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

TODAY, MARCH 28 PALM SUNDAY

9:00am Sunday School classes meet

10:00am Worship Service

Sermon: "The Agony of Victory" Mark 14:32-41: Pastor Mike Clemmer

Communion

Worship Leader: Matt Chambers Quiz Practice 3:30 - 6:00pm basement 6:30pm Final Quiz Match @Petra

NEXT SUNDAY APRIL 4 RESURRECTION SUNDAY

7:30am Sunrise Service 8:30-9:30am Breakfast

9:45am Easter Hymns in the Sanctuary 10:00am Easter Worship Service

Sermon: "Jesus is the G.O.A.T." Hebrews 9:24-26: Pastor Mike Clemmer

Worship Leader: Matt Chambers

THIS WEEK...

Wednesday 6:00am Men's Prayer @ Maple Grove

7:00pm Youth Group - Maple Grove Youth Room

7:00pm Young Adults

UPCOMING EVENTS....

Sunday, April 25 (rain date May 2) 2:00pm Quarryville Rail Trail Bike/Hike Activity Sunday, July 18 Black Rock Church Picnic Day

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS!

3/29 Payton B, Wade U 3/30 Chrisv W

ANNIVERSARY CONGRATULATIONS!

3/30 Doug & Wanda L

STAFF HOURS & CONTACT INFORMATION

Pastor Mike Clemmer office hours Monday, Wednesday, Friday; Tuesday (works from home), off on Thursdays. mclemmer@maplegrovemc.com; 610.593.9501 or 215.767.6582

Music Minister Matt Chambers office hours: Monday, Friday, and Wednesday mornings (works from home) mchambers@maplegrovemc.com; 717-593-9502

Elders: Arlin Kennel, Matt King - Lead Elder, Matt Ressler, Mike Weaver

Treasurer: Sue N- esnafziger@verizon.net office hours: Wednesday morning

Secretary: Marilyn U- 610-593-6658; mumble@maplegrovemc.com; office hours: Monday, Wednesday Thursday, Friday: 8:30-1:30; off Tuesdays. Please send all bulletin and Sunday marring appropriate by Thursday, Noon.

morning announcements by Thursday, Noon.

Preschool Director: Wendy Dougherty: maplegrovepreschool@gmail.com. 610.593.1159



A WARM WELCOME TO EVERYONE!

CONNECTION CARDS on the back of the pews are used to:

- * Share congregational and confidential prayer & praise items with our prayer teams.
- * Request a church mailbox.
- * Include you in church information emails & phone calls.

Turn in your cards at the Welcome Center or drop them in the offering kiosks.

GUEST INFO If you are attending with young, active children, they are welcome to stay with you during the worship service. You may also use the unstaffed nursery (Room 106) at the rear of the sanctuary which includes a TV to watch the service online.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES OFFERED

1 adult class (masked & socially distanced) - downstairs

1 adult class - Rooms 107-109 in back hall upstairs

Youth class- Youth Room

Jr. High class - Room 110 back hall upstairs

Kindergarten - 5th grade - Room 101 off lobby

Ages 2-4 years- Room 102 off lobby

PRESCHOOL FUNDRAISER Mark your calendars to pick up your Easter flower orders at Maple Grove on April 1 & 2. Info @610-593-1159.

EASTER FLOWERS If you would like to donate flowers in honor or in memory of a loved one, please bring them to the church the week before Easter. They will be displayed in the sanctuary on Easter Sunday, April 4.

CHURCH DIRECTORY If you are a regular attendee or member at Maple Grove and want to be included in the pictorial church directory or update your existing page, please contact Laura R at laurajressler@gmail.com or 717.575.7904. Forms are at the Welcome Center and on the church website www.maplegrovemc.com. See Laura if you need a new photo taken. Deadline is APRIL 30.

COMMUNITY DEVOTIONAL "TRUST ME" At the beginning of COVID-19, several churches zoomed together to offer mutual support and discuss best practices as they navigated what the pandemic would mean for their congregations. Out of these meetings, a devotional series, including writings by Pastor Mike & April, was created to encourage our congregations and communities.

"Trust Me" is available Monday - Friday from April 5 – May 21 and explores the promises of God. You should have received an email link this week to register to receive these devotionals electronically or to print your own copy. There are also limited copies at The Welcome Center.

OCTORARA GOOD NEWS CLUBS Due to Covid-19, instead of meeting in the school gym, the club will meet at Parkesburg Point on Thursday evenings, April 8 - May 13 from 6:30-8:00pm. They are in great need of leaders and helpers age 12 to adult. If you have a heart to share the love of Jesus with children ages Kindergarten -4th grade, please contact Sue Constable at lcandsue@verizon.net.

A MEAL SCHEDULE has been set up at www.mealtrain.com/trains/vezz56 with dates and details for Gina H following her March 24 cancer surgery.

PRAYER LIST

Prayer concerns are listed for 4 weeks after which you may call the office to continue. Prayer concerns are shared weekly with those of our congregation who commit to pray.

Please pray for:

Maple Grove Leadership Team & Lay Ministers.

Gina H - healing after her March 24 cancer surgery.

Lantz Family - continued healing & patience for Dave.

Rich & Sue R - healing, strength & wisdom for Sue's cancer journey.

Ken & Joyce S - Joyce's mother, Esther N. passed away March 16.

Chuck & Patti W - Chuck's nephew, Rob, died March 14.

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 Life in Africa

Garry & Ruth - EMM in Israel

David & Dawnell G - Commission to Every Nation in Mexico

Kandace G - EMM in Cambodia

Lindsey GI - CRU West Chester University

Mike & Sharyn K - Powered to Move in Texas

Randal K Family - Italy

Dale & Kathy M - YWAM Virginia & Chile

Jon & Amanda R - CRU West Chester University

Randy & Melanie U - Reach Beyond in Mexico

Mentor & Erinda Z - CRU in Albania

March 21 attendance: 193 February monthly offerings: \$ 30,129.13