**DEW DROPS**

*May God give dew from Heaven* To encourage companionship with

Genesis 27:28 February 11, 2018 Jesus Christ and participate in the life and work of the Church.

 **MAPLE SPRING CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN**

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Mission Statement**:** *The living water of Christ wells up within us and overflows! It is our mission to be obedient to Christ by living in unity and with our neighbors, by discipling one another through the Holy Spirit and by reaching out to our neighbors.*

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9:30 a.m. Sunday School Supt………...…....Pat Shaffer
10:35 a.m. Morning Worship..…………….....Pastor Guy

 Worship Leader….........................Ron Weible

 Nursery……………..........……Diana Croyle

 …………………………Karen Nagyvathy

 Organist……….……………...…Patty Shaffer

 Pianist…………..………….........Pat Shaffer

 Acolyte……………..…..………....Mya Kane

 Junior Church……….…..……...Diane Bridge

 Preschool Church……………..Connie Zanoni

*The Roxbury Church of the Brethren is our Prayer Partner church for 2018.*

*Preschool and Junior Churches are offered for children from age 4 to grade 6 for those who would like to participate.  The children are dismissed after the Praise Song and can be picked up by an adult at the top of the stairs to the education wing following the service*

*The flowers gracing the altar today are given to the Glory and honor of God and in honor of Emily Bridge for her birthday today, given by her family.*

**Pastor Guy** will greet at the main doors today

**Pastor Guy** will be in the office Tuesday - Friday

 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

**Secretary’s Hours** are 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Mon. – Fri.

**Upcoming Nursery Schedule**

2/18 – Krista & Monica Shaffer

2/25 – Molly & Jeremy Stultz

**February Water Cup is now available!**

Available in the rack by the bulletin board.

***As you enter into the sanctuary for worship, please do so with reverence for your surroundings and the reason for being here. Please silence all cell phones and electronic devices. Thank you in advance for helping to make our worship service meaningful to all those in attendance.***

**TODAY**

**Camp Sunday!** A Camp rep is here with us during the Sunday School hour. Kids should be in the sanctuary for his presentation. Anyone interested in learning more about the Camp’s activities can join!

**2:00-5:00pm**…….……Sled Riding @ Camp Harmony

**\***There will be no choir or Kidz Club today\*

Last Sunday for donations for the **CWS Blanket Fund**.

**MONDAY**

**6:30pm**…….Care Givers meeting (weather permitting)

**TUESDAY**

**9am-2pm**……...….…..Humble Hands (bring a lunch!)

**WEDNESDAY**

***Happy Valentine’s Day!***

**9:00 a.m**………...….Prayer Time in our Prayer Room

**7:00 p.m…**………...…………....Adult Choir Practice

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**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

11th Lila Hershberger 77

11th Mary Edna Stevenson 98

13th Marlin Mishler 84

15th Ruth Friedline 87

17th Carol Rose 78

 **IN THE HOSPITAL**

Keaton Furry is in Allegheny General

**CONGRATULATIONS**

Mark and Krista Shaffer were blessed with a daughter, Nora Grace, on January 8.  Patty and Harry Shaffer are the proud grandparents.

**Reminder**:…..Prayer Ministry Participants for Sunday, February 18th, will be *Carol Leverknight & Karen Nagyvathy.* We meet in the Pastor’s study from 8:45 to 9:10 am. **Please join us; anyone is welcome** to participate in this important ministry. *I put my hope in You, Lord; You will answer, Lord my God.* Psalm 38:15 HCSB

**EASTER LILIES:** Envelopes are now available by the flower chart on the annex bulletin board to order your Easter Lilies. Cost is $9 each. All orders need in by March 11th.

**The Caregivers support group** will meet Monday, February 12 at 6:30 p.m. weather permitting

**CTAM:** This is just to remind everyone of our **Easter Cantata** practices that will be starting on February 18 and every Sunday thereafter until the Cantata on March 25th.  Practice will be held at St David’s Lutheran Church in Davidsville from 2 - 4 pm.  Music will be provided at the first practice.  We welcome anyone who would like to sing with us, to please come and share your voice for this performance.

**Feb. 20th  7:00pm–** Special Council meeting to discuss a letter received from the Brethren Home.

An **acapella hymnsing** and quartet event will be held on Sunday Feb. 25 at 4:00 at Kaufman Mennonite Church. An offering will be taken to benefit The TriState Relief Sale! A light supper will be served.

**The Messenger** is an essential resource for church leaders in congregations and districts across the Church of the Brethren. Feb. & Mar. is the time to renew subscriptions or begin new ones.  Please see Dolores Lape, Messenger Agent, to order.  Payment isn't due until she receives a total from the Publisher.

Church Club - 1 year $14.50  2 years  $27.00

First time - 1 year $8.75 ($7.25 if ordering

through a club) Student $1.25 per issue or $10.00 for 8 mo.

If you happen to have unwanted **empty** CD spindles please put them in the church office. Thanks! –Rachel

**LAST WEEK**Traditional Service – 129

$ 428.00 Total cash offering 2,227.00 Total envelope/check offerings  39 Number of envelopes/checks
   2,655.00 Unified Budget ($5,090 needed)

 400.00 CWS – Blanket Fund

 9.00 Easter Lilies (1)
 5.00 Humble Hands

 55.00 Roof Fund

 5.00 Window Fund
 10.00 Women’s Fellowship

 20.00 Youth

 120.00 Building Fund
 **Spent Rec’d/date Bal.**Roof Fd. 53,900.00 14,935.00 38,965.00
Window Fd. 17,074.00 5,002.00 12,072.00
 Total 70,974.00 19,937.00 51,037.00

**PRAYER CHEST**

(Located at the top of stairs in annex)

**The Serenity Prayer**

**God grant me the serenity to accept the things**

**I cannot change;**

**Courage to change the things I can; and**

**Wisdom to know the difference.**

We invite you to leave your concerns and prayers

at the foot of the cross by filling out a card at the

table and placing it in the **Prayer Chest.**

**CLIMBING @ Camp Harmony:** There will be open climbs in February and March. Please see the annex bulletin board for dates, times and prices!

**LOOKING AHEAD:**

**🡪**Sisters in Christ will have a SeaSide Escape Retreat March 10th from 8:30am – 3pm. Look for the poster on the bulletin board!

🡪Bible Quizzing is planned for March 16th and 18th at 7:30pm

🡪The Hope Service is officially scheduled for March 18th. Please send your photos (with name and date of passing) to the church office. You can also email a digital version if you prefer.

🡪March 24th the church is sponsoring a community Easter egg hunt at the Jerome Fire Hall beginning at 2pm.

**St Francis Sharing & Caring Food Pantry:** We help over 100 families in our area!The 2018 donation item is pancake mix. HOURS: Food pantry is the first Mon and first Wednesday of the month. The clothing store is Mon – Fri, 9 am to 3 pm., Thurs extended to 5pm and Saturday 10:00 am to 2:00 pm.