

MAPLE SPRING CHURCH

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

May 7, 2023

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Sun., 5/7, Krista Shaffer

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Wed., 5/10, Harry & Patty Shaffer, 48 years.

JOYFUL NOISES!

Come, Wednesday, May 10th at 7:00 pm for choir practice!

Everyone is welcome!

Praise the Lord. How good it is to sing praises to our God, how pleasant and fitting to praise him! ~Psalm 147:1

JOHNSTOWN CHRISTIAN SCHOOL TOUR & HANDBELL CHOIRS

Sunday, May 7th at 7:00 pm.

You are invited to our concert at Faith Baptist Church, 730 Sunberry St., Johnstown, PA. 814-29-2236.

CHURCH SCHEDULE

Sunday – 5/7

ALL are welcome to Sunday School, Morning Prayer, & Morning Worship!

9:15-10:15 am: Adult Sunday School, in the back of the sanctuary.

10:15-10:35 am: Morning Prayer, in the church sanctuary.

Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer. ~Romans 12:12

10:35 am: Morning Worship

Tuesday – 5/9

9:00 am: Humble Hands. Bring a lunch and join us!

Wednesday, 5/10

7:00 pm: Choir Practice

Upcoming Events

Sun., 5/14: Mother's Day

Sun., 5/14: 75th Anniversary of the founding of modern Israel.

Thu., 5/18: Ascension Day

Sun., 5/28: Pentecost

Sun., 5/28: Fellowship Meal, immediately following worship.

Sun., 5/29: Memorial Day

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

FYI

The last Sunday of every month, the Maple Spring Church Family is having a Fellowship Meal! Please bring a covered dish. The church provides beverages and place settings. ALL are welcome to attend!

The new **May Water Cup** and *Our Daily Bread* devotionals (**Mar.-Apr.-May**) are available at both entrances. Take one to share!

If you had a change in address, phone number, or e-mail address, please contact the Church Secretary, Melody, by phone or e-mail.

CAMP HARMONY SPRING WOMEN'S RETREAT

May 12-13, 2023

We believe that God is moving and active. We believe that now is the time to STAND FIRM in HIS MIGHTY POWER. Join us for a great weekend of fellowship and relationship building as we highlight Ephesians 6:10-11. "A final word: Be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power. Put on all of God's armor so that you will be able to stand firm against all strategies of the devil." Join us as we hear from women who are standing firm for Jesus, as we unpack Ephesians 6. We cannot wait and we will see you soon!

Commuter registration includes Friday night sessions from 7-9 pm and Saturday sessions 9 am to 4 pm and Saturday lunch. \$30/person

Lodging registration includes sessions from 7 pm Friday thru 4 pm Saturday with overnight lodging and Saturday breakfast and lunch. \$45/person

Kids Camp includes staffing provided by Camp Harmony for boys and girls grades K-8 on Saturday from 9 am to 4 pm. Lunch included! \$5/person

Kids Camp Lodging is for those women who want to bring their daughters for the whole retreat. Kids Camp staffing is ONLY provided on Saturday from 9 am to 4 pm so your daughter would attend the sessions with you until Kids Camp begins on Saturday morning. If we have enough interest we might be able to provide a daughter session on Friday night during the main session. Kids Camp is for boys and girls on Saturday for those commuting. Lodging registration includes session on Friday, Kids Camp on Saturday with overnight lodging and Saturday breakfast and lunch. \$15/person

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.

