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## Maple Grove Mennonite Church

June 27, 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.*

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Prelude	Andrea Yoder
Welcome & Opening	Nate Kauffman
Worship in Song	Andrea Yoder
Prayer for the Offering	
Scripture Reading	II Chronicles 7:12-22
Sermon	Celeste Lodiong
Response Song	
Final Blessing	
Visitors & Church Announcements	
Share & Prayer	
Sending Song	

June 20, 2021	
Offering \$2,403.00	Attendance SS: 76 WS: 88

### This Week:

Wednesday, June 30, 6:30-8:00 – Vacation Bible School

**Next Week's Text:** Mark 6:1-13

### Looking Ahead:

July 25 – Picnic Sunday

August 21 – Auction for Chris Tatom's Young Life Ministry

Sept. 5 – Wear-Your-Work-Clothes-to-Church Sunday

### Prayer Concerns:

- ◆ Our two church families to pray for this week: Alan & Nancy Kauffman and John & Joyce Rheam

- ◆ Vacation Bible School begins for three consecutive Wednesdays, starting this coming Wednesday evening. Be praying for students and teachers alike.
- ◆ Our LMC moderator, Keith Weaver, is going to be on sabbatical in July and August. Pray for a refreshing sabbath time for him.
- ◆ Which neighbor(s) are you intentionally praying for? Continue in confidence and listen for ways to be an answer to your prayers.

### Praise Notes:

- ◆ 2021 is half over. Take time to praise God for the blessings of the first 6 months.
- ◆ Give thanks for Celeste Lodiong's willingness to share her gift of preaching with us this morning.
- ◆ Covid has crippled some congregations in a variety of ways. Give thanks to God for the ongoing health and vibrancy of our congregation.

A sincere **thank you** to all who helped in any way with the blood drive this past Wednesday! It was much appreciated and may God bless you!  
Dar Yoder

Our **church picnic** will be held on Sunday, July 25 in the fellowship hall. All food and place settings will be provided. We will be purchasing chicken and two sides from Giant and cake from AnnaMary Yoder. A donation basket will be available to assist with the cost of the meal. There will be no Sunday School that day and the service will begin at 10:30. Sign-up sheets are in each SS classroom and on the bulletin board.

Due to some recent misuse of the facility and more recent vandalism in different areas of the church, Council made a decision to begin locking the church building effect immediately. It will be open from 7:00-11:00 Monday through Saturday mornings, 7:00 AM -2:30 PM on Sundays and one hour prior to scheduled meetings. We are sorry

for any inconvenience this causes, but the situation appears to be escalating and we do not want further damage to the equipment and building itself. Thanks for your understanding and cooperation.

This coming Wednesday concludes the time of focused prayer for the pastor or pastoral team that God is calling to lead Maple Grove. The Pastoral Search Committee will **receive names** from July 1 through July 12. Names from within the congregation and outside the congregation will be equally considered. The Pastoral Search Committee includes: Krissy Bonson, JoAnn Byler, Lisa Rheam, Andrea Yoder or Chair, Herb Zook.

**Reminder:** Alan Kauffman is on vacation and will be back in the office on Tuesday morning.

**Belleville Mennonite School** has several job openings for the 2021-22 school year. Visit their website at [www.bmsprek12.org](http://www.bmsprek12.org) to learn more about or apply for any of these positions.

<b>Maple Grove has a Child Protection Policy</b>		
	<b>This Week</b>	<b>Next Week</b>
<b>Nursery – SS</b>	Amber Penepacker & Krissy Bonson	JoAnn Byler & Toni Peachey
<b>Nursery - Worship</b>	Pearl Stanbrough & Deb Durst	Kristin Kauffman & Sarah Yoder
<b>Sound Technician</b>	John Baker	Jared Byler



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