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PASTOR'S MESSAGE

This May contains two very important days in the Christian liturgical year. One of these is celebrated each year on Sunday, the Day of Pentecost. The Day of Pentecost is arguably the most important day of the Christian year. The Ascension of the Lord is also a very important day in the life of the church. The Ascension of the Lord falls this year on Thursday May 14th. We read the story of the ascension in Acts, (Acts 1:3-11 NIV): After his suffering, he showed himself to these men and gave many convincing proofs that he was alive. He appeared to them over a period of forty days and spoke about the kingdom of God. {4} On one occasion, while he was eating with them, he gave them this command: "Do not leave Jerusalem, but wait for the gift my Father promised, which you have heard me speak about. {5} For John baptized with water, but in a few days you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit." {6} So when they met together, they asked him, "Lord, are you at this time going to restore the kingdom to Israel?" {7} He said to them: "It is not for you to know the times or dates the Father has set by his own authority. {8} But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." {9} After he said

this, he was taken up before their very eyes, and a cloud hid him from their sight. {10} They were looking intently up into the sky as he was going, when suddenly two men dressed in white stood beside them. {11} "Men of Galilee," they said, "why do you stand here looking into the sky? This same Jesus, who has been taken from you into heaven, will come back in the same way you have seen him go into heaven."

There are some very interesting things we are told in this text. Jesus tells us he must fulfill the final act of his ministry, his ascension, for our good. Without his ascension the Holy Spirit will not be poured out on the world. To put it bluntly, without the ascension there is no Day of Pentecost which is arguably the most important day of the Christian year. Once Jesus has fulfilled all things with his ascension, he is then able to send the Holy Spirit which is God's promised presence with us ALWAYS. The gift of the Holy Spirit seals us as children of God. Jesus must ascend into heaven and take his rightful place to send the Holy Spirit. For this reason alone, we should be rejoicing in the Ascension of our Lord.

Our passage from Luke tells us another important mystery. Just before his

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The Purpose of the First United Presbyterian Church is to:
Invite people to know and glorify God
Grow together as followers of Christ
Serve others through the power of the Holy Spirit

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ascension, the apostles asked Jesus if he would restore the fortunes of Israel. He told them it was not for them to know when it was going to happen. Not for them to know what? The angels tell us. After Jesus ascended the apostles stood gazing at the sky and the angels told them, "Why do you look up at the sky, this Jesus who was taken from you will return in the same way." The apostles were asking Jesus about what we would call his second coming. When is Jesus going to return and put things right, usher in the Kingdom of God? Our passage leaves us with two certainties. It is not for us to know when. It is for us to know that Jesus will indeed return and set all things right. The Lord's Ascension paved the way for us to receive the gift of the Holy Spirit and reminds us that, indeed, Jesus will return and make all things new. What a wonderful day it is.

Peace in Christ,
Mark



May 24th



SUNDAY
MAY 17TH

Cathy Akre



Mary Moran



Deacon's
Prayer Chain
Carol Rohweder



Food Pantry
Doris Boogerd
and
Cindy Howson

In memory of ...

