



**Why We Exist:**

To *Love God, Connect People, and Transform the World*

Maple Grove is here to give people the best opportunity to become fully - developing followers of Jesus by:

- Inviting** you to share in an intimate relationship with God
- Connecting** you in a Life Group building intensive relationship
- Involving** you in a life-changing ministry and mission in our community and our world that people may come to know Jesus Christ.

**Follow the staff at Maple Grove on Facebook or Twitter and like the Maple Grove facebook page to get current updates and events.**

**If you're new to the Grove, here's what to do:**

**Fill out your Connection Card.**

To get connected and take the next steps in your spiritual journey, please fill out as much information as you feel comfortable sharing on your Connection Card. Then you drop it in the offering as it is collected during the service.

**Pick up your free gift & information about specific ministries at MGCC**

If this is your first time at Maple Grove, we want to offer you a free book. Simply drop your Connection card in the offering plate and then stop by the welcome area in the foyer.

**Maple Grove Christian Church**

**3210 Proffit Road  
Charlottesville, VA 22911  
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**GET ME MORE INFO ABOUT:**

- Becoming a follower of Jesus
- Baptism- Membership @ Maple Grove
- Need Help figuring out where to serve
- Need to join a Life Group
- I would like to volunteer to help with our monthly mission meals
- I can help with plumbing or electrical repair work
- I will bring a dessert next Sunday for the Meal

**Children's Ministry Needs**

- 10:30 Service openings
- K-1 children's church director
- 2<sup>nd</sup> grade table leader
- 2's - 3's class
- 4's class
- Other

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

**PRAYER:**

- Praises and Prayer Requests: \_\_\_\_\_
- Please place prayer request in the bulletin
- I will participate in the FCFH Challenge

Join us for our next... **Mmm Good!** Monthly Missions Meals are Nov. 6th @ 12:30pm

**Monthly Mission Meal**

Plan on lunch at Maple Grove after the 2nd service on Sunday, Nov. 6, when we have our Mmm...GOOD! monthly missions meal. Chicken cacciatore, spaghetti, caprese salad and garlic bread are on the menu, so come hungry! Remember, the meal is at no charge, but you may make a donation to the 2012 Mexico Missions Trip.

**Desserts Needed**

Could you make a dessert to share for the Mmm...GOOD! meal? If so, simply bring it to church on Sunday, Nov. 6 and bring it to the kitchen, and/or contact Beth Valorz (bethvalorz@embarqmail.com) or Ginger Ange (gdange@embarqmail.com). THANKS!

**Great Opportunity for Men**

The Tuesday Men's Bible Study is looking for some men to join us as we prepare our Church to host the PACEM men shelter. We will be coordinating prepping the youth center for cots, planning meals for one week, supplying any needed essentials, sharing the good news and doling out love the way we have been taught. The shelter will be setup from Nov. 5<sup>th</sup>-Nov. 12<sup>th</sup>, contact Bobby Porter, rporter4@embarqmail.com

**Ladies Movie Night**

Friday, Nov.11<sup>th</sup>, 7:00-10:00 p.m. Fellowship, Entertainment, & Enriching Spiritual Conversation. Come view an Academy Award-nominated film and enjoy group discussion about its spiritual themes. Beverages and popcorn will be provided. You are also invited to bring your favorite chocolate dessert to share. Childcare pre-registration is required for this event. Please email Sheila Zakielarz (szakielarz@earthlink.net) to pre-register for childcare by Wednesday., Nov. 9<sup>th</sup>. If no children are pre-registered by Wednesday, childcare will not be provided.



**Prayer Request**

**Sick/Recovering**

Janet Pompeo, Thelma Baker, Vicki Lynch, Victoria Clatterbuck, Jack Saville, Wendy Sprouse, Joe Clifton, Ellie Watson, Scott Branham, Ray McGarry, Kenne Driver, Clara Herring, Chuck Gaskill, Jacob Rainey, Rachel Douglas, Michael Sturges and family, Leon McDaniel, Charles Rogers, John Knight, Paula Winegar, Macy Klein, Dwayne Garrett, Felicia Owen, Jeff Bunts, Paul Coppolino (friend of Gary Rice), Chuck Gaskill, Soome Clark, Bob Moyer, Jim Dudding, Alyssa Divers, Tim Carr, Susan Coleman, Harold Soulis, Mike Fowler

**Serving overseas**

Doug Smith, Tyler Donarico, Bill Underwood, Faith Ignacio, Jeff Simpkins, Jared Vodak, and Bill Grossmann

**Stewardship Report 2011**

Weekly Offering Needed: \$ 9,600.00  
 Offering Oct. 23, 2011: \$ 6,203.52  
 Year to date weekly average: \$ 9030.78

**October 23rd to November 21st**  
 \$7.00 Shipping Fee Not Required  
 Return Box(es) to MGCC no later than Nov. 21st NOON  
 Questions: Marie Cotti at [mcotti@comcast.net](mailto:mcotti@comcast.net)

The mission of Operation Christmas Child is to demonstrate God's love in a tangible way to needy children around the world, and together with the local church worldwide, to share the Good News of Jesus Christ. For more information contact Marie Cotti, mcotti@comcast.net

October is **iCan Month.**

Beginning Sunday, October 2nd, we will be collecting non-perishable and canned food items throughout the month to help replenish our local food banks.



Thank you to everyone for contributing so generously to our food drive this month! Our barrels are over flowing and this will really help to replenish the area food banks!

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Change in contact information \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email (please print) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best Contact Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Occupation/Special Skills \_\_\_\_\_  
 If 1st or 2nd time guest, how did you hear about Maple Grove? \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Internet, Android App, Newspaper, Name of person who invited you)

I am a :  
 First time guest  
 Second time guest  
 Regular Attender  
 Member  
 New to the Area

Connection Card  
 October 30<sup>th</sup>, 2011