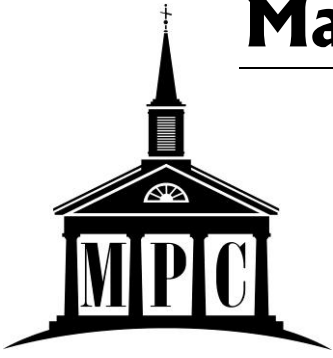




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WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

Sunday, Nov. 9, 2025 - 10:30 a.m. Worship

The Rev. Kirby Lawrence Hill, Guest Preacher – Sermon – When the Boat Rocks

We welcome you to join us in-person or virtually. You can access the live stream on Twitch [HERE](#).

The live stream link and weekly bulletins are also available on our website, www.marplepres.org.

MARPLE PRESBYTERIAN THRIFT SHOP

Saturday, Nov. 8 10 am – 4 pm

Tuesday, Nov. 11 10 am – 3 pm

JOYS AND CONCERNS ON ZOOM

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday 3 – 4 pm

zoom.us/j/6103561098 PW MPC

Tuesday, November 11 – Veteran's Day



CHOIR REHEARSAL

Thursday - 6:30 pm, MPC Chapel

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Nov. 19 at 7 pm – Session Meeting

Interfaith Thanksgiving Worship – Tuesday, Nov. 25 at 7 pm at Beth El-Ner Tamid

Nov. 26-28 – Church Office Closed

Dec. 7 at 10:30 am – Worship, Communion

Dec. 13 from 8 am – 12 pm – Breakfast with Santa

Dec. 14 at 10:30 am - Cantata

MPC Youth Group Assembles Buckets of Blessing

At the 11/2 Youth Group meeting, our Youth assembled the Buckets of Blessing made up from donations/funding from our church family. We have assembled 7 buckets and anticipate a few more once we have the final count on monetary donations.



YOUTH GROUP CALENDAR 2025-2026

MPC's Youth Group is open to all youth currently in 6th to 12th grade, regardless of membership at Marple Presbyterian Church. We typically meet a few Sundays per month from 4 – 7 pm in the Rowland Room at MPC, 105 N. Sproul Rd, Broomall, Pennsylvania. See below for meeting dates and special events!

Youth Group Meeting Dates:

October 19	February 15
November 2	March 1
December 7	March 15
December 21* – Christmas Party!	April 5
January 11*	April 19
January 25*	May 3
February 1	May 17

**For the Christmas Party, Youth Group will run from 3 pm to 6 pm. Youth are invited and encouraged to stay and attend MPC's Longest Night Service which is from 7-8 pm.*

**For January meetings, we will meet on the 2nd and 4th Sundays at the normal time.*

Special Events:

November 15-16 – Lock-in @ MPC

December 27 – Go Karts Trip

***We would like to plan an away retreat once we have a sense availability for our members in the Spring. We will announce dates and information after the holiday season.*

June 6 – Youth Group BBQ

***We are considering turning the BBQ into a campout at the Mitchells' house if members are interested in trying this. We have access to two campers, some indoor accommodations and may be able to procure tents for anyone really wanting to "rough" it.*

For more information, contact Kristen Mitchell at klizzano@gmail.com or 302-494-1146.



Volunteers needed for Breakfast with Santa on Saturday, Dec. 13th. Please call the church office or speak to Debbie Pettinelli if interested in helping with this festive event. We will also need homemade baked goods and treats. Sign-up sheets available in the narthex.



On Saturday, November 1st, our cemetery was visited by some men from the Bradbury Camp #149 of the "Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War" for the purpose of resetting Sidney B. Suydam's headstone. Sidney died in 1904 and was buried in our cemetery along with his wife and four of their children. Over the years his headstone had sunk into the ground. The brown area that you can see on the headstone in the photo was below ground level.

Sidney was one of about forty veterans of the Civil War who are buried in our cemetery. The men from the Bradbury Camp have expressed an interest in returning in the spring to give a little TLC to some of the other headstones.

Also in attendance on Saturday were one of Sidney's Great Grandsons and his wife, one of Sidney's Great Great Grandsons, his wife and their Daughter.

Coming this Advent!

Come to the Manger is a joyful service of lessons, carols, and anthems containing a mixture of original anthems and traditional carols. This multi-generational presentation will help us recall God's promised Messiah and the birth of the Christ child.



During this time of pastoral transition please be aware that the Deacons will be available for addressing and communicating any pastoral needs. You can email or text/call:

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or any Deacon listed in the bulletin.