Molly Davis
04/01/15



Freighter View Assisted Living
605 West Portage Avenue

Emily Hamilton
Jane Kellan
Margaret Olson

Out of Town

Della Porter
2920 Crystal Lane Room 426
Kalamazoo, MI 49009

At Home

Bea Woodgate
1008 Johnston Street
Sault Ste. Marie, MI 49783

WMH Long Term Care
500 Osborn Boulevard

Lois Myers

Dorthea Allen
Michigan Masonic Home
1200 Wright, Room 167
Alma, MI 48801

Hearthside Assisted Living
1501 W 6th Avenue

David Shaw

Tendercare— Sault Ste Marie

1011 Meridian

Jim Schmidt
Jean Smith

June MacInnis
900 Glen Haven Circle, Apt 2
Petoskey, MI 49770

McKinley Manor
2023 West 4th Avenue

Vera Steffens
Jeanne Gantz



Mike Lussier and Family, Jeanne Shibley and Family,
 Family of Molly Davis, Jean Smith, Carl Smart,
 Pat Whyte, Kady Love, Irene Martin,
 Terry Begnoche, Kalan Mason, Terry East,
 Jim Schmidt, Delphine Porter, Lauren Wood, Don Dagnal,
 Ruth Thesing, Dorothy Smart, Gina Gough, Ellen Meister, Colleen Sib-
 bald, Margaret Olson, Robert Jewell, Judy Knutsen, Ellen Woodgate,
 Jane Kellan, Susan Brock, William Kellan, Bea Woodgate,
 Wendy (Menard) James, Glen Tompkins, Margaret Vonderwerth and
 her family, and all members of missionaries and the
 U.S. Armed Forces.

Please keep us up to date on your prayer requests.



**Our Sunday
 Worship Service
 starts at 10:00 a.m.**
**We hope to see you on
 Sunday!**



The Annual Letter Carriers' Food Drive will be held on Saturday, May 9. Put your non-perishable donations in a bag by your mailbox and your letter carrier will pick it up. All items collected will be donated to the Food Bank and local food pantries, including our FUPC Food Pantry. Please give generously to help feed our neighbors in need!

**Bike
 Drawing
 May 10th
 Mother's
 Day**

Devotions

Cindy Howson

*Lord,
 Hear Our
 Prayer*



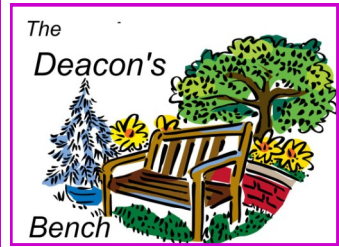
Deacon

If you or someone you know are in the hospital and would like a visit from the Deacon's please contact the church office or one of the Deacons

FOOD PANTRY BENEFIT RAFFLE

TICKETS \$1⁰⁰ each or 6 for \$5⁰⁰
 Drawing May 10, 2015 at 11 a.m.

Sponsored by the Deacons of First United Presbyterian Church, Sault Ste. Marie
 License # X89177



The Deacons appreciate the congregation's generosity as we continue to raise funds for the Food Pantry. The raffle ticket sales to date have allowed us to purchase a few weeks of food. The Deacons volunteer their time to pack and distribute the groceries, but since it is not a budgeted item, we continually look for funding alternatives and are seeking assistance from the community at large.

For those of you who are not familiar with this project, the Food Pantry stocks a selection of items that are bagged and distributed on Tuesday mornings. Due to financial constraints, families are allowed one bag of groceries per month. We distribute a maximum of 12 bags per week. In addition, there are 2 extra bags in the office for emergencies. The Pantry serves our congregation, community, and at times, our county.

Again, your assistance, be it through cash and food donations, or purchases of raffle tickets, is greatly appreciated.

Jeanne Shibley, Deacon Chairperson



Gordon and Carol Rohweder	05/07
Tom and Ellen Woodgate	05/10
Fred and Sue Michels	05/23
Jeanne and John Shibley	05/24
Henry and Jaymie Guzzo	05/26
Donald and Marilyn Myers	05/26

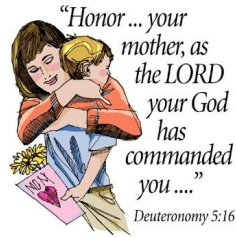


Alegra Soorus has been asked to review, renew commitments, find new ushers—whatever it takes to obtain ushers for each Sunday of the month.

If you are currently on a ushering list, she will be contacting you in the next couple of weeks. If you are not on one of the lists and would like to become an usher, please contact her as soon as possible at 632-3972. The goal is to have 4 complete usher groups for the first 4 Sundays of each month. The months with 5 Sundays will include a group of the youth of our church.

Usher Groups need 5 members plus a couple of alternates available for their respective Sunday. One person will be the Group Leader and as such is responsible for taking a head count, making sure the candles are lit on the altar and that there are sufficient number of ushers available. Ushers need to be at the church by 9:30 am to assist with greeting and passing out bulletins. Let's make this happen!

