# Share & Prayer

Please call or email your prayer requests, praises & sympathies to the church office to have them added to the bulletin. You may also write them on a Connection Card at your pew and place it in an offering box.

Ken S - In hospice care at Newport Meadows.

Allen U - Recovering from heart surgery.

**Middle East Conflict** - For peace & God's protection against the violence. **Our Government** - Pray for our leaders as they make difficult decisions. **Stephanie W** - For healing & relief from pain.

Barbara Y - Recovering from a mitral valve replacement surgery.

## Missionaries

Newsletters are available in the mailboxes outside the back of the sanctuary.

Nathan & Laurel - World Team in Africa Garry & Ruth - EMM David & Dawnell - Commission to Every Nation in Mexico Kandace - EMM in Cambodia William - EMM Teaching Missionary Mike & Sharyn - Powered to Move in Texas Randall - Modern Day in Italy Dale & Kathy - YWAM Virginia & Chile Omar Family - Word of Life Thailand Jon & Amanda - CRU West Chester University Randy & Melanie - Reach Beyond in Mexico Mentor & Erinda - Eurasia Partners in Albania

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## CONTEND FOR THE GOSPEL & Remember The Poor

Galatians 2:1-10

Maple Grove Mennonite Churc

January 12

### HONORING THE START

Missions and outreach were a basic point in Anabaptist discipleship from the very beginning. In 1528, a group of Anabaptists were expelled from the church in Augsburg, Germany. Instead of being silent, they went out to small towns and spread the Gospel everywhere they went.

# Welcome Everyone!

Childcare facilities with live streaming are available in room 106 and room 102. **Room 106** is an unstaffed nursery for infants -1 yr. old located outside the back of the sanctuary. **Room 102** provides childcare for 1-3 yr. olds located before the sanctuary entrance.

This Sunday... January 12
9:00am Sunday School
10:00am Worship Service
Worship Leader: Pastor Matt Chambers
Sermon: Dwayne W, "Contend for The Gospel & Remember The Poor"
Galatians 2:1-10

Next Sunday... January 19
9:00am Sunday School
10:00am Worship Service
Worship Leader: Pastor Matt Chambers
Sermon: Pastor Mike Clemmer, "The Start of The Church", Luke 16-18

Morelia, Mexico Mission Trip Interest Meeting

# Announcements

#### \* GUEST SPEAKER

We welcome Dwayne W, Executive Director of the Parkesburg Point Youth Center, as our guest speaker today. Dwayne has a heart for youth and their families and is committed to empowering them to grow in both their faith and their personal lives. Dwayne and his spouse, Amy are the parents of two teenagers.

#### ✤ THANK YOU

Allen U would like to thank you all for showing kindness and support by providing meals and for praying for him as he recovers from heart surgery and some recovery complications. He is thankful to the Lord for a successful surgery and recovery! We pray for continued healing for Allen and that he would have good rest.

#### \* 2024 GIVING STATEMENT

2024 Year End giving statements were emailed on Tuesday, January 7, The download link is active until today, January 12, please be sure to download the statement today if you haven't already. Thank you!

#### \* THANK YOU

Thank you so much for your prayers, cards, and encouraging words during this past month. I am thankful to the Lord for a successful surgery and a time of rest & recovery God bless each one of you. - Barb Y

#### \* 500TH ANNIVERSARY INVITATION

You are invited to experience the 500th anniversary of the Anabaptist movement through prayer and worship on January 20, 21, and 22, 2025. Worship and prayer will be held daily at 10 am. There will be daily sessions at 1-5pm and 7-9pm at Petra Church. Sessions will be filled with input from various Anabaptist groups.

#### **\*\* AMEC BIBLE QUIZZING**

The 2025 Bible Quizzing season begins next Sunday, January 19, at 6:30pm at Petra Church! Team 1: Abby B, Calli K, Karolina K, Kaycee E, Racquel H Coaches: Dana S & Lisa H. Team 2: Blaine H, Grant U, Logan K, Nathan S, Peter H. Coaches: Brian H & Earl H. Team 3: Addison K, Daniel K, Eve D, Leah H, Peyton K. Coaches: Seth & Sarah H.

# Looking Ahead...

#### For more information & the church calendar visit: www.maplegrovemc.com

| January 14    | MYF @ Worship in the Barn           |
|---------------|-------------------------------------|
| January 19    | AMEC Bible Quizzing, 6:30pm, Petra  |
| January 20-22 | 500th Anabaptist Anniversary, Petra |

## Birthday Blessings!

1/10 Kyle S, 1/11 Cassidy S, Arlin K, 1/12 Ken U, 1/13 Melanie U, 1/14 Bud E, Judy M, Melissa K, 1/15 Moe S, 1/16 Carolyn B, Kristy B, 1/18 Tyler S

## Thank you for joining us today!