

Lines from Larry

There are several special dates that we celebrate during May: Mother's Day, Graduations, and Memorial Day. Because of these special days, May becomes a very busy month. Mother's Day is special because we honor or remember our mother. Mothers spend several months carrying us in their womb and that creates a special bond between mother and child. Paul tells us in 2 Timothy 1:5 that Timothy received instruction in the Scripture by his mother and grandmother, Eunice and Lois. Paul also tells Timothy that older women are to mentor younger women. If you are a mother, are you mentoring younger women to be women of God?

In May, we watch many students graduate from high school or college. The Bible tells us to "train up a child in the way he should go and he will not depart from it" Proverbs 22:6. As a teacher, what are you training to know? Are we teaching people to love God and love people?

Then, the end of May we remember our loved ones. Memorial Day has grown from remembering those who sacrificed their lives to defend our country. It now includes remembering our loved ones who have died. We decorate the graves of our loved ones. We have ceremonies to honor and remember soldiers who gave all for us to live in freedom.

In church, we celebrate every Sunday to ultimate sacrifice Jesus gave so everyone could have to opportunity to have their sins paid for and to be able to go to heaven. We celebrate the death of Jesus with bread and juice which represents Jesus' shed blood and giving of his own body in place of our body. He suffered. He bled. He died for us. God raised him from the dead on the third day to make sure we knew Jesus was sent by him.

This May, take time to honor your mother, graduates, and soldiers. But most of all, remember that Jesus loves you and God loves you.



May Sermons

May 6: Isaiah—Jesus is the Prince of Peace

May 13: Jeremiah—Jesus is our Righteous Branch

May 20: Lamentations—Jesus is our Weeping Prophet

May 27: Ezekiel—Jesus is the Wonderful Four-faced Man

Those serving in May

	6	13	20	27
Children's Church	Brenda & Judy	Joni	Brenda & Judy	None
Communion Med & Prayer	Blaine	Larry	Scott	Terry
Com. To Shut-ins	Andy	Larry	Randy	Terry
Communion Prep	Barb F.	Barb F.	Barb F.	Barb F.
Front Door Greeter	Rodney	Blaine	Tina	Barb K.
Greeters	Cynthia & Vicki	Sue & Jimmy	Brenda & Rodney	Sue & Ron
Musician	Marcia	Cheryl	Cheryl	Marcia
Nursery	Alice	Heather	Heaven	Hillary
Offering Prayer	Marc	Terry	Blaine	Larry
Opening Prayer	Randy	Rodney	Larry	Scott
Screen	Tanya	Marcus	Ruby	Marcus
Scripture Reading	Heaven	Barb K.	Larry	Angie
Sound	Terry	Nate	Andy	Nate
Sunday school	Brenda	None	Jancye	None
Vocals	Jancye, Shawna & Hannah	Tanya, Tina & Jancye	Hannah, Jancye & Joni	Joni, Tanya & Tina

Announcements

May 2: 3 G's at 11 AM.

May 3-5: Work days at Bond Camp.

May 5: Men's breakfast at 8 AM.

May 6: Birthday Sunday.
Collecting for St Joseph's Food Pantry.
FOCUS meeting following the service.
No Sunday School.
Camp Rally.

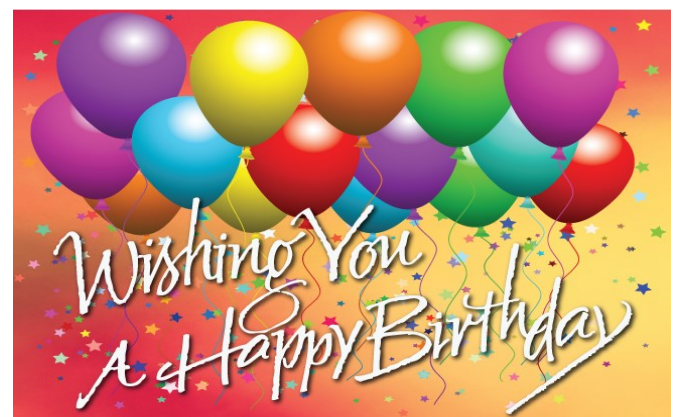
May 10: Board meeting at 7 PM.