Gospel READING



The Gospel Daily is an online daily devotional begun in February by a friend of Wayne and Mary Frances Morden. Mary Frances is a regular contributor, and Wayne sometimes contributes to the website. You can see it at www.thegospeldaily.com.



May 10th



Carmelita Schrupf will celebrate her 101st birthday on May 26th

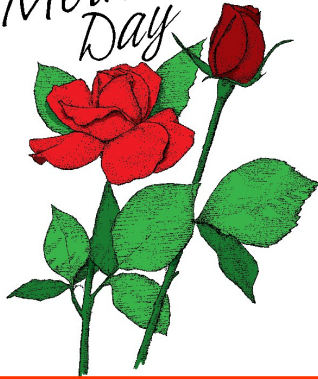
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Janet Sarnowski	05/02
Ralph Kokko	05/03
Phyllis McKechnie	05/03
Parker Rutledge	05/04
Colton Schmidt	05/04
Joanne Noble	05/05
Elizabeth Martin	05/06
Olivia Martin	05/06
Sue Kaunisto	05/07
Angela McKee	05/09
Dorothea Allen	05/11
Margaret Olson	05/11



Meta Geyer	05/13
John Jobes	05/13
Tammy Rutledge	05/14
Victoria Smart	05/14
Carla Grenier	05/15
Mary Elizabeth Robertson	05/15
Kristeen Mason	05/16

Mary S. Nelson	05/17
Mary Stanaway	05/17
Marjean Smart	05/18
Victor Hillock	05/20
Glenn Trumble	05/21
Anne Capling	05/25
Renee Lawrence	05/25
Charles Zane	05/25
David Bernier	05/26
Carmelita Schrupf	05/26
Darla Krueger	05/29
Ronald Cross	05/30
Emma Folkersma	05/31

Mother's Day



Our wedding day was May 26, 1956, and I remember it well, as though it was yesterday. On that very morning my father came into my bedroom to give me some advice. His suggestion was for me to speak up when the Presbyterian minister asked me certain ques-

tions. I told dad I could handle that portion of the ceremony. He then raised his right index finger toward the sky and said, "Remember, women are funny." He then left the room quickly.

I didn't fully understand what he meant but over the years I have come to understand what women are all about besides what dad said about "being funny." Let me tell you what I have learned about women.

Women or mothers are teachers, disciplinarians, maids, gardeners, bakers, nurses, doctors, bookkeepers, window washers, psychologists, developers, of personalities, molder of vocabularies, and shapers of attitudes. If they were paid for what they do their salary would probably be in excess of \$100,000 per year, by today's standards.

Mothers are soft voices who say "I love you, and

they are a link to God and a child's first impression of God's love.

I have always marveled over the fact that Mother's seem to have six pair of hands, three sets of eyes, and a kiss that heals almost everything. Mother's can see behind closed doors and can hear what is going on at the nearby neighbor's house. Mother's can even think and reason why. They can even shed a tear of joy, in disappointment, and for pride in what she sees and hears.

Today, there is a lot of pressure placed on Mom's. Many Mother's are expected to have a successful career, be a hostess and conversationalist in addition to keeping the house spotless, and raising perfect children. Oh, and they need to be expert cooks as well.

Mother's Day begins at home setting the example for prayers at meal time and at bed time. Sunday school and vacation bible school are also on her list for those under her care.

Yes, Mother's Day should be appreciated and celebrated for all she does and accomplishing in rearing her children and being a part of your family.

Happy Mother's Day!

Don Myers, CRE

Adult Sunday School Class



9:00 am



Recognition Sunday May 17th

Christian Education

Soup n' Sandwich



Soup N' Sandwich
/Soup Kitchen
May 3, 2015
Trustees

*The
Church
Office
will be
closed*



*Memorial Day
May 25th*



Thanks for
your service

Church Women United
Thursday, May 7th at 11:00 am at the
Faith Lutheran Church
1600 Park Street
“Journey of the Caregiver”
Everyone welcome, child care can be arranged, join us
in a worship & singing program.
More info contact
Margaret Stiling at 253-0981



“Where Is Honey?”

