



Salt and Light
News from Creighton First Baptist Church
Matthew 5:13-15

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*From the
Pastor*



We have made it to June. This would normally not be a big deal, but with all the Coronavirus shut down and all that went with that, it is a big accomplishment. IT was nice to see that the church, not just Creighton First, but all that proclaim the name of the Lord did not go away. As I said on the first Sunday we did the live broadcast from our house, when I went to school to study for the ministry we talked about radio, the internet had not been thought of. Back then radio and television time cost money and was not something every church could do. For once in my life I am thankful for technology. It made it easier to keep in touch with each other and to continue to preach the word and represent the Lord. Reopening June 1 does not mean the virus has gone away, so continue to be safe and keep praying for our nation.

Last Sunday, May 24, one of our members, Judy Bowe went home to be with the Lord. I talked to her on Saturday afternoon and she told me she was ready to go home. I read some scriptures to her and prayed with her. I was expecting to go see her at her daughter's home in a few days as she was going to go there under hospice care, but the Lord had other plans and she went home on Sunday morning. I received the call around 7:30 am that day. Judy's prayer had been answered. As one person put it, "she went to sleep and woke to breakfast with Jesus."

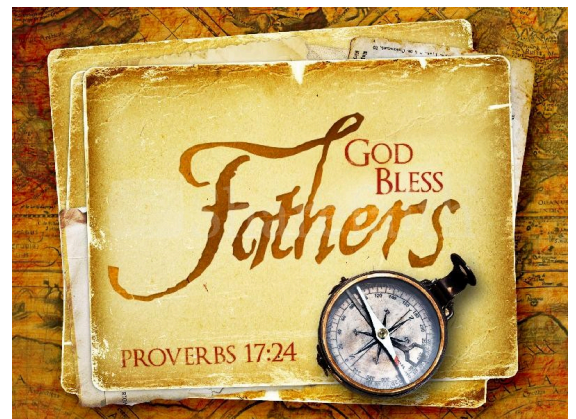
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Coming Soon!

FAMILY FUN

MOVIE NIGHT

**No movie nights are scheduled
until further notice.**



Fathers' Day June 16

Vacation Bible School

July 6-10

Youth and Adult

6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

July 20-24

Children's Bible School

Preschool through the sixth
grade

9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon



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2 Corinthians 5:17 says, "Therefore, if anyone be in Christ, he is a new creation; old things are passed away; behold all things have become new." When Judy gave her life to the Lord she was changed, and it was obvious by the hunger she had for God's word. She studied her Sunday School lesson and she took notes during the message. As her Pastor it did my heart good to see someone have such a hunger for the Lord. Keep the Bowe family in your prayers and we did not lose Judy, we know where she is, and we will see her again one day.

June 14th is Father's Day. This is going to be a special day for our son Gabriel. On Thursday May 28, he and Sabrina became parents as Olivia Renee West was born. Due to all the Covid-19 stuff, we are not allowed to go to the hospital and see them. Thanks to technology we have been able to see pictures and live video chat them. Speaking as a dad, it is good to see your son happy and proud to be holding his daughter. Keep them in your prayers as the next few weeks are a fun time adjusting the needs of a little one.

Let me end by wishing all the fathers a blessed Father's Day. I especially want to thank the Christian dads, no matter their age, for being an example of what a Christian man should be. You will not see this or read about it in the mainstream media, but we need dads to love the Lord and then to love their wives and families. I encourage everyone, man or woman, husband or wife to read Ephesians 5. It gives good simple instructions for the husband and wife. If we would follow these simple instructions families would be stronger and more stable. Ephesians 5:25 "Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ loved the church and gave Himself for her." Read all of Ephesians 5 and men in a short section of scripture, we are told to love our wives three times and loving our wives is mentioned in there also. When something is repeated in a short passage of scripture it is for emphasis, in other words, the Lord wants husbands to love their wives. Have a blessed day all you dads and remember your work is never done.

Have a blessed June and continue to pray for our nation.

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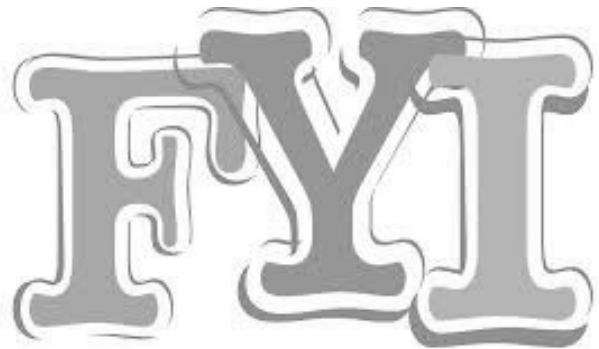
Community of Care

The Creighton Community of Care will be the hands and feet of Christ and respond to needs in the Creighton area, guided by Matthew 25:35-40.

Our annual Bake Sale, regrettably, was canceled this year. We will look at other fundraising opportunities.

Our next scheduled meeting will be September 21 at 6:30 p.m. at Trinity Lutheran Church. It may actually be conducted online.

If you know of any needs that we need to be looking at, or wish to volunteer, please contact any of the churches in Creighton.



