

May 12, 2024  
Mother's Day

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT FELLOWSHIP MEAL:**

**May 15:** Fried Chicken, Potato Casserole, Field Peas, Rolls, Tea & Dessert

**Bible Study @ 6:00pm followed by meal at 6:30pm**

**Please be mindful that if your reservation is not canceled by noon on Tuesdays, you are responsible for the payment.**

Cost: Adults = \$8.00 Children under 12 = \$3.50 **TAKEOUT = \$5.00**

Avalon Missions Committee has designated all Communion Offerings for the month of May to **Magnolia Manor/League of Good Samaritan!**

## PRAYER REQUEST

Dorothy Griffin, Wendy McLeod (friend of Pastor Debbie), Janice Roberts (Mother of Pastor Debbie), Jerry & Cherry Garrett & Family, Wayne & Diane Barnette, Sheila (sister of Beverly Fowler), Leon Perrett, Dee Barronton, Norma Jean Smith, Mona Faye Williams, Ted Glazier (Katie Reed's nephew) Janet Battiste, Bobby Bruner, Dewey Perrett (Son of Leon Perrett), Michael Perrett (Brother of Leon Perrett), Floyd & Mary Herman, People of Israel, Savannah Burnett (Great Granddaughter of Carolyn Luttrell), Nola Bricker, Tifton Hall (Grandson of Rita Hall), Sherry Corn (Mother of Pam Hopkins daughter-in-law), Janice Lesley (Daughter of Carolyn Luttrell), Carolyn Luttrell, Judy Timmons (Friend of Linda Jenkins), Connie Conley (Cousin of Linda Jenkins), Bill Beard, Gay Sheffield & Family in death of her husband on 4/24/24, Pam Reed (Sister-in-law of Katie Reed), Family of Nelle Ennis in her death on 4/26/24, Randy Warren

**Home Bound:** *Please join us in this ministry to these members.*

Barry Daniel, Gay Sheffield, Phyl Strawbridge, Margaret Bruner, Wilda Rutland, Graham Lowe, Carolyn Ivey

Prayer Request:

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Prelude Rev. Michael Wojnar

Welcome & Announcements Terri Stumpe

\*The Apostles' Creed "Christians, what do you believe?" Pg. 881

Doxology: Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below. Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts, praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Choir Introit "The Family Prayer Song" Chancel Choir

Opening Hymn "For the Beauty of the Earth" Pg. 92/screen

Pastoral Prayer Pastor Debbie Cone

Mother's Day Tribute Video **Recognition of Mothers**

Praise Songs "The Family of God" screen  
"Shout to The Lord" screen  
"I Love You Lord" screen

Special Music "God Give Us Christian Homes" Chancel Choir

Sermon Pastor Debbie Cone

Invitation "Take Time to Be Holy" Pg. 395/screen

### Gifts for Mothers

Benediction

Postlude Rev. Michael Wojnar

\*Please stand as you are able  
Please fill out the attendance pad found in your pew & place in the offering plate.

*Flowers in sanctuary last Sunday were in memory of Mrs. Nelle Ennis.  
(Sorry for omission)*

**THOSE WHO SERVE ON MAY 12:**

Offering Stewards: Ellen Branch / Kim Plette

Ushers: Lloyd Mears, Ron Wolfe, Denis Plette

Bill Beard, Bobby Bruner

Nursery Volunteer: Nancy Newman

Trustee for May: Denis Plette

Greeters: Bobby Bruner, Mona Faye Williams, Lloyd Mears

**“WHERE FRIENDS GATHER”**

**SATURDAY, MAY 18<sup>TH</sup>**

**11:00am – 3:00pm**

**In Celebration Hall**

**Deadline for purchasing your ticket is Wednesday, May 15<sup>th</sup>.**

**EVANGELISTIC BLITZ... Next Sunday, May 19, immediately after morning worship** we will be putting together 100 bags which we will later be distributing within our community. **The more people who stay to help the quicker we will get them done.**

Let's be intentional about reaching the lost with the Gospel.

Don't forget to pick up your baby bottle today in the Atrium so you can fill it with loose change and dollar bills for this Mission Project. **“Bottles for Babies”** is sponsored by the Alpha Pregnancy Center. We will collect all bottles on Father's Day for delivery.



A special “thank you” to everyone who helped in any way (candy, food, games, set up, clean up, etc.) with the Spring Fling Event last Saturday. Including the kids and adults we had a total of 42 to attend.

**SOUTHWEST DISTRICT CONFERENCE  
TUESDAY, MAY 21, 6:00pm, @ CAMILLA UMC  
FOR PASTOR'S & CHURCH MEMBERS**



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**May 12, 2024**

**Sunday School 9:30 AM  
Morning Worship 10:30 AM**

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Pastor Debbie Cone