The Food Pantry at St. Francis Sharing & Caring needs volunteers to check in clients, pack boxes, stock shelves, and load vehicles with groceries. If you are interested in volunteering for one 3-hour shift each month please contact Michelle Mock @ 814-242-5829.

Donations of non-perishable food items may be contributed for the St. Francis Sharing & Caring Food Pantry. Please place donations in the box in the annex. Our suggested food pantry items are applesauce & pancake mix. Thank you!

It has recently come to our attention, due to imposed Department of Industry regulations, St. Francis Sharing and Caring needs to spray all upholstered and heavy linen items before they can be sold. We are in need of a volunteer or group of volunteers to take over the task of spraying padded/heavier linen items that we sell in the store. Items would include pillows, quilts and other padded items. We do not have space in the shop, so we are looking for someone willing to take the items to their home or garage and return them once they are sprayed and dried. The spray is noncarcinogenic liquid and is harmless. If interested in being part of our community ministry, in this capacity, or if you have questions, please contact Kim Showalter at 479-3131.

January 10, 2021

| 28 | Sunday School |
|-----------|---------------------------------------|
| 46 | Worship Service |
| \$ 120.00 | Total cash offering |
| 2,257.00 | Total envelope/check offerings |
| 2,377.00 | Unified Budget |
| 27 | Number of envelopes/checks |
| 2,377.00 | Total Unified Budget (\$4,942 needed) |
| 40.00 | Parking Lot Fund |

May God give dew from Heaven ~ Genesis 27:28

To encourage companionship with Jesus Christ and participate in the life and work of the Church

DEW DROPS

January 17, 2021

MAPLE SPRING CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

106 Spring Road, Hollsopple, PA 15935
Phone 479-7062
E-mail...maplespringcob@atlanticbb.net
Webpage address...www.maplespringcob.org

<u>Mission Statement</u>: The living water of Christ wells up within us and overflows! It is our mission to be obedient to Christ by living in unity with one another, by discipling one another through the Holy Spirit and by reaching out to our neighbors.

| 9:30 a.m. | Sunday School Supt | Pat Shaffer |
|------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| 10:35 a.m. | Worship Service | Rev. David Bennett |
| | Worship Leader | Nancy Gindlesperger |
| | Acolyte | Claudia Shaffer |
| | Pianist | Pat Shaffer |
| | Organist | Connie Miller |

We will publish Pastor David's hours after he arrives and settles in.

The Secretary will be in the office

Monday - Friday, 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.

(Schedule may vary)

TODAY

Today we welcome our new Pastor and his wife, Joy. Pastor David Bennett accepted the call to Maple Spring in December 2020. We are also joined by their family. Let us make them feel welcome as we start this new chapter in the life of our church. God Bless you Pastor David and Joy as we serve together in His service.

WEDNESDAY

| 9am | Meet for Prayer |
|-----|-------------------------------------------------------|
| | (in the Prayer Room outside of the sanctuary) |
| 9am | Humble Hands ~ The PA Department |
| | of Health guidelines must be followed when attending. |

THURSDAY

The Board of Administration will meet at 7 p.m.

UPCOMING EVENTS

January 28 - Council Meeting 7 p.m.

All members of the congregation are encouraged to attend Council meeting.

The Water Cup is available in the elevator lobby.

The church Constitution has been updated. Copies are available for anyone who wants one in the rack in the annex lobby.

Humble Hands meets every Wednesday from 9:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M. We are in need of new members, please join us! We sew, cut patches, crochet, make school kit bags and so much more. Bring a sack lunch, we eat our lunch together and enjoy a devotion as well.

THANK YOU

I gratefully thank the Womens Fellowship for the delicious fruit plate. I also appreciate all of my church family who sent cards and prayers to me over the Christmas Season. Thanks so much, Emma L Thomas

Secretary Needed: The ministry commission is now accepting applicants for the secretary position. Please see John Unger or Nancy Gindlesperger if interested for more information

The **Ministry & Evangelism** Commission are looking for **Youth Advisors**. If you are interested please contact John Unger or Nancy Gindlesperger.

Please be aware that should attendance increase it may become difficult to social distance inside the church building which is why we are emphasizing the wearing of masks. Those who are uncomfortable worshiping inside the church building on Sunday mornings can listen to the service from their vehicle in the parking lot on FM 99.9 on the radio. Also, if you would like a bulletin or newsletter mailed to you or know someone who would like one, please call the church office. We ask God's blessing on each of you as we continue to serve Him.

Preschool and Junior Church are offered to children from 3 years old through 6th grade. The children are dismissed from the service and meet the leaders in the back of the sanctuary. After the service, the children are to be picked up in the Junior Church room after the service which is located up the stairs of the Education Wing and down the hall to the left. Zoom is offered for Junior Church children at home and takes place at 11:00 coinciding with the regular Junior Church service. It is by invitation only and requires a password. If you are interested contact Diane Bridge.

Diana Croyle's mother-in-law will celebrate her 100th birthday on February 5th. Let us remember her with a card.

Her address is: Garnet Croyle, Laurel View Village, Room 920

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