Recently I wrote an article titled, “Where Is Honey.” It was a story about “man’s best friend,” a dog named Honey. Honey and our tricolored Cocker Spaniel Abby met on the sidewalk near our home on East Portage, near our condominium. Honey and Abby appeared to get along well, rubbed noses, and seemed to want to play like they were puppies.

Abby was just over a year old, and Honey was nine. Every morning during the week Mark and Honey would meet up with us and our dogs looked forward to their few minute get together. Then one day, Mark and Honey failed to come at the normal hour and we never saw them again.

The only thing I knew about Mark was that he lived east of us and he always walked westerly. I failed to get his name, or address and here all of a sudden I realized how important it is to get to know people, whether they are walking their dog, are your new neighbor, or friend which Mark and I had become in a short period of time.

When I ended my original article I said, “I hope all of us will acknowledge my mistake of not getting to know Mark better. When we seriously take these introductory steps, of getting to know someone, we will then learn where Honey is.”

One of our church members, after reading the article, got busy trying to locate Mark, since he knew his parents. He visited them this past week and it just so happened that their son, Mark was also visiting them, and they called me, and I got to talk with Mark “Roe,” who still lives east of me, on Portage across the street from the Elks Club.

I learned that Mark was laid off from his job on West Portage in the Industrial area during the business down turn of 2009. However, Mark was brought back to work seven months later, but his hours changed and mornings were not an option for walking Honey. Unfortunately, during this time, 12 year old Honey contracted cancer and within four months she died and joined other dogs where there are no fences and they can run and play forever.

While the story is somewhat sad, particularly if you are a dog lover, it does re-direct us with our behavior in accepting new acquaintances.

Since Bob Agar took the time to follow up, Mark Roe and I will seek to become friends for a life time. Maybe this summer, Mark, Abby, and I will do some kayaking and catch up on all that is happening in our community.

Don Myers, CRE





NEW 2015 FUPC DIRECTORY

will be coming soon.

FUPC Session Elders have scheduled a 2015 FUPC Directory. Family photo pictures will be held in the FUPC social hall on September 29, September 30 and October 1, 2015. All church members will be called to schedule an appointment to have pictures taken.



Meet our newest members of the First United Presbyterian Church

Front Row (left to right): Abby, Denise, and Charmaine

Back Row (left to right): Rev Mark Gabbard, Rudy, Chad and Lamar

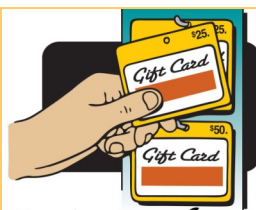


*Our light is always on,
Our door is always open*

DIANE PEPLER CENTER

The center is in need of twin size bed sheets and of towels. They would be very much appreciated, if anyone has any to spare. Please bring them to the office and they will be delivered to the center. Thank you!

Serving Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Survivors



Scrip Card Fundraiser

Our Scrip program is slowly getting ready to be up and running! There is information on the bulletin board over the drinking fountain by the office. This is a great fundraising opportunity for us that does not take any extra money out of our members pockets. By purchasing a scrip card for local and or out of town businesses, you are helping the church. For example: You spend \$50 for a Walgreens gift card. You will spend \$50 whether is it with scrip or cash to the store direct. By purchasing that \$50 card through scrip, a percentage (Walgreens gives 6%) of that \$50 goes to the church. It may only be a small percentage, but each little bit adds up! There are hundreds of gift cards available for purchase. You can check them out at www.glscrip.com. The church's enrollment number is "2B57346344367". You may also set up your own account on that website with our enrollment number. At this point in time, it is taking roughly 7 days for cards to arrive. So to place your order, you may go online and place it, or you may fill out an order sheet and turn it in to the office with your check for payment. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to ask! I am here to help!

Brenda Ransom, elder

tallulah@lighthouse.net



Textile Social

Every 1st and 3rd
Thursday of the month.

TEXTILE SOCIAL

Meet up with other creative crafters at the Textile Social every first and third Thursday of every month, from 10 am to 2 pm in the Social Hall.

Bring a sack lunch, your projects (sewing, knitting, crocheting, puzzles, or a good book) or just the desire to socialize with others.

