

Welcome to Maple Grove Mennonite Church

September 8, 2019

Maple Grove Mennonite Church is a community of persons committed to Jesus Christ and His teachings. We live to share the good news of God's love by word and deed with our neighbors, community and the world, promoting peace, justice and mercy for all. We express our faith through worship, nurture, fellowship and service.



Maple Grove Mennonite Church

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September 8, 2019

9:30 AM

Sunday School

10:30 AM

Worship Service

*If you desire prayer, those wearing white ribbons are available to pray with you.
If you are new to our church and want additional information about Maple Grove, please
see Alan for a visitor packet after the service.*

Nursery care is provided during SS and the worship service for infants through age 3.

Prelude	Worship Team
Welcome & Opening	Leonard Yoder
Worship in Song	Worship Team
Visitors & Church Announcements	
Prayer & Offering	
Sharing & Prayer	
Scripture Reading	Psalm 139:1-6, 13-18
Sermon	"Searched" Alan Kauffman
Response Song	
Final Blessing	
Sending Song	

September 1, 2019	
Offering	Attendance
\$1,828.00	SS: 61 WS: 85

This Week:

Monday, Sept. 9, 6:30 PM - Council Meeting

Tuesday, Sept. 10 - Women's Day Sewing

Thursday, Sept. 12, 6:30 PM - Worship Committee Meeting

Next Week's Text: Luke 15:1-10, I Timothy 1:12-17

Looking Ahead:

Sept. 15 – Mission Rally

Sept. 15 – Les Horning Preaching here

Sept. 18 – Ted Yoder Dulcimer Concert here

Sept. 30 – CPYM Fund Raiser Banquet here

Oct. 6 – Communion Service
 Nov. 3 – All Saints Day Service
 Nov. 29 & 30 – Christmas Craft Bazaar in Fellowship Hall

Prayer Concerns:

- ◆ Our two church families to pray for: Scott, Emily, Jacob & Lydia Brown and Lavern & Kathy Yutzy
- ◆ Continue praying for Pearl Stanbrough and Ron’s extended family and friends following Ron’s passing last Sunday.
- ◆ Lois Yoder spent the week at Mt. Nittany. Keep praying for her, Willard and the family.
- ◆ Pray for victims of Hurricane Dorian and pray for ways you can help.

Praise Notes:

- ◆ Today is Grandparent’s Day. Praise God for those who both loved and spoiled you!
- ◆ Today is Raymond Kauffman’s memorial service. Thank God for Ray’s contributions to Maple Grove when he was a member here.

NOTE: Next Sunday all **adult SS classes** will meet in the auditorium, as Jane Neff will share about Shelter Services.

The **Mission Rally** is asking Maple Grove for the following food items for next Sunday, Sept. 15: 3 cakes, 2 gallon fruit salad, and 4 lbs. BBQ (sloppy joe). Contact Marlene Zook at 717-935-2430 if you are willing to help out, and have your food at the church by 9:00 Sunday morning, Sept. 15.

Our day to contribute **soup and boxed macaroni/cheese** to Backyard Club is next Tuesday, September 17. Please have your donations on the bench in the foyer by 10:30 that day.

September item for Shelter Services -Paper Towels

We are in need of a few more people to **help in the nursery**. If you are willing, please let Krissy Bonson know. Thank you!

Mennonite Disaster Service is looking for people to go to Puerto Rico for hurricane cleanup Oct. 12-19. Contact Marvin Peachey at 717-483-6360 if interested.

We are planning on having a Sunday sometime in the near future to **receive people into membership** at Maple Grove. If you would like to become a member at Maple Grove, please let Alan Kauffman know by Sept. 15.

Join the Belleville Mennonite School community as we celebrate 74 years of God’s faithfulness to the school at the **Faith Promise Banquet** on Friday, October 4, at 6:30 PM. The Banquet will feature guest speaker, John Sharp (Class of ’69), a Concert Choir selection, recognition of the classes that are celebrating their 50th and 60th class reunions and special highlights about BMS today. There is no charge for the banquet and delicious turkey dinner that will be served, however an invitation to give to the Faith Promise Annual Fund at BMS will be presented. If you wish to attend, please RSVP to the school by September 20 by calling, 717.935.2184.

New to the Bulletin Board

- ◆ September Backyard Club News (additional copies under mailboxes for those interested)

	This Week	Next Week
Nursery – SS	Josh & Morgan Detwiler	Esther Hartzler & Krissy Bonson
Nursery-Worship	Nancy Kauffman & Marilyn Spangler	Sheila Penepacker & Cindy Esh
Sound Technician	Matt Kauffman	Jared Byler
Ministerial Team Greeters	Foyer: Jason Yoder North Door: Andrea Yoder	Foyer: Lavern Yutzy North Door: Joyce Rheam