

**CHURCH CALENDAR (please visit [www.maplegrove-atglen.org](http://www.maplegrove-atglen.org) for all events)**

**TODAY.....**

Sun., May 27 9:00 -10:00am Sunday School  
10:00am Worship Service: Pastor Mike L  
Sermon: "The Strength in Humility"  
Text: Matt. 5:3  
Worship Leader: Fi L

**THIS WEEK.....**

Monday Memorial Day - Office Closed  
Tuesday 7:15pm Worship Central Meeting  
Wednesday 6:00am Men's Prayer Group @ Dutchway  
7:00pm Jr. & Sr. Youth Night @ MG with Pastor Mike  
Thursday 10:00am Prayer Team @ MG

**UPCOMING SUMMER EVENTS**

June 3 Grad Recognition Sunday  
June 10 Sunday Morning Conference Affiliation Vote  
June 10 -14 Vacation Bible School *Shipwrecked*  
June 17 Youth Sunday  
June 23 Men's Day @ Chris C Lake House  
July 8 Missions Sunday  
July 22 10:00am Maple Grove Church Service @ Black Rock Retreat  
August 5 MG Corn Hole Tournament @ Matt & Missy K's  
August 19 Congregational Meeting  
August 26 Baptism Sunday

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**BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS!**

5/27 Zac B  
5/30 Pete C  
6/2 Seth B  
6/3 Cathy C

**ANNIVERSARY CONGRATULATIONS!**

5/28 Vince & Janae K  
6/1 Elam & Dottie B  
6/2 Chris & Megan B

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**STAFF & CONTACT INFORMATION**

**Pastor Mike Lusby** is in the office Monday - Thursday. 610-593-9501 or 717.606.7289 or [mlusby@maplegrove-atglen.org](mailto:mlusby@maplegrove-atglen.org).  
**Minister of Worship:** Matt Chambers is in the office Wednesday mornings and full days on Tuesday & Friday. 717-593-9502 or [mchambers@maplegrove-atglen.org](mailto:mchambers@maplegrove-atglen.org).  
**Elders:** Matt King, Dave Lantz (lead elder), Mike Weaver  
**Treasurer:** Sue N, [treasurer@maplegrove-atglen.org](mailto:treasurer@maplegrove-atglen.org)  
**Secretary:** Marilyn U 610-593-6658; [mumble@maplegrove-atglen.org](mailto:mumble@maplegrove-atglen.org); office hours: 8:30-1:30 (off Tuesdays) \*Please send all announcements by **Thursday, Noon**.  
**MG Preschool Director:** Adrienne Fiscus: [mgpreschool@epix.net](mailto:mgpreschool@epix.net); 610.593.1159



# MAPLE GROVE MENNONITE CHURCH

*EVERYONE WELCOME!*

**MAY 27, 2018**

## **Our Mission**

***Loving God, Loving Others and Reaching Out***

*"Blessed are the poor in spirit,  
for theirs is the kingdom of  
heaven." Matthew 5:3*

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## THANKS FOR JOINING US TODAY!

Connection cards for your prayer requests and praise items are on the back of the pews and at the Welcome Center. Your prayer concerns will be shared in confidence with our Leadership Team and/or Church Prayer Teams. Please contact the office if you want to join a prayer team or if you have a prayer or praise item for the bulletin.

To be included in church communications, please fill out the contact information and drop your card into the offering basket. First time guests may exchange the completed card for a gift at the Welcome Center.

Junior Church for Kindergarten through 5th grade is dismissed to the lower level following the morning worship music.

Room 106 (rear of the sanctuary) is available for parents with infants up to 1 yr. old.

1 & 2 yr. olds (Room 102)

5/27 *Karie K & Sue E*  
6/3 *Chloe K & Carly K*

3 & 4 yr. olds (Room 104)

5/27 *Sarah W*  
6/3 *Cierra & Sheyenne K*

**SUNDAY SCHOOL TEXTS:** May 27 "Finding Strength" 2 Cor. 12:7b-10;13:2-8  
June 3 "Respected" 2 Samuel 1:22-27; 2:1-7

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**MEMBERSHIP & BAPTISM** Please contact Pastor Mike by today if you are interested in becoming a member of Maple Grove. We will receive new members and have new believers' baptism on August 26. Membership class dates will be announced later.

**YOUTH ACTIVITIES** Wed, May 30, 7:00-8:45pm: Jr. & Sr. Youth Bible Study with Pastor Mike as Speaker.

**GRAD RECOGNITION** Next Sunday, June 3, we will have a time to recognize our college and high school graduates.

**VBS JUNE 10-14** Prep times are on Facebook. All volunteers age 18 and over need their child clearances. Contact Bonnie B @610.656.3484 or contact the church office asap if you need to apply for your clearances free of charge. Signups are at the Welcome Center to volunteer as a station or crew leader, provide staff meals or register your children. Or register online at the church's website: [www.maplegrove-atglen.org](http://www.maplegrove-atglen.org).

**BOTTLES & JARS NEEDED** Missy K is organizing crafts for VBS. Please save your 16oz plastic water and soda bottles and lids and mason jars or similar size with lids. Drop them at the box near the Welcome Center.

**CONFERENCE AFFILIATION** Leadership Team is recommending that we join Lancaster Mennonite Conference -A Fellowship of Anabaptist Churches. A ballot will be presented to the congregation on Sunday, June 10 which will need to pass by a 75% vote. Absentee ballots are available at the Welcome Center. If you missed the meeting with LMC leaders last Sunday, you may pick up a recording at the sound booth.

**SIGNUP** by June 17 at the Welcome Center for the Men's Fun Day at Chris Crane's Lake House on Saturday, June 23.

## SOFTBALL SCHEDULES

Maple Grove vs Falcons 5/29 8:00pm @ West Fallowfield

Information on Facebook: Lanchester Softball

Maple Grove vs. Marlins 5/31 7:00pm @ Strasburg Jaycee Park

Maple Grove vs. Strasburg 5/31 8:30pm

Check scores and standings @elancesoftball.com.

## PRAYER & PRAISE

Prayer concerns are listed for 6 weeks after which you may call the office to continue. Prayer concerns are shared weekly with those of our congregation who commit to pray.



**Please pray for:**

**Our Leadership Team, Lay Ministers and Commission Members**

**Our Church Body**

**Conference Decision** - Pray that God's will would be done.

**Gift Discernment Commission** as they have begun meeting.

**Dayton H** - Pray for him & Naomi as they deal with his heart issues.

**Sue R** - Pray that chemo continues to aid in her complete healing.

**Allen U** - visiting and serving in Albania March 30- June 26.

**Charlie U** - Pray for Charlie (son of Sam & Cora ) who developed some complications following his kidney transplant.

**Stephanie W** - healing from Non-Hodgkins lymphoma cancer.

**Our Local Missions**

Bridge of Hope & Good Samaritan Services

Maple Grove Preschool

Parkesburg Point

PCCO (Parkesburg Community Churches Outreach)

**Our Missionaries**

Lindsay G - CRU West Chester University

David & Dawnell G Family - Commission to Every Nation in Mexico

Mike & Sharyn K - Powered to Move in Texas

Dale & Kathy M- YWAM Virginia & Chile

Monchy & Nicole R Family - Solid Rock in Dominican Republic

Jon & Amanda R Family - CRU West Chester University

Randy & Melanie U Family - Reach Beyond in Ecuador

Ryan & Bethany U Family - EMM in Cambodia.

Sunday, May 20

Attendance: 176

Offering: \$ 7568.26

Big Give: \$ 9.00