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

MAPLE SPRING CHURCH

of the Brethren

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September 19, 2021

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Our 2021 Prayer Partner Church is Moxham COB.

Happy Birthday

9/21, Don Tresnicky, 80 years. 9/24, Tom Moss, 73 years.

Upcoming Events

Sun., 10/3: World Communion Sunday

Wed., 10/6. 7:00 pm: Q&A CoB Information Meeting with Pastor David

Sat., 10/16, 9:00 am: District Conference at Camp Harmony

FOOD PANTRY

The Food Pantry, at St. Francis Sharing & Caring, needs volunteers for the Pantry (and the Thrift Store). For pantry donations, our suggested food items are applesauce and pancake mix, which can be placed in the box, located in the annex. Thank you!

CHURCH WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Sunday – 9/19

Preschool and Junior Church are offered to children from 3 years old through 6th grade. The children are dismissed from worship service to meet the leaders in the back of the sanctuary. After the service, the children are to be picked up in the Junior Church room, which is located upstairs in the Education Wing, down the hall to the left. Zoom is offered for Junior Church children at home and takes place at 10:45 coinciding with the regular Junior Church service. It is by invitation only and requires a password. If you are interested, contact Diane Bridge.

2-4:30 pm: Hope -N- Harmony Youth Choir

$Tu\underline{esday} - 9/21$

Day of Prayer for Peace 9:00 am: Humble Hands

Wednesday -9/22

First Day of Fall

9:00 am: Meet for Prayer in the Prayer Room.

6:30-8:30 pm: Youth Meeting at the home of Tom and Diane Bridge. We plan to continue youth meetings regularly on the 2nd & 4th Wednesdays of each month. Friends are always welcome. If you have any questions, please contact a youth advisor; Molly & Jeremy Stultz or Tom & Diane Bridge.

<u>Saturday – 9/25</u>

11 am - 3 pm: Maple Spring Community Day at the Grove. (Please share the Community Day bulletin insert with a friend or neighbor, or post it at your place of work, gym, or club.)

This Saturday, our church will be holding a Community Day at the grove. The Planning Committee has been busy the last few months preparing everything for that day. Now, we need your help. This is a day that we, as a congregation, are having for our community. It will take many volunteers to make the day run smoothly and be enjoyable for everyone. There are signup sheets on the bulletin board at each entrance, where you can sign up to help. Volunteers will be needed for both, the Friday night before the event, along with during and after the activities on Saturday. Please sign up to volunteer, when you are able. All help is greatly appreciated.

(All meetings/events are at the church, unless otherwise noted.)

Outdoor Revival Services

Windber Covenant Brethren Church (formerly Windber CoB)
Sept. 17-19 at 6:30 pm
Guest speaker, Frank Young & Special Music each evening.
Evening services outdoors in parking lot.
(In case of rain, services will be held inside.)
Bring your lawn chair.

LOVE OFFERING FOR LIAM HARRY DWIRE

Liam is the son of Derek & Gabrielle Dwire, born 12 weeks early on Aug. 7, 2021. Liam was 1 lb. 11.7 oz. and 13.5 in. long at birth. Our *Sisters In Christ* are collecting a Love Offering on Sunday, Sept. 19th to show our love and support for the Dwire Family, through the difficulties and triumphs that are part of the long-term care needed to bring a premature baby to full health, out of the hospital, and into their family's home. Please put Liam and his parents in your prayers.

You saw me before I was born. Every day of my life was recorded in your book. Every moment was laid out before a single day had passed. ~Psalm 139:16 NLT

MAPLE SPRING CHURCH REVIVAL

September 26, 27, & 28 at 7 pm

Our guest speaker is Pastor Joseph Caola, of Hopewell UMC. Sunday evening at 5 pm, prior to the evening service, a Fellowship Meal will be provided free of charge.

Revival will be at the Maple Spring Church Grove, weather permitting.

(Please share the Revival bulletin insert with a friend or neighbor, or post it at your place of work, gym, or club.)

Kaufman Mennonite Church

Nehemia Chigoji, a Mennonite Pastor, will be at Kaufman Mennonite Church to share about the Nigerian Anabaptist Peace Center and to lead a series of Renewal Meetings. You are invited to join us, as he shares at an informal breakfast on Saturday, October 2 at 8:00 am. Please RSVP (for the breakfast) bv calling the office at 814-479-7813. or info@kaufmanchurch.com. After the meal, Nemi will share details about the work. Kaufman is partnering with Nemi and the Anabaptist Peace Center by purchasing and sending a new tractor to Nigeria for relief work to aid Christians who experience extreme violence. We will also share a series of Renewal Meetings, led by Nemi, Saturday & Sunday evenings at 6 pm. All are welcome!

Sermon Notes: