

THE BROADCASTER

April 26, 2023

Pastor's Piece

Mother's Day is just around the corner. We all look forward to spending a special day celebrating with our amazing mom. Mother's Day always reminds me of the value of our moms and what they mean to us. Everything that they do, everything that they say, everything that they are to us, sometimes it is easy for us to take all of those things for granted. We don't see those things and they go unnoticed many times.

For my wife Ara, a mother of two children, actually three children, I mean she's been raising three children Jeffrey, Jenna, and Ji. I often forget everything she does for her family. She is the one who does all the laundry for three kids. I know we take turns, but she prepares meals for us, she cleans, she calculates all the financial plans, she does all bookkeeping and collects documents for taxes. I could keep going on and on. On top of that she is also working. In the midst of that she is trying to support this church and its ministry. She is like a supermom. I think all the mothers in this world are supermom.

Husbands, sons, and daughters, what are some of the things that have gone unnoticed? What are some of the things that she has been doing that maybe you haven't really called out and recognized, you haven't really taken time to say, "Thank you!" There are thousands of people who appreciate our moms, their efforts and we want to honor them by appreciating them.

Scripture is clear, you value more, you treasure more, you respect elderly more, particularly your mom and dad. Ephesians 6:1, "Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right." Leviticus 19:3, "Each of you must respect your mother and father." Dear husbands and children, I want to invite you to appreciate and honor our moms on Mother's Day.

Grace and Peace,

Pastor Ji



OUR PRAYERS FOR

Those Within the Church

Alex Barbour, Judy Castor, Charlie Davis and family at the death of his brother Tom Davis, Marilyn Grandfield, Al Hobson, Monica McClure, Nancy Reeves, Tammy Taylor, Bev Winter

Our Leaders

Law Enforcement Officers in our community and in the nation, the persecuted Christians around the world.
God's Guidance and Strength for President Biden, Our Troops and their Families

Our Military

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| † Michael Barbett – Darryl & Val Wall's son-in-law | † CPL Jay McDoniel |
| † CPL Cody Blair – Judy Lann's grandson | † Erik Nott & family – Doug & Gay Vannaman's son-in-law |
| † Dennis Burns Jr (DJ) – Dennis Burns Sr & Lisa Soetebier's son | † MSGT Leah Oakleaf – Walt & Janet Southards' granddaughter |
| † Lt. Col. Adam Coffman – Gladys Coffman's grandson | † SGT Steven Pearce – Walt & Janet Southards' nephew |
| † Kristopher Dewitt – Mary Stout's grandson | † Erik Ralsten |
| † Chance Greenhoff – Army | † CPL Bethany Reeves McDoniel |
| † James Harris (MP) – Bill & Joy Page's grandson | † AIC Bradley Southards – Walt & Janet Southards' grandson |
| † Austin Kroeger | |

Thank You To...

Thank you to the people who made my suncatcher and those who delivered it to me. I have it hanging in my window and love how it catches the morning light! I'm happy to enjoy it every day!

Carolyn Stanek

The family of Don Jacob would like to thank you for the cards, calls, flowers, food, and prayers at the time of his passing. We appreciate all you did.

The Don Jacob Family

FUMCVC'S VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

HERO HOTLINE

MONDAY, JUNE 12 – FRIDAY, JUNE 16, 2023

9:00 A.M. – 12:00 P.M.

*For children 4 years old (as of Monday, June 12)
through those entering fifth grade in the fall of 2023.*

Want to help at this years VBS? Please contact the office.





