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**Maple Grove Mennonite Church**

**April 21, 2024**

9:30 AM Combined Adult S.S.  
10:30 AM Worship Service

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Prelude Pat McKeehan  
Welcome & Opening Carol Yoder  
Hymns & Greetings Tim Peachey  
HFF #341 “Come, Thou Almighty King”  
HFF #564 “Let Us Break Bread Together”

**Church Announcements**

Prayer for the Offering  
Dwelling in the Word Ephesians 3:14-21 Reagan Burley  
Sharing: Where have you seen God? Where do you need God?  
Worship in Song HFF #552 “Plenty of Room in the Family”  
Scripture Text Ephesians 4:1-16  
Sermon “Play Well” Kurt Rheam  
Response Song HFF #544 “The Bond of Love”  
Final Blessing  
Sending Song

April 14, 2024	
<b>Offering</b> \$2,585.00	<b>Attendance</b> SS: 46 WS: 83

**This Week:**

Monday, April 22, 6-9:00 PM - Group 12 in FH  
Friday, April 26, 8:00 AM - Men’s Breakfast at Allensville Restaurant

**Next Week’s Text:** Ephesians 4:17-6:9

**Looking Ahead:**

April 28 - Congregation Affirmation of Pastoral Team Proposal  
May 12 - Shoot-a-Thon for EMM Neighbors Community Center  
June 10-14 - Mega Sports Camp

**Prayer Concerns:**

- ◆ This week’s Mifflin County church to pray for: Kish Valley Grace Brethren Church
- ◆ Herb Zook is preaching next Sunday. Keep him in prayer this week as he prepares.

**Senior Birthdays This Week**

Beverly Peachey April 23  
Fern Hartzler April 24

**Jr High Youth** are meeting in the fellowship hall for pizza & ping pong after the service today. They will be finished by 2:00 PM.

The next mission opportunity will be to support our children and youth in a **Shoot-A-Thon** to raise money for Eastern Mennonite Mission’s Neighbors Café & Community Center in Lancaster. The Shoot-A-Thon is scheduled for May 12 in the fellowship hall during the Sunday School hour. The children and youth will be asking for your support, either per basket or a one-time donation. There will also be a mission offering collected that day for this project. There is a flyer with more details in your mailboxes today or you can visit [www.neighborslanaster.com](http://www.neighborslanaster.com) to learn more about the Center.

**Pastoral Team Proposal:** Additional copies of the proposal that was handed out last Sunday are under the mailboxes for anyone who would like one. The combined SS hour today will be recorded, and a CD of Phoebe and Lisa’s sharing will be available in the library. Next Sunday, April 28, the congregation will take action on the pastoral team proposal. Voting will be limited to church members. There are absentee ballots available in the office for those who are unable to be here. Absentee ballots must be signed and will be due by the end of the worship service that day. The results will be communicated by phonetree when the candidates have been notified.

The **Men’s Breakfast** is coming up this Friday, April 26 at 8:00 AM at the Allensville Restaurant. See you there!

The last **care package** for MG's college student, Cameron Barben, was sent off this week to arrive as he prepares for finals. If you would like to send a note to encourage him during finals week (May 3-8), address slips can be found on his bulletin board in the foyer. Thank you for helping me show love to Cameron during his first year of college. Blessings, Jen Baker

During the month of April, we are **collecting cereal and canned food** for Shelter Services, Inc.

An **All-Access Youth Rally** for grades 6-12 will be held at Paintersville CMA Church on Saturday, May 11 from 1-9:00 PM. There will be paintball, arts & crafts, live music, food, and more! The cost is \$10 per student, and it will be held rain or shine.

The **Mifflin County Amish-Mennonite Historical Society's Annual Meeting** will be held on Friday, May 3, at 7:00 p.m. at Locust Grove Church. The guest speaker will be John Sharp, a native of Big Valley.

**New to the Bulletin Board**

- ◆ All-Access Youth Rally Poster

Maple Grove has a Child Protection Policy		
	This Week	Next Week
Sound Technician	Jared Byler	John Baker

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