
Maple Grove Mennonite Church

May 9, 2021

9:30 AM Sunday School

10:30 AM Worship Service

If you are new to our church and want additional information about Maple Grove, please see Alan or an usher 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	Carol Yoder
Worship in Song	Worship Team
Prayer for the Offering	
Sending Prayer for Dustin Peachey	
Scripture Reading John 15:9-17	
Sermon "Law of Lamech/Love"	Alan Kauffman
Response Song	
Final Blessing	
Visitors & Church Announcements	
Share & Prayer	
Sending Song	

May 2, 2021	
Offering	Attendance
\$5,635.00	SS: 69 WS: 83

This Week:

Monday, May 10, 6:00-8:30 PM - FH in use

Tuesday, May 11, 6:30 PM - Pastoral Search Committee Meeting

Sunday, May 16, 6:00 PM - House Fellowship Group in 203

Looking Ahead:

June 13 – Wear item of clothing from a place you've vacationed

June 30, July 7, July 14 – Vacation Bible School

July 25 – Picnic Sunday

Prayer Concerns:

- ◆ Our two church families to pray for this week: Rob Hartzler and Raymond & Sandy Tussey

- ◆ Our bishop Dale Stoltzfus, is scheduled to preach here next Sunday. Pray for him as he prepares.
- ◆ Keep praying for Dustin Peachey as he makes his transition.
- ◆ Remember our teachers and students as they finish out the school year.

Praise Notes:

- ◆ This coming Thursday is Ascension Day. Give thanks that Jesus did not leave us alone, but gave us a commission and His Spirit to assist us.
- ◆ Give thanks for the rain from the past week.
- ◆ Jesus wants us to experience complete joy!! Celebrate the joy in your life!

Over the past number of months, the congregation has been praying for ears to hear God's voice regarding an **elder and deaconess** for the coming year. Carol Yoder has agreed to serve as deaconess and will be installed later in the summer. In two separate periods of praying and contacting, no elder has been identified. The Ministerial Team is understanding this to mean that we are to move ahead in the coming church year with two elders and three deaconesses. If, in our restructuring in the coming year, a Ministerial Team continues to have three elders and three deaconesses, we will try to find two elders next year. We want to thank the congregation for your commitment to prayer for elder and deaconess over the past few months.

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

The **May Maple Leaf** (church newsletter) is under the mailboxes. Help yourself!

During the month of May we are collecting **plastic food storage containers** (Sterlite, Rubbermaid etc.) for Shelter Services.

Belleville Mennonite School invites you to the 56th **Annual Auction** on May 28th and 29th at the school. Friday evening will feature a Chicken BBQ Dinner, Silent Auction, Live Music and a variety of outdoor games and activities for the whole family. The dinner will be served in take-out containers from 5:00-7:00 PM. Saturday will feature a pancake breakfast from 6:30-8:30 AM and a wide variety of food and homemade baked goods available throughout the day. The Merchandise and Gift Certificate Auction begins outdoors at 8:30 AM. Handmade quilts will be sold at the top of each hour, special feature certificates will be sold at 11:00, featured outdoor items at 11:30 and a special 75th anniversary commemorative quilt will be sold at noon. Children’s activities will be offered from 9:00-2:00 PM. A complete listing of auction items can be found at www.bmsprek12.org.

New to the Bulletin Board

- ◆ Thank you note from Berger family for My Coins Count Offerings that benefited their son’s memorial fund

Maple Grove has a Child Protection Policy		
	This Week	Next Week
Nursery – SS	Clint & Krissy Bonson	Esther Hartzler & Dar Yoder
Nursery-Worship	Nancy Kauffman & Marilyn Spangler	Clint & Krissy Bonson
Sound Technician	John Baker	Jared Byler

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“Gathered to know Jesus, sent to make Jesus known”