

MAY ACTIVITIES:

May 26th: Ladies Dinner at the Parkette starting at 5 P.M.

May 30th: Memorial Day

ANNOUNCEMENTS:



⇒ **Jacob & Elizabeth Carder** are expecting the arrival of their baby **girl** in early June! We will be collecting funds to purchase a gift off their registry. If you would like to contribute, please see Natalie Seyler.

⇒ **Friends and Family Day** is right around the corner!

Postcards are available on the back and side tables to pick up and distribute to anyone you would like to invite.

⇒ **Ladies!** If you are interested in attending our monthly get together on the 26th, please sign up on the back table so we can have an accurate head count. Thank you!

⇒ **We have some new members to welcome to our congregation!** Please add their names & address to the back of your directory.

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May 8th, 2022

Happy Mother's Day!

In the passage on "the worthy woman," it is noted, "Her children rise up and bless

her" (Proverbs 31:28a). The King James Version expresses the thought this way: "Her children arise up, and call her blessed."

Mothers are special. In a *Peanuts* comic strip, Charlie Brown said, "Everyone needs someone to love them, trust them, care for them, support them, laugh and cry with them." Lucy responded, "That's a lot of people." Then Snoopy added, "Or one wonderful mother." Most of us could rise up and call our mothers blessed.

In Luke 1 we are encouraged to call someone else's mother blessed. In verse 42 Elizabeth said to a mother-to-be: "Blessed are you among women." In verse 48 the woman addressed replied, "For behold, from this time on all generations will count me blessed." The passage speaks of Mary, the mother of Jesus.

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Times of Service

Sunday:

Bible Study 9:30 am

Worship 10:30 am

Evening Worship 6 pm

Wednesday:

Bible Study 7 pm

Elders: Raymond Anderson, Don Riffle & Wayne Hartman

Deacons: Gene Wright & Robbie Buffington

Minister: Mark Jones Phone: (304) 842-6738

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All mothers are blessed, but Mary was especially blessed. Of all the Jewish women living at that time, God chose her to be the mother of His Son. Consider just a few of the many reasons what made Mary so special:

- She was a godly woman (Luke 1:30).
- She believed in God—and His power (Luke 1:31-33).
- She had a humble spirit (Luke 1:38, 48).
- She was submissive to the will of God (Luke 1:38).
- She knew the Scriptures (Luke 1:46-49).
- She was brave and courageous (Luke 2:25-35).
- She was willing to accept responsibility (Luke 2:41-51).
- She expressed confidence in her son (John 2:3-5).
- She was faithful to her task to the end (John 19:25-27).

(Truth for Today Commentary, The Life of Christ, pp. 49-58)

To all our mothers, thank you for your love, devotion, example, encouragement and unending selflessness. May all our children rise up and call you blessed!

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Monticello, AR



CrossWORD

"Famous Bible Mothers"

Across
 3) Jacob's second wife.
 5) Virgin who gave birth to Jesus.
 7) Mother of Jacob and Esau.
 9) Mother of John the baptizer.

Down
 1) Mother of Moses.
 2) Dedicated her son to God's service.
 4) Mother of all living.
 6) Isaac's mom.
 8) Jacob's first wife.

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Our Record: May 1st

Sunday Morning Assembly

64

Sunday Bible Class

44

Sunday Evening

42

Wednesday Bible Study

27

Contribution (Budget \$4,000)

\$3,370

May Birthdays / Anniversary List:

- 1– Tim & Brandi Richmond (A) 3- Steve & Kathy Cross (A) 4- Eddie Eskew 6-Joyce Wright 6-Brandon Southall 6-Gary Blizzard 8-Cristy Buffington 9-Raymond Anderson/ Steve & Marcy Potts (A) 10- Julie Armstrong 13-Sally Harper 14- Jacob Carder/ Wayne & Susan Hartman (A) 16– Rodney & Leah Sleeth (A) 17-Marcy Potts 24-Cathy Richmond 25– Andrew & Holly Weaver (A) 27-Conner Buffington

Prayer Requests

For Our Congregation:

- **Our Shut-in's:** Jackie Moore, Helen Potts, Brenda Fortney, Darrell Eddy, Yvonne Maxwell, and Judy Garner
- **Lois Reed:** Struggling with an after-covid sinus infection.
- **Jessica Blizzard:** Having issues with her hand/wrist. Will be meeting with a specialist on May 5th.



For Our Family & Friends:

- **Randy & Beth Cook's nephew Ashton** (age 2)- battling a brain tumor.
- **Brenda Donnelan's Daughter**– Post surgery recovery and tests.

(If you have a prayer request or need to put something in the bulletin– Please email it to bgptchurchofchrist@yahoo.com or write it down and give it to Natalie Seyler before Thursday of that week.)

May Card Distributor: Karen Seyler

May Baptismal Garments: Cheryl Kelch

May Greeters: (Need Greeters)

Events for Bridgeport 2022

June 12th - Friends & Family Day

August 6th- VBS

August 14th– Ladies Planning Meeting