Coffee, tea, and dessert are provided.

Stop in for a hour or four!

Call Ruth Wilson at 632-9355 or Anita Weinrick at 632-3207



VBS NEEDS YOU!!!!

Volunteer Signup
Sheet on Bulletin
Board or contact
the church office. at

632-7771 or email us at
office@soopresbyterian.org



On May 24th we will be celebrating our high school and college graduates! This will take place with a graduate breakfast prior to church and during our worship service. We will also celebrate our Sunday School teachers and children and their accomplishments throughout the past year. Please plan on joining us during our 10 am worship for all the celebrations. If you know of a graduate in either college or high school that should be honored, please call the church office.



YOUTH PHOTOS NEEDED

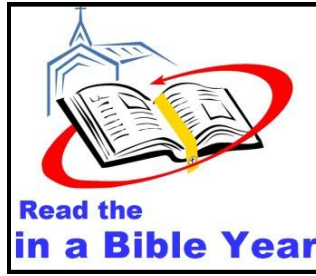
The Junior/Senior High Sunday School Class is putting together a Power Point Presentation of photos from youth activities in the last year for Recognition Sunday. Please send electronic photos to sydkuenzer@gmail.com or place printouts in an envelope marked "Sydney Kuenzer" in the Girl Scouts mailbox.



SENIOR PHOTOS

Please contact the office if you have a student graduating from High School or College. Please forward electronic photos to office@soopresbyterian.org.

May



Greeters

**Don Myers
and
Cindy Howson**

1	Acts 14	Joshua 22	Job 31
2	Acts 15:1-21	Joshua 23-24	Job 32
3	Acts 15:22-41	Judges 1	Job 33
4	Acts 16:1-15	Judges 2-3	Job 34
5	Acts 16:16-40	Judges 4-5	Job 35
6	Acts 17:1-15	Judges 6	Job 36
7	Acts 17:16-34	Judges 7-8	Job 37
8	Acts 18	Judges 9	Job 38
9	Acts 19:1-20	Judges 10:1-11:33	Job 39
10	Acts 19:21-41	Judges 11:34-12:15	Job 40
11	Acts 20:1-16	Judges 13	Job 41
12	Acts 20:17-38	Judges 14-15	Job 42
13	Acts 21:1-36	Judges 16	Psalms 42
14	Acts 21:37-22:29	Judges 17-18	Psalms 43
15	Acts 22:30-23:22	Judges 19	Psalms 44
16	Acts 23:23-24:9	Judges 20	Psalms 45
17	Acts 24:10-27	Judges 21	Psalms 46
18	Acts 25	Ruth 1-2	Psalms 47
19	Acts 26:1-18	Ruth 3-4	Psalms 48
20	Acts 26:19-32	1 Samuel 1:1-2:10	Psalms 49
21	Acts 27:1-12	1 Samuel 2:11-36	Psalms 50
22	Acts 27:13-44	1 Samuel 3	Psalms 51
23	Acts 28:1-16	1 Samuel 4-5	Psalms 52
24	Acts 28:17-31	1 Samuel 6-7	Psalms 53
25	Romans 1:1-15	1 Samuel 8	Psalms 54
26	Romans 1:16-32	1 Samuel 9:1-10:16	Psalms 55
27	Romans 2:1-3:8	1 Samuel 10:17-11:15	Psalms 56
28	Romans 3:9-31	1 Samuel 12	Psalms 57
29	Romans 4	1 Samuel 13	Psalms 58
30	Romans 5	1 Samuel 14	Psalms 59
31	Romans 6	1 Samuel 15	Psalms 60

**Deacon's
Corner**

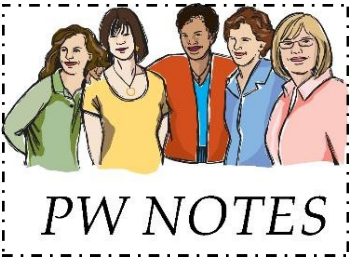
The next Deacon's Meeting will be held on May 17th after the Worship Service!

