

*The Clarion*  
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Dear Friends in Christ,

In May, we set aside a day to honor a person we all have in our lives—mothers. Cards are given, flowers are sent, breakfasts are served in bed, and reservations are made for dinner. We honor mothers for the many things they do in their vocations as raisers of children, keepers of schedules, givers of care, and the many other things mothers do. Mothers' Day is one way of showing honor to our mothers as our Lord desires us to do.

The mother-child relationship is typically an organic one. Mothers give birth to children. Or in some cases, mothers commit to the role by adoption. In both situations, mothers take on the role of raising, nurturing, encouraging, celebrating, and preparing children to live their lives in this world. We thank God for our mothers and all who play mother roles for us—those aunts, friends, teachers, and neighbors who help in those motherly tasks.

There is a spiritual mother each of us shares, as well—the Church. We call upon God as our Father, and the Church in Scripture is often referred to as the bride of God or the bride of Christ. Through this union, Christians are brought forth, nurtured, encouraged, celebrated, and prepared to live life. It is the Church through which our Lord works to administer His gifts of Word and Sacrament in order to “birth” believers and to feed them regularly so their faith grows and remains solid.

Our Lord also desires us to honor this mother by remembering the Sabbath day and keeping it holy. We cannot take the Church out to a restaurant for a nice dinner, but we honor her by being faithful listeners and recipients of her gifts in the services she offers. We honor her by growing in the faith she plants within us, growing through our study of God's Word. We honor her by being good and faithful stewards of the blessings God has given us in order for her to continue in her mission of proclaiming the Word of God, as well as in order to care for those in our homes and in our neighborhoods.

As we give thanks and praise to our familial mothers and those others women who help in those motherly roles, let us also give thanks to God for our spiritual mother, the Church, who provides us the sustenance of eternal life.

In Christ,

*Pastor Ogilvie*

### **May 5 Is Confirmation Sunday**

There are many steps that people take in their faith lives, steps of development. When we are baptized as infants, parents and sponsors speak on behalf of the baptized. There comes a point where people are encouraged to answer for themselves. That is why we spend time in catechesis. This year, we have six youth of our congregation who have completed their study of the basic Christian teachings as expounded in Luther's *Small Catechism* and are ready to confess on their own behalf their baptismal faith.

As part of the process, they will be questioned about their faith. Members of the congregation are invited to hear them share their answers at the public questioning of the confirmands at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday, May 1. Confirmation Sunday, when these young people will formally make their public confession of faith before the congregation, is May 5, and will take place during our regular 9 a.m. service.

This year's confirmands are Katharyn Cox, Zachary Glandorf, Landon Jepson, Braden Mumm, Frannie Ogilvie, and Benjamin Roberts.

### **Guest Preacher and Special Presentation May 11 & 12**

As Pastor Ogilvie and family take a weekend away from St. Paul to attend a family wedding, we will have a guest preacher. Rev. Tim Bickel of Cedar Rapids. Rev. Bickel will not only be leading the services and preaching that weekend, he will also be sharing information about People of the Book Lutheran Outreach (POBLO).

Christ's Great Commission is, "Go ... make disciples of all nations ...." POBLO International rightly recognizes the nations are here and the time is now! Accordingly, People of the Book Lutheran Outreach effectively brings Christ to the world and to USA foreign newcomers with its own staff of ethnic missionaries. POBLO also educates Christians to do the same -- bridging cultural gaps, building relationships, and providing mechanisms for effective ministry. Tim Bickel is a former teacher in Asia and Africa, and now a POBLO Advocate who will be guest speaker during worship services both Saturday evening and Sunday morning during our regular services. He also will be leading the Sunday morning Bible study at 10:15 a.m., featuring, "What Every Christian Should Know" that compares and contrasts Christianity with other world faiths. Hear and see great things God is doing and how you can be involved.

A door offering will be collected that weekend to help support the ministry of POBLO. Your prayers, financial gifts, and correspondence at [www.poblo.org](http://www.poblo.org) will support this mission.