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| 1 Alta Hickok | 1 Judy Freed | 3 Bill Lampe |
| 4 Kelsey Koch | 4 Ashley Frazier | 4 Liam Blumanhourst |
| 5 Katie Rice | 5 Emmett Henderson | 6 Jordan Buell |
| 8 John Seyb | 9 Paige Vannaman Olson | 9 Casey Qualls |
| 10 Denise Newfer | 11 Anne Wilson | 11 Joni Klaus |
| 12 Crystal Henderson | 14 Braden Holle | 14 Payton Williams |
| 14 Bristol Watkins-Held | 15 Dylan Dunn | 15 Nathan Schaar |
| 15 Sarah Schaar | 16 Terry Ishman | 16 Ron McKown |
| 16 Barbara Leewright | 16 Jenna Ju | 17 Mary Stout |
| 17 Larry Lafferty | 17 Whitney Shelton | 19 Barrett Smith |
| 20 Judy Taldo | 22 Ed Verlin | 22 Bill Williamson |
| 22 Martha Campbell | 22 Stella Clark | 23 Marvin Richards |
| 23 Feryl Potter | 25 Darren Edwards | 25 Jami Dessenberger |
| 25 Angie Girtz | 25 Max Williams | 26 Emily Reffner |
| 26 Hadley Ishman | 27 Jade Dundas | 28 Steve Richards |
| 28 Amy Sears | 28 Sylas Spaulding | 28 Maryn Rich |
| 29 Doug Kirkland | 29 Sue Hadley | 30 Marv Kallenbach |
| 31 Lynn Bartel | 31 Donna Conway | |

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| 17 Josh & Jamie Neally | 23 Tim & Jill Lipke |
| 28 Eric & Keri Scriven | 30 Bud & Vera Koehn |
| 30 Joe & Jamie Dessenberger | 31 Roger & Karen Williams |





WEEKLY:

SUNDAYS	MONDAYS	TUESDAYS	WEDNESDAYS	THURSDAYS	FRIDAYS
Traditional Worship 9:00a	Soul Trainers 10:00a WCC		JOY Group 9:30a FS		Soul Trainers 10:00a WCC
Sunday School 10:00a	Progressive Class 7:00p FS		Soul Trainers 10:00a WCC		
Contemporary Worship 11:00a			Chancel Choir 5:00p SAN		
UMYF MS & HS 5:00p WCC			WOW ZONE! 6:00p		

SPECIAL:

Eat, Pray, Quilt...Whatever Friday, May 12 11:00 a.m. WCC	Graduation Sunday Sunday, May 14	Lunch & Learn / Hutchinson Thursday, May 18
Book Club Wednesday, May 24 6:00 p.m. CR		Church Office Closed Monday, May 29

SCOUTING GROUPS:

Adventure Crew First Mondays 6:00 p.m.	Girl Scout Troop 40021 First & Third Mondays 6:00 p.m.	Girl Scout Troop 40316 First & Third Mondays 6:00 p.m.
Boy Scout Troop 494 Mondays 7:00 p.m.	Girl Scout Troop 40870 Tuesdays 6:00 p.m.	Cub Scouts Pack 494 Tuesdays 7:00 p.m.
	Girl Scout Troop 40037 First & Third Thursdays 7:15 p.m.	

fumcvc's GOINGS ON...

Eat, Pray, Quilt...Whatever will meet **Friday, May 12** at 11:00a in the WCC. Please bring a craft to work on and a salad to share.

Graduation Sunday will be **Sunday, May 14**. Come celebrate our 2023 graduates with a small reception in the foyer following the 9:00 a.m. worship service.

Our May Lunch and Learn will be **Thursday, May 18** from 8:30 a.m. until about 4:00 p.m. We're going to Hutchinson! Contact the office to get your name on the list.

May's Book Club selection is *Call of a Coward: The God of Moses and the Middle-Class Housewife* by Marcia Moston. Moses never wanted to be a leader. Jonah ran away from his missions call. And when Marcia Moston's husband came home with a call to foreign missions, she was sure God had the wrong number. His call conflicted with her own dreams, demanded credentials she didn't have, and required courage she couldn't seem to find. She promised to follow where God led, but she never thought the road would lead to a Mayan village on a Guatemalan mountainside. From the treacherous road trip to their new village home, to learning to navigate a new culture, to a stateside mission field in Vermont, Moston's journey reveals that God leads just as clearly today as he did in biblical times. Her candid account tells a story of learning to trust and obey when faithfulness seems foolish. Written with humor and insight, *Call of a Coward* is an engaging reminder that with our very real God in control, cowards become courageous and ordinary people find great purpose. **We will meet Wednesday, May 24 at 6:00 p.m. in the Conference Room. The church has copies available for \$1.00.**

The Church Office will be closed Monday, May 29.