**Men's
Bible Study**

Men's Bible Study every Friday morning at 9:00am. All men are welcome to join us!

**Women's
Bible Study**

Every Wednesday morning in the Library at 9:30 am. All ladies are welcome to join us.



PW NOTES



The next P.W. on June 7, 2015 at the after the
Worship Service.

**The Ultimate Cloth
Great for your Spring Cleaning
projects!
Get yours at the church office
\$6.00 each or 5 for \$25.00**

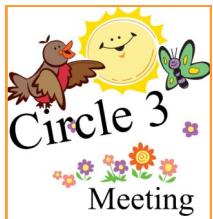


Sunflower Dish Cloths!
Colors to match every kitchen
Red, Yellow, Blue
Only \$1.00 each
Available in the church office.

Brought to you by the
Presbyterian Women

ANNUAL SPRING RUMMAGE SALE

Thank you to over 30 people who helped with the rummage sale and to all our church family who donated items. The collective effort by all made our sale a success, raising over \$1,000 for our mission projects. Again Thank You, we couldn't have done it without your support.



**May 14th
at 9:30 am.**



Ladies Coffee Hour
Tuesday at 9:30 am
May 19th
(the 3rd Tuesday),
All ladies are welcome to join us
for an informal gathering.

May 5, 2015

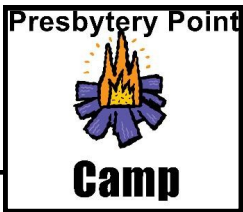


QUILT RAFFLE

This year's quilt is a king size diamond pattern quilt made by Carolyn Shaw and Annie Hillman

Tickets are available from P.W. Ladies and in the church office
\$1 each or 6 for \$5

The drawing will be held on November 7, 2015
At the First United Presbyterian Church



**Summer's coming soon, so it's
time to start thinking about
Presbytery Point Camp.
Get registration forms at the
church office or go to the
Camp website:
presbyterypoint.org
Camp sponsorships are
available again this year;
call the church office
for more information.
Got Spirit? Get it here!**

Rummage Sale a Success!

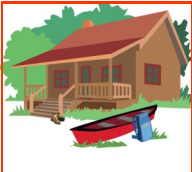


Above: Doreen Gordon and Alegra Soorus taking a much needed break.

Below: Anita Weinrick.

Above: Sue Trombley, Sharon Sheppard, and Mary Jane Bernier

Below: Rita and Sara Jones.



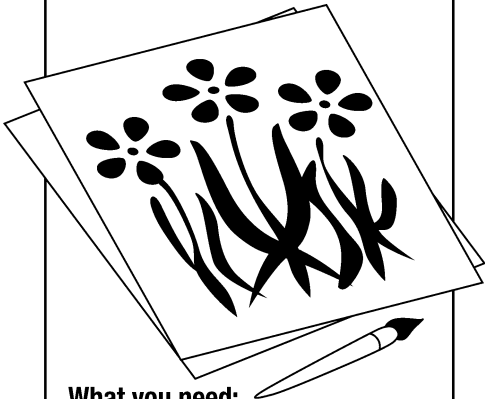
Don't forget to get your reservations in for the FUPC cottage on Sugar Island. It's a beautiful place with all the comforts of home and a wonderful view. It's never too early to think about a relaxing vacation at the shore. Contact Denise for available dates and rates.



The time has come that we must retire our stove in the kitchen in the basement. It has served us well over all these years, but it is no longer working properly. With all the church activities and special events that happen in our church, we do need to purchase a new one. The cost of new stove is not cheap and we need your help. The total for the new stove is \$6144.00. We are setting up a special fund to help with raising money for our new stove. If you would like ere mark money for it, please feel welcome to do so. If you are a family member of a loved one who has money in the memorial fund that is undesignated, please pray about the potential for it to help us purchase the new stove. Thank you for helping us in this new kitchen endeavor!

SPRING

Make this beautiful craft to remind you of God's gift of new life at springtime.

