

**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*

**May 22, 2022**

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

Mon., 5/23, Nancy Gindlesperger

**IT'S GRADUATION TIME**

If someone in your family is graduating, please call me in the office and let me know. Be it high school, trade school, or college, we will be celebrating **Graduate Sunday, June 19<sup>th</sup>**, during the morning worship service. Please let me know, if you plan to attend.

**HOPE SERVICE**

**Our Hope Service is Sunday, June 26<sup>th</sup>**, during the morning worship service. You are invited to participate in this service of remembering and honoring loved ones, who have passed away. Please submit a picture of your loved ones to the church office to be included in the slideshow. Please include their name, date of birth and death, and how they are related to you. We would like to include individuals who were part of our church family, as well as loved ones who were significant to you, but may not be known to us at Maple Spring. Thank you for sharing together in this Hope Service.

## CHURCH WEEKLY SCHEDULE

### Sunday – 5/22

Hoss's Fundraiser for Camp Harmony.

### Tuesday – 5/24

9:00 am: Humble Hands. Everyone is welcome to come join us for fun, fellowship, and service!

In the same way, let your good deeds shine out for all to see, so that everyone will praise your heavenly Father. ~Matthew 5:16

### Wednesday – 5/25

9:00 am: Meet for Prayer in the Prayer Room. Everyone is welcome! Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer. ~Romans 12:12

### Thursday – 5/26

**Ascension Day**

### UPCOMING EVENTS

Mon., 5/30: Memorial Day

Sun., 6/5: Pentecost

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

### FYI

**The new *Our Daily Bread* devotionals** (June-July-August) and the May issue of *Water Cup* are available at both entrances. The congregation is encouraged to take copies to share with friends, neighbors, family, or anyone else they think would enjoy one.

**New boxes of greeting cards** are available in the office. Prices are marked on the boxes.

**The worship bulletins** are posted on the church's Facebook page, [www.facebook.com/MapleSpringChurch](http://www.facebook.com/MapleSpringChurch). If you would like a bulletin from a previous Sunday service, and none are left on the bottom shelf of the table in the lobby, please call or stop in the office and Melody will be happy to email or print them for you.

### SHOE PROJECT

Recent shoe collection and shipment netted \$1,261.20 for the Honduran Orphanage. Thank you for faithfully supporting this outreach! Please continue to collect and donate gently used shoes, crocs, flip flops, slippers, sandals, and boots (the heavier the better) for the next shipment. Shoes may be dropped off at Maple Spring Church's collection crate by the elevator, W Pa District Office, and also the Westmont Church of the Brethren. You may contact Karen Nagyvathy at \_\_\_\_\_, if you want your donation picked up at your home.

### NORTH STAR YOUTH OUTREACH

The North Star Youth Outreach would like to extend an invitation for you to attend the Baccalaureate service for North Star High School's Class of 2022 on **Sunday evening, May 22<sup>nd</sup> at 7:00 pm** at the high school auditorium. The service will last about an hour. Please consider this opportunity to support the seniors and the efforts of our area to provide a Christian influence in this manner.

### PIRATES BALL GAME

**Sat., June 18** the bus leaves Davidsville Community Church at noon. The price is \$36, which includes the bus and ticket. Deadline to register is Tue., May 10<sup>th</sup>. Please contact Tim Lehman at 814-421-1722.

### THE FOOD PANTRY AT ST. FRANCIS SHARING & CARING

Our suggested pantry donation items are applesauce and pancake mix. There is a collection box located in the annex. Volunteers are needed for the Pantry and the Thrift Store. Also, the Pantry needs "fill-in food pantry volunteers" to work as needed. If you are interested, or would like more information, contact Kim Showalter at 814-479-3131.

St. Francis Market, held at St. Francis Sharing & Caring Thrift Shop, is looking for volunteers to help with market activities on **Thursdays, starting May 26<sup>th</sup>**. Please contact Bob at 814-525-1224, for more information. More information is listed on the flyers posted on the bulletin boards.

