffsville Mennonite Church (2371 Lititz Pike, Lancaster) for part theater/part auction for MDS. Proceeds will help rebuild the children's activity center in Puerto Rico destroyed by Hurricane Maria in Sept. 2017. Come prepared to bid on auction items or make a donation!

YOUNG MARRIED SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS Beginning on May 5, a new Young Married SS class will begin meeting. It will be taught by Dave & Nat L. Contact them with any questions.

MEAL SHARING INFO is at www.takethemameal.com for Wanda L who is recovering from surgery for a broken ankle and will be non-weight bearing for several weeks. User name is: Lapp; pw: ankle. Meals are at 5:30 or arrange an alternate time with Wanda @610.476.5937 or by calling Missy King @ 610.563.3403.

JUMP INTO JUNE Evangelism Commission is planning a community-wide family fun event on June 1, from 4-8pm @Maple Grove. There will be bounce houses, corn hole games, face-painting & yummy food. You will not want to miss the outdoor program at 6:30pm by the Carter Family Band from Alabama. You will be inspired by this talented family which includes their 6 young children. Flyers will be printed soon to invite your neighbors and friends. **A lot of work goes into planning an event like this so please contact the Evangelism Commission - Dean & Darlene G, Mike & Chrisy W, Vince & Jane K or Chris & Elizabeth C - to offer your help.**

DUTCHWAY RECEIPTS Don't forget to save your Dutchway grocery receipts and place them in the basket below the church mailboxes. Dutchway donates a percentage of our purchases to Cornerstone Pregnancy Care Services in Gap.

OCTORARA AREA FOOD CUPBOARD Maple Grove recently donated 22 lbs of food. The organization and community thank you for your donations!

CHURCH DIRECTORY UPDATES are finished and are in church mailboxes. If you don't have one, new ones are available at the Welcome Center.

PRAYER & PRAISE

Prayer concerns are listed for 6 weeks after which you may call the office to continue.

Prayer concerns are shared weekly with those of our congregation who commit to pray.

OUR CHURCH BODY

Leadership Team & Lay Ministers

Associate Pastor Search Committee

Elam "Bud" B Family - Bud's wife Dotty passed away March 16 from complications of ALS.

Anna Mary B - her nephew, Steve Hoover passed away April 17.

Sharyn K (wife of Mike)- scheduled for breast cancer surgery April 29.

Wanda L - patience and healing from surgery on March 27 for a broken foot.

Joe L - healing following rotator cuff surgery.

Joyce S who had a mild heart attack on March 19.

LOCAL MISSIONS

Cornerstone Pregnancy Resources

Eastern Mennonite Missions

Good Samaritan Services

Maple Grove Preschool

Parkesburg Point

PCCO (Parkesburg Community Churches Outreach)

MISSIONARIES

Garry & Ruth - EMM in Israel

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

Lindsey G - CRU West Chester University

Mike & Sharyn K - Powered to Move in Texas

Dale & Kathy M - YWAM Virginia & Chile

Monchy & Nicole R Family - Solid Rock in Dominican Republic

Jon & Amanda R Family - CRU West Chester University

Randy & Melanie U Family - Reach Beyond in Mexico

Ryan & Bethany U Family - EMM in Cambodia