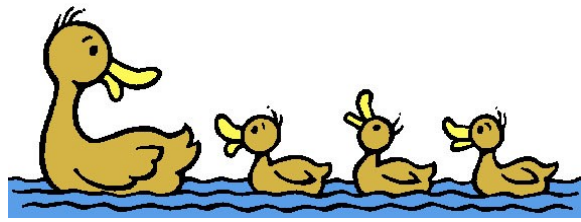
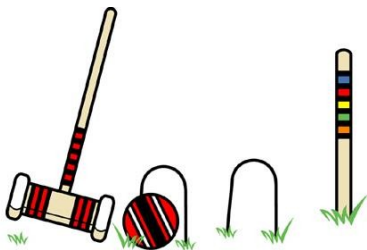


What you need:

- White 11" x 17" paper
- Acrylic paint (various spring colors, including green)
- Paintbrush
- Empty two-liter plastic bottle
- Paper plates
- Paper towels

What you do:

1. With the paper placed vertically, paint stems and leaves with green paint.
2. Pour a different color of paint onto a paper plate. Then place the bottom of the bottle into the paint.
3. Using the bottle as a stamp, press it onto the paper to create a flower atop a green stem.
4. Repeat with different colors on different plates, cleaning the bottle each time, to create a beautiful spring bouquet.



Spring has sprung!

God created all the seasons, and each brings unique visuals that remind us of him.

Directions: Unscramble each phrase to complete Song of Solomon 2:12, NIV. Use the pictures as hints.

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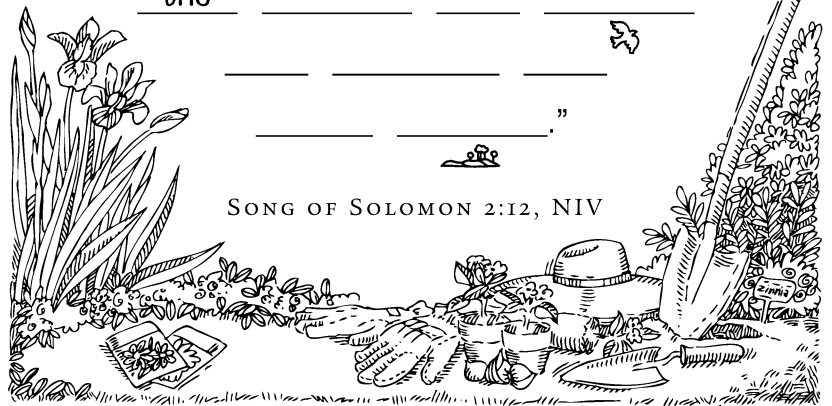


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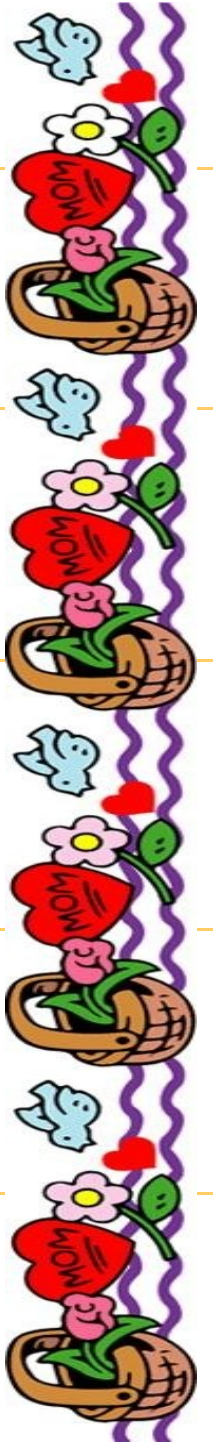
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SONG OF SOLOMON 2:12, NIV



Answers: "Flowers appear on the earth; the season of singing has come, the cooing of doves is heard in our land."

