

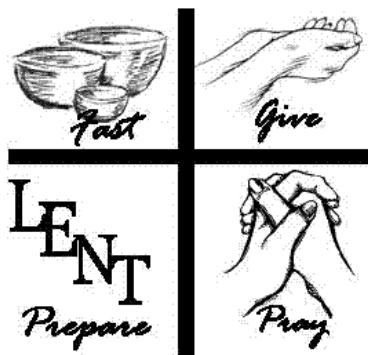
# MAPLE SPRING CHURCH

*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*

**February 18, 2024  
First Sunday in Lent**



### EASTER LILIES



Envelopes are available, at both entrances, for ordering Easter Lilies to be placed in the sanctuary in memory, or in honor, of a loved one. The cost is \$11.75 each. Make checks payable to Maple Spring Church. Please circle either “In Memory” or “In Honor,” and put your completed envelope with enclosed payment in the offering plate. Orders are due by March 3<sup>rd</sup>.

### 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.

## CHURCH SCHEDULE

### Sunday – 2/18

**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

### Tuesday – 2/20

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

### Wednesday – 2/21

6:00 pm: Song Service

6:30 pm: Adult Bible Study

### Upcoming Events

Sun., 2/25: 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Lent, Fellowship Meal & Business Meeting

Sun., 3/3: 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Lent

Sun., 3/10: 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Lent. Daylight Savings Time Starts, spring forward one hour! Don't be late for church.

Sun., 3/17: 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Lent, St. Patrick's Day

Tue., 3/19: Spring begins

Sun., 3/24: Palm Sunday

Thu., 3/28: Maundy Thursday

Fri., 3/29: Good Friday

Sun., 3/31: Happy 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 20<sup>th</sup> 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 today, March 18<sup>th</sup>!**

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.

## **KEYSTONE FAMILY ALLIANCE – CREATE A RIPPLE EFFECT**

**Somerset Fundraiser and Awareness Event Tuesday, Feb. 27<sup>th</sup>**

RSVP by Feb. 20<sup>th</sup> for our Fundraiser and awareness event! We would love for you to join us at Bakersville Banquet Hall on Tuesday, Feb. 27 at 6:00 pm with doors opening at 5:30. Dinner will be served. The event is free; however, a financial appeal will be made to support Keystone Family Alliance. To RSVP, email [lydia@keyfam.org](mailto:lydia@keyfam.org).

