## MAPLE SPRING

#### CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

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

# DEW DROPS

(Maple Spring Church's weekly mini-newsletter.)

May God give you heaven's dew and earth's richness ~ Genesis 27:28a NIV

January 23, 2022

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# <u>FYI</u>

Preschool and Junior Church has been cancelled, until further notice.

The 2022 Offering Envelopes are available in the annex lobby. Please pick them up at your earliest convenience. If you would like to use Offering Envelopes in the future, please contact Mike Seganos, Financial Secretary,

The January issue of *Water Cup* and *Daily Bread Devotionals* (Dec-Feb) are available at both entrances.

# IN SEARCH OF

The Trustees are in search of church members interested/willing to clean/salt the sidewalks this winter season. If you are interested, please contact Ron Punako at

Thank you.

# <u>Herald & Jane (Rummel) Griffith</u> Memorial Maple Spring College Scholarship Fund

Applications for the scholarship are now being accepted online for the 2022-23 academic school year at <a href="www.cfalleghenies.org">www.cfalleghenies.org</a>. If you would like more information, please take a flyer from the annex bench. The deadline to submit applications is Feb. 28, 2022.

#### CHURCH WEEKLY SCHEDULE

#### Sunday - 1/23

Sanctity of Human Life Sunday: SoHLS is celebrated every year on the Sunday closest to the anniversary of the 1973 U.S. Supreme Court decisions Roe v. Wade and Doe v. Bolton, which legalized abortion in every state, for any reason through all nine months of pregnancy, and has resulted in more than 57 million unborn children being aborted since 1973. President Ronald Reagan issued the proclamation creating the first National Sanctity of Human Life Day in January 1984.

5:30 pm: Children's Bell Choir practice resumes!

6:00 pm: Awana Club meeting resumes!

# Tuesday - 1/25

9:00 am: Humble Hands. Everyone is welcome to come join us in fellowship and service, as we continue to work on projects.

1/18-25: Week of Prayer for Christian Unity comes to a close.

#### Wednesday - 1/26

9:00 am: Meet for Prayer in the Prayer Room. Everyone welcome!

#### Thursday -1/27

7:00 pm: Council Meeting

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Sun., 1/30, 6:30 pm: Sight & Sound Presentation Jesus, Moxham CoB

Thu., 2/10, 6:00 pm: Core Leadership Team, District Office

Sat., 2/19, 9:00 am: District Leadership Team, TBA

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

#### **CHILDREN'S BELL CHOIR**

Practice is on Sunday evenings at 5:30 pm - 6:00 pm. Children may go directly from practice to Awana Club. The bell choir is open to all children ages 4 and up. Hope to see you this evening, **January 23<sup>rd</sup> at 5:30 pm**, when practice resumes, weather permitting!

#### **AWANA CLUB**

The AWANA program at Maple Spring Church of the Brethren will restart **January 23<sup>rd</sup>**, **6:00 pm - 7:30 pm**, weather permitting, for children ages 3 through and including 5th grade. AWANA is an internationally known Bible program to teach children foundations of sound doctrine and faith in Jesus Christ as Savior.

Adults volunteers are welcome. Please contact Karen Nagyvathy , Marge Bittner Maple Spring church office (814) 479-7062, or maplespringcob@atlanticbb.net.



Dear Member Congregations,

The Thrift Shoppe has once again returned to winter hours of operation:

Monday thru Friday-9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Saturday-10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Please watch WJAC-TV for weather related closings. We will be posting. The Food Pantry continues to be open the  $\mathbf{1}^{\text{st}}$  Monday and  $\mathbf{1}^{\text{st}}$  Wednesday of each month. Senior boxes are distributed the last Friday of the month.

Our quarterly meeting is 7:00 pm, Monday, January 24, 2022, weather permitting, at the Food Pantry.

And the world is passing away, and the the will of God abides forever.	lust of it; but he who does ~I John 2:17 NKJV
Sermon Notes:	