

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

July 23, 2023

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Wed., 7/26, Sharon Toth

Fri., 7/28, Marlin Ott, 85 years.

Sat., 7/29, Gary Martin, 80 years.

Sat., 7/29, Pat Shaffer

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Tue., 7/25, Tim & Cathy McDonald

CARD SHOWERS

Help Marlin and Gary celebrate their special days!



Marlin Ott
Laurel View Village
Vista Apt. #813
2000 Cambridge Dr.
Davidsville, PA 15928

Gary Martin
2488 Penn Ave.
Hollisopple, PA 15935



CHURCH SCHEDULE

Sunday – 7/23

ALL are welcome to join us for...

9:15-10:15 am: Adult Sunday School

10:15-10:35 am: Morning Prayer

10:35 am: Morning Worship Service

Tuesday – 7/25

9:00 am: Humble Hands

Thursday – 7/27

7:00 pm: Quarterly Council Meeting. All members and interested parties are encouraged to attend.

Upcoming Events

Sun., 7/30: Outdoor Worship & Fellowship Meal at the grove!

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

FYI

The last Sunday of every month (5/28, 6/25, 7/30, 8/27, & 9/24) the Maple Spring Church Family is having Outdoor Worship and Fellowship Meal at the church grove! Please bring a covered dish. The church provides beverages and place settings. ALL are welcome to attend!

The July *Water Cup* and *Our Daily Bread* devotionals (June-July-Aug.) are available at both entrances. Take one to share!

A volunteer is needed to be our One Call operator for prayer requests! If you are interested in volunteering, please see Tim McDonald.

If you had a change in address, phone number, or e-mail address, please contact the church secretary, by phone or e-mail.

LOOKING FOR AN INTERESTING & INSPIRATIONAL ROAD TRIP?

The Western PA District CoB Outreach & Service Team is planning a bus trip to the Museum of the Bible in Washington D.C., on **August 19, 2023**. The bus will be leaving from the District Office at 6:00 am that morning. Return time to be announced, as well as the cost per person. If you are interested, please contact the District Office at 814-479-2181. **RSVP by August 4, 2023**, as bus spots fill up quickly.

EL HOGAR DE NINOS ENMANUEL SHOE PROJECT

Sincere thanks to everyone who has been collecting shoes for our next shipment! With your help, we are within 200 pairs of the 2,500 pairs of needed for a minimum shipment, and this was accomplished in just over four months. We are so thankful for the continued support of our churches, the great condition of the donated shoes and the care with which they are packed. It makes our job of filling the bags for pick up so easy!

Our next collection day is scheduled for:

Tuesday, September 12, 2023, 9:00 am – 11:00 am
at the Westmont Church of the Brethren
2301 Sunshine Ave., Johnstown, PA 15905

Donations will still be accepted at the District Office during regular office hours, and the Westmont Church by calling 814-255-2154 to schedule a drop off appointment.

Thanks again for your support of this program!

ST. FRANCIS SHARING & CARING COMMUNITY MARKET

The market will be open Thursdays, through August 31st, 3-6 pm.
(The Thrift Store will be open until 6:00 pm on Market Thursdays.)

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.