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Sunday 9:00a Early Social Hour 9:00a Adult Sunday School 10:00a Worship Service 10:00a Sunday School 11:30a Soup 'N Sandwich 12:00p Soup Kitchen	Monday 7:00p Boy Scout Mtg (SH) 7:00p ACT Study Grp 4 7:00p Boy Scout Mtg (SH) 7:00p ACT Study Grp	Tuesday 9:00a-12:00p Food Pantry 5 9:00a-12:00p Food Pantry 12 9:00a-12:00p Food Pantry	Wednesday 9:30a Women's Bible Study 7:00p Choir Rehearsal 6 9:30a Women's Bible Study 7:00p Choir Rehearsal 13 9:30a Women's Bible Study 7:00p Choir Rehearsal 20 9:30a Women's Bible Study 7:00p Choir Rehearsal 27 9:30a Women's Bible Study 7:00p Choir Rehearsal	Thursday 10:00a Textile Social (SH) 7 10:00a Textile Social (SH) 14 9:30a Circle 3 Meeting 21 10:00a Textile Social (SH) 28 6:00p Boy Scout Leader Meeting	Friday 9:00a Men's Study Grp 8 9:00a Men's Study Grp 15 9:00a Men's Study Grp 22 9:00a Men's Study Grp 29 9:00a Men's Study Grp	Saturday 9:00a N.A. 7:00p A.A. 9 9:00a N.A. 7:00p A.A. 16 9:00a N.A. 7:00p A.A. 23 9:00a N.A. 7:00p A.A. 30 9:00a N.A. 7:00p A.A.
3 9:00a Early Social Hour 9:00a Adult Sunday School 10:00a Worship Service 10:00a Sunday School 11:30a Soup 'N Sandwich 12:00p Soup Kitchen	4 7:00p Boy Scout Mtg (SH) 7:00p ACT Study Grp	5 9:00a-12:00p Food Pantry 12 9:00a-12:00p Food Pantry	6 9:30a Women's Bible Study 7:00p Choir Rehearsal 13 9:30a Women's Bible Study 7:00p Choir Rehearsal 20 9:30a Women's Bible Study 7:00p Choir Rehearsal 27 9:30a Women's Bible Study 7:00p Choir Rehearsal	7 10:00a Textile Social (SH) 14 9:30a Circle 3 Meeting	8 9:00a Men's Study Grp	9 9:00a N.A. 7:00p A.A.
10 Mother's Day 9:00a Early Social Hour 9:00a Adult Sunday School 10:00a Worship Service 10:00a Sunday School 11:30a Christian Ed Mtg 12:00p Soup Kitchen 	11 7:00p Boy Scout Mtg (SH) 7:00p ACT Study Grp	12 9:00a-12:00p Food Pantry	13 9:30a Women's Bible Study 7:00p Choir Rehearsal	14 9:30a Circle 3 Meeting	15 9:00a Men's Study Grp	16 9:00a N.A. 7:00p A.A.
17 Recognition Sunday 9:00a Graduate Breakfast 10:00a Worship Service 10:00a Sunday School 11:15a Deacon's Meeting (Library) 11:30a Coffee N' Cookies 12:00p Soup Kitchen 2:00p Freighter's View	18 Victoria Day (Canada) 5:30p Trustee's Meeting (L.lib) 5:30p Session Mtg (WR) 7:00p Boy Scout Mtg (SH) 7:00p ACT Study Grp 	19 9:00a-12:00p Food Pantry 9:30a Ladies Coffee Hour	20 9:30a Women's Bible Study 7:00p Choir Rehearsal	21 10:00a Textile Social (SH)	22 9:00a Men's Study Grp	23 9:00a N.A. 7:00p A.A.
24 Pentecost Sunday Pentecost Offering 9:00a Early Social Hour 9:00a Adult Sunday School 10:00a Worship/Communion 10:00a Sunday School 12:00p Soup Kitchen 	25 Office Closed 7:00p Boy Scout Mtg (SH) 7:00p ACT Study Grp 	26 9:00a-12:00p Food Pantry	27 9:30a Women's Bible Study 7:00p Choir Rehearsal	28 6:00p Boy Scout Leader Meeting	29 9:00a Men's Study Grp	30 9:00a N.A. 7:00p A.A.
31 Trinity Sunday 9:00a Early Social Hour 9:00a Adult Sunday School 10:00a Worship Service 10:00a Sunday School 12:00p Soup Kitchen 						

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