



### **MISSION STATEMENT**

**Working together to follow Christ in joyfully serving our neighbors.**

**VIRTUAL SERVICE** – Please be sure to comment when you are watching our virtual service. This is how we are taking attendance and we want you to be counted. And remember, we are open on Sundays for worship if you are comfortable joining with us, using the precautions we have in place.

*Fourth Sunday of Easter*

**May 8**

**SCRIPTURE: Luke 24:44-45, Acts 16:14, Matthew 16:13-17**

**Sermon: With an Assist From God**

**NAME TAGS** – Be sure to wear your name tags.

**THE FLOWERS THIS SUNDAY** – Are given to the Glory of God and in celebration of all women on this Mother's Day.

**USHERS FOR THIS SUNDAY** – Rachel Steele, Tom Burns, Betty Harraman, Jessica Morgan, Gene Gilleland

**ELDER GREETERS THIS SUNDAY** – Mac Winget, Melinda Whitaker

**ORDER OF WORSHIP** – is available on Sunday, in a limited number, on the two stands just inside the lobby doors. You will also find the QR code in the lobby on the tables beside the main doors to the Sanctuary on Sunday morning, and it is available, every Friday on our web page (under Worship), by scanning the QR code below.



**HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!** There's a passage of scripture in the first 2 chapters of First Samuel about a lady who had prayed to our Lord for a child. Being a woman without children in Old Testament days was taken as evidence of God not being pleased with a woman who was barren.

God answered Hannah's prayer to have a child and she honored her vow to dedicate her son to the service of God at the temple. Once the child was weaned, she presented him to the priest, Eli. Yearly she would visit him, and in one of the most tender stories in Scripture in I Samuel 2:18-19, "Now Samuel was ministering before the Lord, as a boy wearing a linen ephod. And his mother would make him a little robe and bring it to him from year to year when she would come up with her husband to offer the yearly sacrifice."

Don't you know she labored over that robe the entire year, probably changing the style or colors several times as she thought about her son. God also blessed Hannah with three additional sons and two daughters.

**BASIC TRAINING** – will meet directly after church on May 22<sup>nd</sup> for a pool party. There is no need to pack a lunch, as pizza will be provided.

**THANK YOU!** We would like to thank Janice Allen so much for making our new Pew Bags. Janice is one of our leaders for our craft day. We do appreciate Janice and her hard work.

Please join us on the second Friday of every month at 10:00 in the small dining room. We would love to see you there! Betty Harraman

**LADIES CIRCLE NEWS** - We will have our last lesson of the year on May 10<sup>th</sup> with Susan Kurt leading Lesson 9 in our book, Listening to God. After our lesson, we will go to Copper Kettle for lunch! We plan to eat outside and hope to see everyone there. Betty Harraman

## **Adult VBS Study Opportunity**

### **UnDistracted by Bob Goff**

**ADULT VBS STUDY** - Join with Pastor Jeff as we explore the Bob Goff series Undistracted. Don't let distractions steal your joy. You live with a massive amount of distraction. Each day, you are bombarded by texts, crises, an endless to do list that steals your focus and detracts you from the greater purposes that God wants you to pursue. Undistracted is designed to serve like rumble strips on the road to alert you as to how far you have drifted from your lane. In each session, Bob draws on stories from his own life to show you the way to an audaciously attentive life with God. Registration is already open through Realm. Please register if you plan to attend.

**THE CONGREGATIONAL CARE MINISTRY TEAM** - is organizing a group of folks to help with meals when needed for families with new babies, folks returning home from the hospital, rehab, or sickness, etc. This will be set up like our bereavement teams for funerals. We would like to have several teams with two or three on each team to prepare meals and deliver to the ones in need. This way, one person is not responsible for the whole meal as well as getting it to the families/person. At times we could have multiple people in need, or it might be quite a while before there is a need. We will rotate the teams, so you are not called on too often. Please consider joining a team. We need your help!

If you need additional information or would like to sign up, please contact Betty Small. Thank you so much for your service to our church.

**HELP NEEDED** - "The Finance Team is looking for additional people to count the offering each week. Counting currently occurs each Tuesday at 10 AM. The process takes approximately 30 minutes. Please reach out to Bill Harraman if you can help.

**OUR NEXT BLOOD DRIVE** – will take place on Sunday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> from 11:30 am – 4:00 pm in the Multipurpose Room. You can sign up and get the time that is the best for you, by going to [redcrossblood.org](http://redcrossblood.org). Please consider giving the “gift of life!”

**ATTENTION VETERANS!** – The Congregational Care Ministry Team is asking that all the veterans in our church provide us with a picture of you in your uniform along with your branch of service and rank. We would like to work on a small project for Veteran's Day. The sooner you can get it to us, though, the more time we can have to get it together. This can be a hard copy or digital. Your help is appreciated. Please get it to the church office (Jamey) or to Betty Small. Thank you so much!"

### **CHURCH ATTENDANCE MAY 1**

**Inhouse – 197**

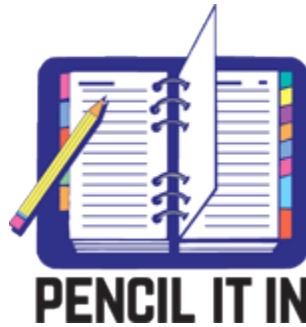
**Facebook & YouTube – 155**

**Total – 352**



**VBS REGISTRATION & DINNER RESERVATIONS** – are now open for June 12 - 16. Click on the link below to register your children and sign up for dinner each night. Please share this information with your family and friends and invite them to join us for VBS! If you do not have a child attending, but you would like to come for dinner, registration will be open on June 6 through Realm. A link for you to sign up will be provided prior to June 6.