### **"Teach Us to Pray" the Focus of the Sunday Morning Bible Study**

Prayer is a basic component of the Christian life. Our Lord invites us to pray. Prayer offers growth and support for our lives in Christ. The person who prays seeks God's help which leads to a deeper and more focused faith as the Christian realizes more strongly the reliance we all have upon God.

To help us grow in our utilization as well as our understanding of this wonderful gift of prayer our Lord provides us, the Sunday morning Bible study will begin on May 19 a study titled, "Teach Us to Pray." This study will be an in-depth look at the Lord's Prayer as the model which Jesus gives us for prayer. This prayer that Jesus teaches is certainly wonderful for us to pray as is. It also, however, provides us insight on how we approach God in prayer in general and about specific requests and thanksgivings we may have to bring before God's heavenly throne.

Join us on Sunday mornings from 10:15-11:15 a.m. in the Chamber Room for this study beginning May 19.

### **Baccalaureate Is May 26**

It is graduation season. Many college graduations take place early in May. High school graduations take place later in the month. On Sunday, May 26, St. Paul will have the annual baccalaureate observance for high school graduates. This year's high school graduates are Taylor Comstock, Michael Dodsworth jr, AJ Goodell, Cedric Kuesel, Greta Simmons, and Alaina Stoltenberg. We rejoice with these young people at this accomplishment in their lives! We congratulate them, wish them well, and pray the Lord's blessings upon their future plans!

### **May's Monthly Congregational Challenge**

Last month, you were encouraged to be "un-Lutheran" in a sense and not always sit in the same spot in the same pew each week. Some took this to heart and hopefully not only sat in a different spot, but also greeted some people they usually do not greet each week. (We will see how much creatures of habit we all are. We will see if everyone returns to their "regular" spot.)

This month, the challenge relates to Bible study and Sunday School. This one will have to have several components to it. First of all, if you are not presently attending one of our Bible studies, you are encouraged to do so. The Bible studies presently offered are the Sunday morning Bible study for anyone older than Sunday School age (which right now is about 13 and up), the Tuesday morning men's Bible study, and the Tuesday morning women's Bible study. The latter two both meet at 9 a.m. on Tuesdays. If these do not fit in your schedule, maybe it is time to explore starting a study that a time would work for a group around a topic of particular interest. This also applies to our children of Sunday School age who are not attending. This is a large group in our congregation right now. It is a time of growth in knowledge, but also in fellowship for the young members of our congregation beginning with preschool up through at least sixth grade.

Secondly, if you already attend one of our Bible studies, you are encouraged to think of one or two people that you are a close to who do not presently attend Bible study. Invite them to join you! Offer encouragement to the people in

your “sphere of influence” so they find the joys of growing in God’s Word, as well.

This challenge will admittedly be more difficult than sitting in a different spot. However, individuals and our congregation will inevitably see benefits emerge from more of our members engaging in study of God’s Word with one another.

**Together in the Word.**

Being in God’s Word daily is truly a blessing. The readings that will be posted for the next several months are taken from the daily lectionary which is found on pages 299-304 in *Lutheran Service Book*. Blessings on your reading and meditation.