During the school year, we have a great group of volunteers deliver meals each Friday. We like to give them a break during the summer and allow others who are only able to volunteer in the summer a chance to help with this. Summer delivery will begin **Friday, June 2**. Please contact the office if you'd like to help.

Save the date! The Women's Retreat will be **Saturday, July 8** from 8:30 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. Watch for more details!

2 Ways to Give

May's giving for Open Door and the Valley Center Food Pantry is canned vegetables and canned fruit. **Donations can be brought to the main foyer and put in the storage cabinet on the south wall.**



FIFTH SUNDAY BRUNCH

SUNDAY, APRIL 30, 2023
10:00 A.M.—11:00 A.M.

WCC

FREE WILL OFFERING

All proceeds benefit High School
Summer 2023 Mission Trip



CONGRATULATIONS 2023 GRADUATES!

BROOKE DEVEREAUX KADEN LAMPE

CHLOE SCRIVEN TOMMY SPRATT

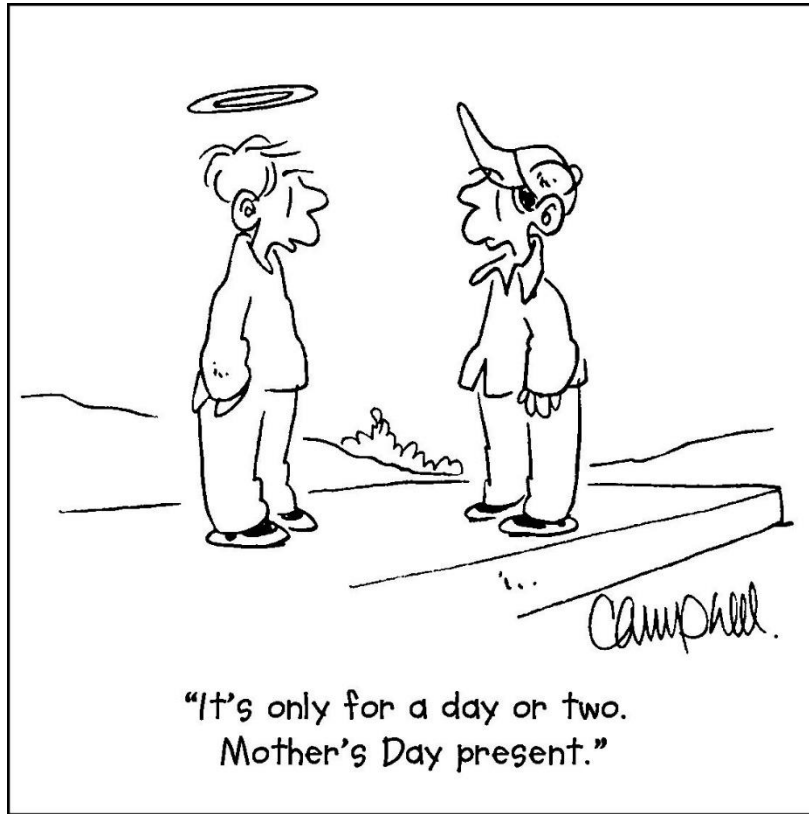
COLLEGE GRADUATES

KYLE STAMM

"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future."

Jeremiah 29:11

Graduation Reception - Sunday, May 14 immediately following the 9:00 a.m. worship service. Come by the main foyer to say, "Congratulations!" to our 2023 graduates.



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