

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

October 2, 2022

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

10/8, Frank & Mona Blough, 67 years.

CONDOLENCES

Our sympathy and prayers to the family and friends of Betty Holsopple, who went to be with the Lord on September 27, 2022.

GUEST SPEAKERS

October 2nd – Pete Kaltenbaugh
October 30th – Pete Kaltenbaugh

SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING

Today, October 2, 2022

There will be a Special Council Meeting, immediately following the Morning Worship Service. All members are encouraged to attend.

Today, Sunday – 10/2

World Communion Sunday

Special Council Meeting, immediately following Worship Service. All members are encouraged to attend.

Deacons Meeting, directly after the Special Council Meeting. Covered Dish Meal and Set-up for Love Feast & Communion.

7:00 pm: Love Feast and Communion

CHURCH SCHEDULE

Tuesday – 10/4

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

Upcoming Events

Tue., 10/11, 7:00 pm: Deacons Quarterly Meeting.

Sat., 10/15, 9:00 am: District Conference, at Camp Harmony.

Thu., 10/20, 7:00 pm: Quarterly Board Meeting.

Thu., 10/27, 7:00 pm: Quarterly Council Meeting.

Sun., 11/6, 2:00 am: Daylight Savings Time Ends, fall back 1 hr.

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

ONE CALL/PRAYER CHAIN

There has been a change in the posting of prayer requests through our One Call system. Please make all prayer requests to Arbutus Blough.

FYI

The new October *Water Cup* and *Our Daily Bread* devotionals (Sept.-Oct.-Nov.) 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.

If you would like a bulletin from a previous Sunday service, and none are left in the lobby, please stop in the office. Just inside the office door, there is a rack of bulletins from the past 5 weeks.

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 interested, or for more information, contact Kim Showalter, 814-479-3131.

CWS BUCKETS AND KITS

CWS buckets and kits will be collected the day of District Conference, Sat., 10/15. The District van will be on site, into which kits will be placed. Please check the following link, regarding the items needed for CWS kits, as the list has changed from the guidelines sent out earlier.

<https://cwskits.org/assemble-kits/>

“THE FALL DAYTREAT” AT CAMP HARMONY

Wed., Nov. 9, 2022 at 9:15 am

Sponsored by Western PA District COB’s Women’s Ministry

Registration due Oct. 30th. Cost is \$20.

(See flyer on bulletin board for more information.)

Hope-N-Harmony Youth Choir

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

Practices: 11/20 and 12/11

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.

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

ALL youth 7th – 12th grade are welcome to join!

www.CampHarmony.org/HopeChoir

Hits for Harmony

Sat., Nov. 5, 2022

Co-Ed Youth & Adult Volleyball Tournament

\$30 per person

Sign-up by Oct. 20th.

Shirts & Gift Cards to the winners!

E-mail Kylee to register, Kylee@CampHarmony.org.

All proceeds to benefit the Camp Harmony Pool Fund.

Adult Tourney: 6 team max. Must be 18 or older.

Youth Tourney: 6 team max. 9-12 grade. (Must be accompanied by an adult.)