May 20: Penny Sunday.
Pot Luck at 11 AM. Colin and Leah's first weekend with us.

May 27: Memorial Weekend. We will have a 8 AM service at the Ramsey Lake State Park, followed by regular service at 9 AM at church.

Birthday's

5/3 Arlie Hunt	5/15 Jacob Harris
5/6 Larry Daniel	Scott Hunt
5/9 Jake Hortenstine	5/21 Cody Meachum
5/11 Hannah Hunt	5/25 Jimmy Gallion Jr.
Eileen Tamborini	6/26 Jaydah Casey



May 2018

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1 1 Chronicles 14-15; Psalms 132 Ladies Bible Study at 8:30 AM	2 1 Chronicles 16; Psalms 106 3 G's at noon JAM 5:40 – 7 PM	3 2 Samuel 7; 1 Chronicles 17; Psalms 2	4 2 Samuel 8-9; 1 Chroni- cles 18-19	5 2 Samuel 10; 1 Chroni- cles 20; Psalms 20 Men's Breakfast @ 8
6 2 Samuel 11-12; Psalms 51 Birthday Sunday Collecting for St. Joseph's. FOCUS meeting. No Sunday school	7 2 Samuel 13-14	8 2 Samuel 15-16; Psalms 32 Ladies Bible Study at 8:30 AM	9 2 Samuel 17; Psalms 71	10 2 Samuel 18; Psalms 56 Board Meeting @ 7 PM.	11 2 Samuel 19-20; Psalms 55	12 2 Samuel 21-23; 1 Thessalonians 1
13 2 Samuel 24; 1 Chroni- cles 21; Psalms 30; 1 Thessalonians 2	14 1 Chronicles 22-24; 1 Thessalonians 3	15 1 Chronicles 25-27; 1 Thessalonians 4 Ladies Bible Study at 8:30 AM	16 1 Kings 1; 1 Chronicles 28; Psalms 91; 1 Thessalonians 5	17 1 Kings 2; 1 Chronicles 29; Psalms 95; 2 Thessalonians 1	18 1 Kings 3; 2 Chronicles 1; Psalms 78; 2 Thessalonians 2	19 1 Kings 4-5; 2 Chronicles 2; Psalms 101; 2 Thessalonians 3
20 1 Kings 6; 2 Chronicles 3; Psalms 97 Penny Sunday Pot Luck at 11 AM	21 1 Kings 7; 2 Chronicles 4; Psalms 98	22 1 Kings 8; 2 Chronicles 5; Psalms 99 Ladies Bible Study at 8:30 AM	23 2 Chronicles 6-7; Psalms 135	24 1 Kings 9; 2 Chronicles 8; Psalms 136	25 1 Kings 10-11; 2 Chronicles 9	26 Proverbs 1-3
27 Proverbs 4-6 Ramsey lake State Park service at 8 AM.	28 Proverbs 7-9	29 Proverbs 10-12 Ladies Bible Study at 8:30 AM	30 Proverbs 13-15	31 Proverbs 16-18		

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Offering

4/1 \$5069.00
 St. Joseph's \$159.10
 Birthday Sunday \$14.32
 4/8 \$4262.00
 4/15 \$3966.00
 Penny Sunday \$149.70
 4/22 \$1808.00

Attendance

4/1 143
 4/8 72
 4/15 101
 4/22 92

Ramsey Christian Church

Fellowship Time: 8:30 AM
 Worship Service: 9:00 AM

Sunday School & Adult Electives: 10:30-11:00 AM
 Sunday Night: Youth @ 6 PM. (Jr High and High school)
 Tuesday: Ladies Bible Study: 8:30 AM
 Wednesday: J.A.M. 5:45 to 7 PM

Missions

- Bond Christian Service Camp
- Inner City Mission of Springfield, IL
- Lighthouse Pregnancy Center
- Lincoln Christian University
- Northwest Haiti Christian Mission
- Pinehaven Children's Ranch-Montana
- St. Louis Christian College
- Tim Doggett-Africa
- Jeff Stone—Assembly of God World Missions