

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

January 28, 2024

FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Sun., 1/28, Ray Mishler, 88 years.

Sun., 1/28, Leanora Rosenbaum, 3 years.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Wed., 1/31, Mark & Patty Monroe

CHURCH GROVE RENTAL SEASON

The Church Grove Rental Season will be here before we know it! The season begins April 15th and ends Oct. 15th. Check with your families about graduation parties, birthday parties, and family reunions/picnics. Check with your group/club about your annual picnic. Make your reservations early to secure your preferred date! The daily rental fee is \$90 for church members/regular attendees, and \$125 for non-members. To reserve, call Melody, 814-479-7062

CHURCH SCHEDULE

Sunday – 1/28

ALL are welcome to join us for...

9:15-10:15 am: Adult & Children's Sunday School
10:15-10:35 am: Morning Prayer
10:35 am: Morning Worship Service
Fellowship Meal and Business Meeting, after worship.

Tuesday – 1/29

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

Wednesday – 1/30

6:00 pm: Song Service
6:30 pm: Adult Bible Study

Upcoming Events

Wed., 2/14: Ash Wednesday, Lent Begins, Valentine's Day
Sun., 2/18: First Sunday in Lent
Sun., 2/25: Second Sunday in Lent
Sun., 3/3: Third Sunday in Lent
Sun., 3/10, 2:00 am: Daylight Savings Time Starts, spring forward!
Sun., 3/10: Fourth Sunday in Lent
Sun., 3/17: Fifth Sunday in Lent, St. Patrick's Day
Sun., 3/24: Palm Sunday
Thu., 3/28: Maundy Thursday
Fri., 3/29: Good Friday
Sun., 3/31: Easter

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

FYI

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

† Please submit bulletin and *Dew Drops* items to the secretary by 11 am on Thursdays. All *Water Cup* items are due the 20th of each month.

† Our monthly Fellowship Meal and Business Meeting are on the last Sunday of every month, except holidays, following the Morning Worship Service. Please bring a covered dish. The church provides beverages and place settings. ALL are welcome to attend!

CAMP HARMONY NUT & APRICOT ROLL FUNDRAISER

Put your orders in for a traditional and delicious treat that will also benefit Camp! The funds collected for each nut & apricot roll will directly support the ministry of Camp Harmony. You may pick them up at Camp on March 27 & 28, 9-4 each day. Rolls will be ready just in time for Easter!

Nut Rolls - \$12 ea. Or 2 for \$20

Apricot Rolls - \$15 ea. Or 2 for \$25

Deadline to order is March 18th!

Call 814-798-5885.

FEBRUARY CAMP CRAZE

Mon., Feb. 19, 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

Join us for Camp Craze! A free event to give your 5-9th grade student a chance to spend the day at Camp Harmony. Games, friends, and a fun camp experience all on a day off of school. Lunch is provided. Be sure to sign up early because this is sure to be a fun day. Invite your friends! Call 814-798-5885 to register.

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.

SCAVENGER HUNT

Hidden somewhere within the pages of your *Water Cup* is a little cross (✝). The cross may vary in size or color, but not in shape. The first person to find the cross each month, and call the church secretary (814-479-7062) with the location of the cross, will win a prize and have their name in the next month's issue. If you find it on the secretary's day off, please leave a voicemail. Good luck and happy searching! There was no winner for January.