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**Sunday, May 8**

Mother's Day  
09:30 am Sunday School  
10:30 am Worship  
08:00 pm AA Meeting

**Monday, May 9**

06:30 pm Mission Team Mtg.

**Tuesday, May 10**

10:00 am Women's Circle  
12:00 pm Staff Meeting  
02:00 pm Outreach Ministry Mtg.  
05:00 pm Social for Regency  
05:30 pm Alianza Youth Mtg.  
06:00 pm Regency HOA  
06:30 pm Finance Team Mtg.

**Wednesday, May 11**

06:30 pm Worship Team Rehearsal  
07:30 pm Choir Practice  
08:00 pm AA Meeting

**Thursday, May 12**

09:30 am Preschool Council Mtg.  
05:45 pm GS Troop 7012  
06:30 pm Zoom Congregational Care Mtg.  
07:00 pm Handbell Practice  
07:30 pm Technology Team Teleconference

**Friday, May 13**

10:00 am Crafters

**Saturday, May 14**

10:00 am Women's Retreat  
03:00 pm Corvette Club Meeting

**Sunday, May 15**

09:30 am Sunday School  
10:30 am Worship  
02:00 pm GS Troop 3693  
05:00 pm Youth Group  
08:00 pm AA Meeting



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|-------------------|----|--------------------|----|
| Jay Rawls         | 1  | Melinda Whitaker   | 12 |
| Andrew Siniarski  | 1  | Everly Michel      | 17 |
| Michael Morgan    | 3  | Will Salmon        | 19 |
| Betty Harraman    | 4  | John Clark         | 20 |
| Parker Beachley   | 4  | Will Lindsay       | 20 |
| Keri Schafer      | 5  | Ed Lemond          | 20 |
| Donna Roth        | 5  | Ted Harkey         | 20 |
| Bruce Doan        | 6  | Davis Whitby       | 21 |
| Joy Burton        | 6  | Maddalynn McAliley | 21 |
| Margaret Johnson  | 6  | Kyle Nielsen       | 21 |
| Judy Martin       | 6  | Gerry Roberts      | 22 |
| Dorinda Snyder    | 6  | Thad Carroll       | 22 |
| Sydney Snyder     | 6  | Price Freeman      | 23 |
| Hannah Thompson   | 6  | Karen Shaver       | 24 |
| John Henry Morgan | 6  | Kathy Kaylor       | 25 |
| Saundra Doane     | 7  | Liza Smith         | 25 |
| Christian McCall  | 7  | Kate Lemond        | 26 |
| Nancy Hommes      | 7  | Laura Whitby       | 26 |
| Eric Brody        | 9  | Rowan Morgan       | 26 |
| Greg Hommes       | 10 | Pat McNulty        | 28 |
| Hamilton McCall   | 11 | Donna Noblitt      | 29 |
| Deborah Thrower   | 12 |                    |    |

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!!**



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|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Marguerite Aycoth | Joan Brown      | Joy Burton      |
| Betty Byrum       | Bob Capps       | Joyce Carpenter |
| Frances Currie    | Charlie Earp    | Dot Earp        |
| Katharine Freeman | Louise Freeman  | Joe Furr        |
| Price Gwynn       | Danny Martin    | Hannah Mauer    |
| John McKay        | Margaret Niell  | Marilyn Price   |
| Gerry Roberts     | Marjorie Smith  | Mike Spratt     |
| Margaret Wert     | Wayne Whiteside | Lois Yandle     |



**PLEASE BE IN PRAYER FOR:**

Trey Rogers – Recovering from surgery

David Giles – At home recovering from surgery and is doing very well. He would appreciate continued prayers.

Ernie Coskrey – Underwent shoulder surgery on May 5<sup>th</sup> and he is home doing fine

Betty Byrum – Recovering at home

Bill Ferguson – In hospital recovering from surgery

Chandler Lemond – undergoing medical tests for possible liver issues – nephew of the Lemond's

Jim Conner – Cancer – Father of Beckie Ennis

Shannon Ennis – Cancer – Daughter-in-law of Beckie Ennis

Brenda Bledsoe – Covid

Kelly Bledsoe – Covid

John McKay – Hospice care

Laura McAliley – Covid and is very sick – David & Courtney McAliley's sister-in-law

Robin Beachley – Recovering from surgery for a fractured ankle

Sammy Gatewood – Healthcare at Sharon Towers

Lynn Kuehl – Brain cancer, friend of Allyson Rogers

Diana Hunter – Diagnosed with pancreatic cancer and starting chemotherapy – friend of the McCorkle's

Linda Hess – Recovering from a fractured hand

Larry Monroe – Health concerns

Debbie Weeden – Still battling cancer

Joanne Gregory – Pancreatic cancer, undergoing chemo, friend of Patty Tachayapong

Ann McCuiston McFall – Health concern – friend of Betsy Stewart

Bobby Robinson – New treatment for his cancer - brother of Linda Freeman,

Kate Driscoll – Nerve damage to shoulder

Dianne Storey – Lung cancer – aunt of Jamin Shanti

Chickie Miller - Undergoing chemo treatment for cancer - friend of John and Karen Shaver

George Thrower – In Rehab

Richard Meeks – Throat cancer – friend of Marcia Henderson

Jeannie Purvis – Cancer – wife of Mike Purvis

**Please pray for our Members of the Armed Forces**

Brian Cox – US Air Force, South Korea

Olivia Hommes – US Air Force Academy, Colorado

Lexie Simerly – US Army – Fort Carson, Colorado

Will Warsaw – US Navy, Japan

Gabe White – US Army – Fort Wainwright, Alaska



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