

Dear Church Family

A teacher asked her class a question in fractions. "If your mother baked a pie for seven people, for you five children and your parents, what fraction of the pie would you get?"

"A sixth," said a young boy.

"But there are seven of you!" said the teacher. "Don't you know anything about fractions?"

"Yes," came the reply. "I know about fractions, but I know about mothers too. My mother would say she didn't want any pie."

How many of us had a mother like this, or someone who showed motherly love to us? It could have been a grandmother or an aunt, maybe a sister or a friend. Most of us has or had someone like this in our lives.

I think about my mother all the time. She went to be with the Lord two years ago. She molded me into the person I am today. I hear her in my voice and more than that I see her in my children. I was telling my son, Lawson, that he is quite the gentleman, and he said grandma taught me just like she taught you. He was right! If your mother figure has passed on, thank the Lord for the blessing and gift that he gave you. If your mother figure is still with you, thank them and tell them they are a blessing to you. You won't regret it.

God Bless,

Pastor Larry

Funny

A teacher had just presented a lesson on magnetic force. Then she quizzed her students.

"My name starts with M, I have six letters and I pick up things. What am I?"

To her amazement, the children answered: "Mother!"

Sunday Fellowship Time Refreshments Schedule

May 8 Larry & Carolyn Ort

May 15 Karen Taylor

May 22 All Church Lunch **10:30 AM** Worship Service

May 29 Greg Feitz

Please plan to bring about 4 dozen cookies. Thank You

May Calendar

Mother Daughter Banquet – Friday, May 6 at 6:00 PM

Mary Magdalene Mission Circle

Monday, May 9 at 7:00 PM

Blood Drive – Tuesday, May 10 3:00 – 7:00 PM at Palmer's

Nominations Meeting – Thursday, May 12 at 7:00 PM

Rummage Sale Work Day – Wednesday, May 11

Rummage/Bake Sale – Saturday, May 14

****Rummage Sale items may be brought to the church NOW
and placed in the room next to Pastor Larry's office****

4's & 5's Little Ones' Preschool Spring Program – Tuesday, May 17 at 7:00 PM

3's & 4's Little Ones' Preschool Spring Program – Thursday, May 19 at 7:00 PM

Town Wide Yard Sale – Saturday, May 21

Sunday, May 22 – 10:30 Worship Service followed by all church lunch

Ida Mission Circle – Wednesday, May 25 – Eat Out

Fellowship Meeting – Thursday, May 26 7:00 PM

Euchre/Game Night – Saturday, May 28 at 6:45 PM

May/June Upper Room Devotionals are available at the welcome counter and the literature rack in the hallway.

Food Pantry Needs:

saltine crackers, powdered milk or shelf stable milk,
canned vegetables, Hamburger/Tuna Helper,
noodles, pasta sides, pudding/gelatin mix

Thank you for supporting the Food Pantry.

Thank You Notes

Carlene, please convey to your “kidos” the pleasure I received from their remembrances on those special moments. Give a special thanks to Hunter for his workmanship on the Spring/Easter flower pot. So special!

God Bless All of you. – Nancy Shirley

If any church families have children or grandchildren in the preschool age group you may pick up registration forms for preschool in the church office or contact Carlene Weber. Students must be 3 or 4 by August 1.

Cardio Drumming – No Drumming May 14

Classes are Saturdays at 9:00 AM in Trodie Hall. Led by Sara Sauer, the classes are FREE of charge. Bring a 55 to 75 cm ball, a 25+ gallon bucket and drum sticks. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to participate!

Prayer, Prayer, Prayer Please join us for prayer on Mondays at 7:00 PM on ZOOM. Click on the link to attend <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85497792652> or call 1-312-626-6799 and use this code when prompted 854 9779 2652.