

Marple Presbyterian Church



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WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

Sunday, April 12, 2026 - 10:30 a.m. Worship, Baptism

The Rev. Jim Reisner, Transitional Pastor – Sermon – The Road Goes Ever On and On

*The Road goes ever on and on
Down from the door where it began.
Now far ahead the Road has gone,
And I must follow, if I can,
Pursuing it with weary feet,
Until it joins some larger way,
Where many paths and errands meet.
And whither then? I cannot say.*

J.R.R. Tolkien

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

Past services may be viewed on our YouTube channel using the link on our website. The live stream link and weekly bulletins are also available on our website, www.marplepres.org.

MARPLE PRESBYTERIAN THRIFT SHOP

Saturday, April 11 10 am – 4 pm

Tuesday, April 14 10 am – 3 pm

JOYS AND CONCERNS ON ZOOM

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday 3 – 4 pm

zoom.us/j/6103561098 Password MPC

April 15 – Session Meeting at 7 pm

CHOIR REHEARSAL

Thursday - 6:30 pm, MPC Chapel

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:

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| 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.



Sunday, May 17 – There will be a congregational meal after worship. Please contact Debbie Pettinelli if you would be willing to make a dish or help serve.

Friday, June 5 – Strawberry Fest Please contact Debbie Pettinelli if you would be willing to help. This is a big event and many hands are needed. Please bring in any jewelry that may be collecting dust as well as any jewelry boxes.

Baby/Toddler Sunday School Class Forming

We are going to be kicking off an occasional baby/toddler (targeting ages 1-3) Sunday School class this Spring. As of right now, the plan is to hold the same during Sunday Services, with at least one parent participating in the class with their toddler. We will have pre-selected dates for the same based upon participant availability. If you are interested or want more information, please contact Kristen Mitchell at klizzano@gmail.com to be put on the email list for more information.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- May 6 – Deacon's Meeting via Zoom at 7:30 pm
- May 17 – Worship, Congregational Meal following Worship
- May 20 – Session Meeting at 7 pm
- May 24 – Guest Pastor

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:

Joyce Holmwood jholmwood433@comcast.net 610-888-7458

OR

Linda Pursley lpursley1981@gmail.com 631 942- 5758

or any Deacon listed in the bulletin.