

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

### **TODAY... AUGUST 13**

Sunday School 9:00am

10:00am Worship Service

Worship Leader: Pastor Matt Chambers

Sermon: Pastor Mike Clemmer, "Promises, Promises", 2 Samuel 9:1-13

### **NEXT SUNDAY... AUGUST 20**

Food Cupboard Collection

Sunday School 9:00am

10:00am Worship Service

Worship Leader: Pastor Matt Chambers

Sermon: Pastor Mike Clemmer, "Grief Care", Ruth 1:1-18

Congregational Meeting

### **LOOKING AHEAD**

**August 20...** Food Cupboard Collection & Congregational Meeting

**August 27...** Baptism Sunday @ Ken & Marilyn's Pond

**September 8-10...** Camping Weekend @ Woodcrest Retreat

## **BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS!**

8/13 Noah C, 8/14 Mike H,

8/15 Seth H, 8/18 Jossy H, 8/18 Joe L

## **STAFF HOURS & CONTACT INFORMATION**

**Lead Pastor Mike Clemmer** - Office hours: Tuesday-Friday, 215-767-6582 or 610-593-9501, [mclemmer@maplegrovemc.com](mailto:mclemmer@maplegrovemc.com).

**Worship Pastor Matt Chambers** - Office hours: Thursday and Friday, 610-593-9502, [mchambers@maplegrovemc.com](mailto:mchambers@maplegrovemc.com).

**Administrator: Sarah H** - Office hours: Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday 9:00am-1:00pm, 610-593-6658, [administrator@maplegrovemc.com](mailto:administrator@maplegrovemc.com).

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

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

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

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



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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 at the back of the sanctuary. Room 102 is staffed for 1-3 yr. olds located before the sanctuary entrance to your right.

## Sunday School Childcare

Carolyn F & Diane U

## Church Time Childcare

Bree D, Bella & Aria B

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### ▶ CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

Mark your calendars for a congregational meeting and fellowship meal on August 20 taking place immediately after the service. Join us to learn more about how our church operates and for some fellowship as one body of believers. **Please bring a side dish, salad or dessert to share.**

### ▶ CHURCH BUDGET

Maple Grove's new budget is released and will be discussed and voted on at the congregational meeting on August 20. You can find a copy in your mailbox or at the Welcome Center.

### ▶ FOOD CUPBOARD COLLECTION

On August 20 we will be collecting food donations for the Octorara Food Cupboard. For the month of August we have been requested to collect breakfast cereals.

### ▶ BAPTISM CLASS BEGINS TODAY

If you are interested in getting baptized there will be baptism classes held today, August 13 as well as next Sunday 20. The class will meet in Pastor Mike's office during Sunday School time. Please feel welcome to join this class as you live out the next steps of your faith. **The baptisms will be taking place after the church service on August 27 at Ken & Marilyn's pond.**

### ▶ COMMUNITY INITIATIVE

For the month of August all of the tithes and offerings collected at Maple Grove will be gifted to the following local ministries; The PCCO, Cornerstone Reproductive Health, The Parkesburg Point, The Factory Ministries, Tel Hai Camp & Retreat, and the Octorara Food Pantry. If you know of a local ministry that you would like to add to this list please talk to Pastor Mike.

### ▶ BISHOP INSTALLATION

On September 10, our new bishop team, Mike C, John D, and Mark W, will be installed at Willow Street Mennonite Church (399 East Penn Grant Road, Willow Street) during a service beginning at 7:00 p.m. Following the service there will be fellowship time with light refreshments.

### ▶ MAPLE GROVE PRESCHOOL IS HIRING

The preschool has a job opening for the Assistant teacher in the 3 yr. old Winkie Bear Classroom. It is 5 days a week, approximately 8:30-1:00pm daily. Start date would be the week of August 28 to set up for the school year. The Preschool classes start on Monday, September 11 this year and will run until May. Anyone that is interested, please contact the Preschool Office at [maplegroveschool@gmail.com](mailto:maplegroveschool@gmail.com).

## 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 hand it in at the Welcome Center.

### Maple Grove Leadership Team & Lay Ministers.

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

**Vernon & Mildred U** - On going health concerns

**Mike & Stephanie W** - Recovering from several health issues

**Les Y** - Going through cancer treatment.

### 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 (Currently in Kenya)

**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 (see prayer concern above)

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

## Thank you for joining us!

## July Offerings \$43,781.00