• FOR YOUR INFORMATION •

Sunday School	9:30 a.m.
Worship Service	10:45 a.m.
Bible Study	12:30 p.m.

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(leave a message, we check the machine regularly)





Adult Bible Studies for Life
Living with Hope in a Broken World

June 7: The Basis for Our Hope (1 Peter 1:1-9)
 June 14: The Expression of Our Hope (1 Peter 1:13-25)
 June 21: The Testimony of Our Hope (1 Peter 2:4-15)
 June 28: The Endurance of Our Hope (1 Peter 3:8-17)
 July 5: The Joy Arising from Our Hope (1 Peter 4:1-2,12-19)
 July 12: The Culmination of Our Hope (1 Peter 5:5b-11)
 July 19: How Should I Respond to Politics? (Romans 13:1-10)

Youth Bible Studies for Life
Living with Hope

June 7: The Basis for Our Hope (1 Peter 1:1-9)
 June 14: The Expression of Our Hope (1 Peter 1:13-25)
 June 21: The Testimony of Our Hope (1 Peter 2:4-15)
 June 28: The Endurance of Our Hope (1 Peter 3:8-17)
 July 5: Hope Leads to Joy (1 Peter 4:1-2,12-19)
 July 12: The Result of Our Hope (1 Peter 5:5b-11)
 July 19: How Should I Relate to Authority? (Romans 13:1-10)

Children Bible Studies for Life
Worshiping God

June 7: Samuel in the Tabernacle (1 Samuel 1:24-28; 2:1-26; 3)
 June 14: The People Sang (Ezra 2:68-70; 3:1-13)
 June 21: People Prayed for Peter (Acts 12:1-19)
 June 28: The Antioch Church Helped (Acts 11:19-30)

Preschool Bible Studies for Life
Worshiping God

June 7: Samuel in the Tabernacle (1 Samuel 1:24-28; 2:1-26; 3)
 June 14: The People Sang (Ezra 2:68-70; 3:1-13)
 June 21: People Prayed for Peter (Acts 12:1-19)
 June 28: The Antioch Church Helped (Acts 11:19-30)

Father

My Father knows the proper way
 The nation should be run;
 He tells us children every day
 Just what should be done.
 He knows the way to fix the trusts,
 He has a simple plan;
 But if the furnace needs repairs,
 We have to hire a man.
 My father in a day or two
 Could land big thieves in jail;
 There's nothing that he cannot do,
 He knows no word like "fail."
 "Our confidence" he would restore,
 Of that there is no doubt;
 But if there is a chair to mend,
 We have to send it out.
 All public questions that arise,
 He settles on the spot;
 He waits not till the tumult dies,
 But grabs it while it's hot.
 In matters of finance he can
 Tell Congress what to do;
 But, O, he finds it hard to meet
 His bills as they fall due.
 It almost makes him sick to read
 The things law-makers say;
 Why, Father's just the man they need,
 He never goes astray.
 All wars he'd very quickly end,
 As fast as I can write it;
 But when a neighbor starts a fuss,
 'Tis Mother has to fight it.
 In conversation Father can
 Do many wondrous things;
 He's built upon a wiser plan
 Than presidents or kings.
 He knows the ins and outs of each
 And every deep transaction;
 We look to him for theories,
 But to Ma for action.
By Edgar A. Guest (1909)



Pressure Cooker Macaroni and Cheese

- 2 tablespoons butter
- 12 ounces egg noodles
- 4 cups water
- 1/2 teaspoon kosher salt
- 3 1/2 cups shredded cheese (cheddar, Monterey Jack, or any combination of cheeses)
- 1/2 cup half and half

Melt butter in an electric pressure cooker over the saute setting. Turn off, and add pasta, water, and salt. Mix well. Cook on high pressure for 4 minutes. When cooking time is complete, quick release the pressure. Remove lid after pressure is released, and add cheese and half and half. Stir to mix; then cover and let sit 3-5 minutes to thicken. Stir again, and serve. Serves 6.

Cherry Cheesecake Pie

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| 1 box refrigerated pie crusts or homemade double-crust recipe prepared | 1 egg |
| 1/2 cup sugar | 1 teaspoon almond extract |
| 1 tablespoon cornstarch | 21-ounce can cherry pie filling |
| 16 ounces cream cheese | 1 egg white |

Preheat oven to 350 E Spray 9-inch pie plate with cooking spray. Spread one pie crust in the pie plate. Cut other crust into 1/2-inch wide strips. In a bowl, whisk together sugar and cornstarch. Add cream cheese, and beat until well combined. With mixer on low, add in egg and almond extract. Spoon cheesecake filling into pie crust, and smooth. Spoon cherry pie filling on top of the cheesecake filling. Arrange strips of second crust in a lattice pattern on top of cherry layer; crimp edges together with the bottom crust, removing excess crust as needed. In a bowl, whisk egg white until foamy. Brush top and edge of pie crust with egg white. Bake so-60 minutes until crust is browned and cherries are bubbly. If the crust starts to get too brown, cover with aluminum foil. Serve warm, at room temperature, or cold. Serves 8.



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