

MAPLE SPRING CHURCH

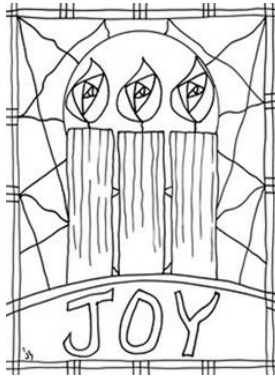
To encourage companionship with Jesus Christ and participate in the life and work of the Church.

DEW DROPS

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

December 17, 2023

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT – JOY



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Sat., 12/23, Richard Mostoller, 83 years.

OUR CONDOLENCES



Our deepest sympathy and sincere prayers are with the family and friends of Bob McDonald, who passed into Heaven on December 2, 2023.

CHURCH SCHEDULE

Sunday – 12/17

ALL are welcome to join us for...

The Third Sunday of Advent – Joy

9:15-10:15 am: Adult & Children's Sunday School

10:15-10:35 am: Morning Prayer

10:35 am: Morning Worship Service

Tuesday – 12/19

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

Wednesday – 12/20

Song Service Adult Bible Study is cancelled for tonight.

January *Water Cup* submission deadline, Deacons Page due.

Friday, – 12/22

Winter begins.

Upcoming Church Events

Sun., 12/24: Christmas Eve

Mon., 12/25: Merry Christmas!

Sun., 12/31: New Year's Eve. There will be NO Business Meeting after worship.

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

FYI

The December *Water Cup* and the *Our Daily Bread* devotionals (Dec.-Jan.-Feb.) are available at both entrances. Take one to share!

Please submit all bulletin items and *Dew Drops* announcements, to the office by 11 am on Thursdays.

CAMP HARMONY LIGHT FEST

6:00 pm – 8:30 pm, Dec. 1-3, 8-10, 15-17, 22-23

Walk-Thru on Fridays! Sat. & Sun. Drive-Thru!

\$10 per car

Drive-Up Concessions including:

Hot Chocolate, Cookies, Hot Apple Cider

Wave to Santa & Judge the Lights!

CAMP HARMONY NEW YEARS ALL-NIGHTER!

Sun., Dec. 31, 2023, 9:00 pm - Mon, Jan. 1, 2024, 8:00 am

Looking for a safe place for your teen on New Years Eve? Our all-nighter for grades 7-12 is just the place. Enjoy Bible teaching, late night worship, games, food, entertainment, competitions, and much more! Register as a youth group or as an individual.

Register here for this FREE event! Call 814-798-5885.

CHRISTMAS ANGELS

St. Francis is once again helping local families with Christmas presents through our Christmas Angels program. If you would like to shop for a child this year, please call St. Francis at 814-479-3131 and speak to Kim Showalter.

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.

