

**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*

**June 12, 2022**

**Trinity Sunday**

**ATTENTION COMMISSION CHAIRPERSONS:**

A meeting of all Commission Chairpersons is scheduled for **Tuesday, June 28<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm.**

The purpose of the meeting is for each commission to plan for a ballot for the upcoming July Council Meeting.

It is the responsibility for each commission to provide potential names for the ballot. Be sure to ask each potential nominee for their approval before submitting their name.

~Blaine Leverknight, Nominating Committee Chairperson

**WORSHIP IN THE GROVE**

Bring your lawn chairs, as we worship in song and scripture under the trees and in the open air. Afterwards, you are welcome to bring a dish to pass, as we fellowship together.

Invite a friend or neighbor! Hope to see you there!

Worship-in-the-Grove Dates: June 19<sup>th</sup>, July 17<sup>th</sup>, Aug. 14<sup>th</sup>, Sept. 11<sup>th</sup>

Covered dish meal following service. Beverage and table settings provided.

Games for the children, following the meal!

## CHURCH WEEKLY SCHEDULE

### Sunday – 6/12

Trinity Sunday. Let us celebrate and worship Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

### Tuesday – 6/14

Flag Day

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 – 6/15

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

### UPCOMING EVENTS

Sat., 6/18, 7 – 11 am: Maple Spring Church's Pancake Breakfast, Please invite any first responders you know to come and have breakfast on us, as a token of our appreciation!

Sun., 6/19: Father's Day, Graduate Sunday, & Worship at the Grove!

Sun., 6/26: Hope Service

Tue., 6/28, 7:00 pm: Meeting of Commission Chairpersons.

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

### FYI

**The new June issue of *Water Cup* and the new *Our Daily Bread* devotionals** (June-July-August) 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.

## **IT'S GRADUATION TIME**

If someone in your family is graduating, please call the office and let us 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 us know, if the graduate plans 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.

## **LOOKING FOR DONATIONS**



We are looking for donations of new OR used small flower pots, 1 bag of potting soil, and 2 flats of small flowers or house plants. Flowers will be given to shut-ins from the community and church. Contact Megan Hostetler with any donations or questions,

## **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. Please contact Bob at 814-525-1224, for more information. More information is listed on the flyers posted on the bulletin boards.

