

# 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 the box at the Welcome Center.

**Flood Relief** - For those are affected by the hurricanes.

**K & L Family** - Mourning the loss of Joe K.

**Sandy L** - Recovering from back surgery

**Ken S** - In hospice care at Newport Meadows in Room #310.

**U & M Family** - Mourning the loss of Mildred U.

**Allen U** - Recovering from heart surgery.

**Middle East Conflict** - For peace & God's protection against the violence.

**Stephanie W** - For healing & relief from pain.

**Barbara Y** - Pray for 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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# Welcome Everyone!

Childcare facilities with live streaming are available at room 106 and room 102.

**Room 106** is an unstaffed nursery for infants -1 yr. old located at the back of the sanctuary.

**Room 102** provides childcare for 1-3 yr. olds located before the sanctuary entrance.

## Sunday School Childcare

Dianne U & Dalrene G

## Church Time Childcare

Grace & Sara M

## December 15

Linda Y & Marilyn U    Doug & Abbie G

### • This Sunday... December 8

9:00am: Sunday School

10:00am: Worship Service

Worship Leader: Pastor Matt Chambers

Sermon: Bishop Mark Wenger, "The Good News of Repentance", Mark 1:1-8

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10:00am: Worship Service

Worship Leader: Pastor Matt Chambers

Sermon: Pastor Mike Clemmer, "Plan B", Luke 2

# Announcements

## ● CHRISTMAS CHOIR PRACTICE

Practice for the Christmas Choir will be held in room 108 immediately after today's service. We are looking forward to celebrating Christmas through worshipping our Savior together! Any questions, contact Pastor Matt.

## ● OFFERING ENVELOPES

2025 Giving Envelopes are in your mailbox for those that use them. If you would like to use envelopes, or would like directions for online giving, see Wanda L at the Welcome Center.

## ● CHRISTMAS BRUNCH CASSEROLES

Breakfast casseroles are needed for our Christmas brunch on December 22. If you are able to provide one, please sign up at the Welcome Center! Thank you!

## ● FINANCE

December 29 is the last day for 2024 Tithes/Offerings to be included in your giving statement. Thank you for another year of faithful & generous giving!

## ● SPRUCE LAKE MEN'S RETREAT

This year's Spruce Lake Men's Retreat is January 9-10. The cost is \$142 per person. Head to the Welcome Center for more information and to sign up!

## ● CHRISTMAS CANDLELIGHT CHOIR PRACTICE

This Thursday, December 12, at 6:30pm there will be a choir practice for the Christmas Candlelight Service.

## ● MAPLE GROVE PRESCHOOL CANDLES

Thank you to everyone who purchased candles through the Maple Grove Preschool fundraiser! Your order is available for pick up on the table in the foyer! Contact Lydia B with any questions.

## ● PCCO & CORNERSTONE CHRISTMAS GIFTS DUE TODAY

Thank you to those who have purchased gifts for those in need this Christmas! With your help we were able to bless nine families through Cornerstone Reproductive Health and fourteen students through the PCCO!

## ● MAPLE GROVE PRESCHOOL COOKIES

Maple Grove Preschool is looking for volunteers to make cookies for their Christmas program. Sign up at the Welcome Center if you would like to donate cookies. Please drop them off December 18 or 19, during preschool hours 9:00am-12:00pm. Thank you!

# Looking Ahead...

For more information & the church calendar visit: [www.maplegrovemc.com](http://www.maplegrovemc.com)

December 11...	Sewing Circle, Maple Grove, 9-2pm
December 12...	Christmas Candlelight Choir Practice, 6:30pm
December 22...	No Sunday School, Brunch & Kid's Musical, 9:00am
December 22...	Candlelight Service, Maple Grove, 6:00pm
January 9-10...	Men's Retreat at Spruce Lake

## Birthday Blessings!

12/7 Colin B, Bo S, 12/8 Natalie U, Baylee S,  
12/9 Eric B, Fennec F, Jared M, 12/12 Mason B,  
12/13 Elizabeth C, 12/14 Dawnell G, Harold G,  
12/14 John S, Jonny U, 12/16 Katelyn B

## Anniversary Congratulations!

12/10 Darlene & Dean G

November Offerings - \$32,736.24  
Have a blessed week!