

**MAPLE SPRING**  
**CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN**

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

**DEW DROPS**

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

**September 11, 2022**

**Patriot Day**

**GUEST SPEAKERS**

September 11<sup>th</sup> – Kaitie Coughenour

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Kaitie Coughenour is from the Hostetler Church of the Brethren. She is the Garrett Borough Secretary and she teaches square dancing in her spare time. Kaitie grew up on her family's dairy farm in Salisbury, PA. Please be sure to say "Hello" to Kaitie and welcome her to Maple Spring!



Please mark your calendars for Sunday, September 18, 2022 and prepare to be inspired by some very enthusiastic young people.

The Hope and Harmony youth choir will be performing in the **Geiger COB** sanctuary beginning at 4:00 P M. A time of light refreshments and fellowship will follow in the social hall. A free will offering will be lifted in support of this group. All are encouraged to attend.

## CHURCH SCHEDULE

Tuesday – 9/13

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

Upcoming Events

Sun., 10/2: World Communion Sunday

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

### CAMP HARMONY

**HOPE-N-HARMONY Youth Choir**

**Fall 2022 - Sundays 1:30-4:30 pm, Sept. 11 – Nov. 20**

Practices:

9/18 Geiger Church, 11/20 Camp Harmony, 12/11 Camp Harmony

Christ-centered group of youth joining together in service to God, the community, and each other by proclaiming God's unfailing love and spreading hope through scripture and praise. Practices are at Camp Harmony, except Sept. 18<sup>th</sup> is at Geiger Church in Friedens.

***Praise, Worship, Fellowship, Bible Study, Snacks, & Games!***

**ALL youth 7<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grade are welcome to join!**

[www.CampHarmony.org/HopeChoir](http://www.CampHarmony.org/HopeChoir)

### EL HOGAR DE NINOS ENMANUEL

The dream of having a chapel on the Hogar Enmanuel campus is finally becoming a reality! We are excited that all building permits have now been obtained and the construction of a chapel has begun! The contractor estimates the cost to be around \$50,000 for the building itself — not including Interior furnishings. PLEASE HELP to provide a designated place for our children's spiritual reflection with your gift towards the construction of our chapel.

The most effective means to help is simply cash.

Please make checks payable to:

Western PA District Church of the Brethren  
115 Spring Rd., Hollsopple, PA 15935

### 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. If you are interested, or would like more information, contact Kim Showalter at 814-479-3131.

## **“I'm Getting Ready To Go”**

Written and sung by Loretta Lynn

I get down on my knees every day and I pray  
And these tears I'm a cryin' are tears of joy  
Cause I washed my sins away  
I'm a livin' for the Lord  
And I want everybody to know  
This ole world's just my dressin' room  
And I'm a gettin' ready to go

Yeah I'm a gettin' ready to go to a place called Heaven  
I'm gonna praise my Savior's name every day that I'm livin'  
Glory hallelujah! I'm not ashamed to let my salvation show  
This ole world's just my dressin' room  
And I'm a gettin' ready to go

I'm gonna walk in death with Jesus and my God  
I wanna know everything's a gonna be alright  
When they lay me under the sod  
When He gathers His sheep, I wanna be as white as snow  
This ole world's just my dressin' room  
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