May	1	Exodus 24:1-18 Luke 5:1-16		
	2	Exodus 25:1-22 Luke 5:17-39		
	3	Exodus 31:1-18 Luke 6:1-19		
	4	Exodus 32:1-14 Luke 6:20-38		
	5	Exodus 32:15-35 Luke 6:39-49	17	Leviticus 18:1-7, 20-19:8 Luke 11:1-13
	6	Exodus 33:1-23 Luke 7:1-17	18	Leviticus 19:9-18, 26-37 Luke 11:14-36
	7	Exodus 34:1-28 Luke 7:18-35	19	Leviticus 20:1-16, 22-27 Luke 11:37-54
	8	Exodus 34:29-35:21 Luke 7:36-50	20	Leviticus 21:1-24 Luke 12:1-12
	9	Exodus 38:21-39:8 Luke 8:1-21	21	Leviticus 23:1-22 Luke 12:13-34
	10	Exodus 39:32-40:16 Luke 8:22-39	22	Leviticus 23:23-44 Luke 12:35-53
	11	Exodus 40:17-38 Luke 8:40-56	23	Leviticus 24:1-23 Luke 12:54-13:17
	12	Leviticus 8:1-13, 30-36 Luke 9:1-17	24	Leviticus 26:1-20 Luke 13:18-35
	13	Leviticus 9:1-24 Luke 9:18-36	25	Leviticus 26:21-33, 39-44 Luke 14:1-24
	14	Leviticus 10:1-20 Luke 9:37-62	26	Numbers 3:1-16, 39-48 Luke 14:25-15:10
	15	Leviticus 16:1-24 Luke 10:1-22	27	Numbers 8:5-26 Luke 15:11-32
	16	Leviticus 17:1-16 Luke 10:23-42	28	Numbers 9:1-23 Luke 16:1-18
			29	Numbers 10:11-36 Luke 16:19-31
			30	Numbers 11:1-23, 31-35 Luke 17:1-19
			31	Numbers 11:24-29; 12:1-16 Luke 17:20-37

**Visiting Music Ensemble**

On Sunday, May 26<sup>th</sup>, members from UNITuba, a tuba and euphonium ensemble from the University of Northern Iowa, will be joining us for worship. They will be visiting Iowa City for the International Tuba and Euphonium Conference, which will be hosted at the University of Iowa this year. Dr. Orth, their coach and professor at UNI, has graciously recruited volunteers to enhance our worship service free of charge. UNITuba will be playing several pieces ranging from brand new compositions to arrangements of some classic works. We are very appreciative of the time, effort and preparation they have put in to worship with us. Since UNITuba is an official organization of UNI, they cannot accept payment from a religious institution like St. Paul. However, they are allowing us to provide them with a meal. If you are willing to help provide/serve the meal, there will be a sign-up sheet posted in the west entryway. If you have any questions, please contact Sam Ogilvie at [ogilvie.samuel@gmail.com](mailto:ogilvie.samuel@gmail.com). Let’s make sure to give these musicians a great, friendly St. Paul welcome!

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**Christian Service Committee News about our Church Family** (all addresses are Williamsburg, IA 52361 unless noted)  
We highlight all children's birthdays up through age 18. Adults are highlighted on each birthday the ends in a "0" and for every birthday after 80. If you'd like to recognize a birthday that doesn't fit into this plan, please contact Helen Ramsey to get it in the bulletin during the appropriate week. Wedding anniversaries are highlighted every 5 years and every year after 50. As always, there is a complete list of birthdays and anniversaries on the west entrance bulletin board.  
Kind regards, Christian Service Committee

**Highlighted Birthdays and Anniversaries for May. Complete lists of birthdays and anniversaries are posted on the bulletin board at the west entrance.**

May 1 – Brooklyn Goad 10, 1002 North St.  
May 1 – Leighton Maas 9, 406 Page St.  
May 1 – Tom & Jacque Heitshusen 45<sup>th</sup>, 206 West Maple  
May 5 – Esther Madoerin 98, 2230 Q Ave.  
May 7 – Luka Gotsis 8, 697 East Adam St. Marengo 52301  
May 7 – Velma Mews 89, 301 Hampton Dr.  
May 9 – Melissa Alba 30, 408 Union St., Norway 52318  
May 9 – Betty Haworth 82, 1407 West Welsh St.  
May 10 – Marvel Jones 70, 100 Ridge View Circle  
May 10 – Vernon Schmidt 85, 2512 U Ave.  
May 12 – Sydney Stutzman 6, 204 Page St.  
May 12 – Dalton Van Etten 20, 122 County Club Road  
May 16 – Isaiah Luers 6, 16277 310<sup>th</sup> Ave.  
May 16 – Olivia Schlesselman 7, 505 W Hilton St., Marengo 52361  
May 21 – Cary & Janelle Stowe 30<sup>th</sup>, 504 West St  
May 22 – Grant Stourac 17, 205 Rogers Dr.  
May 23 – Shayla Comstock 13, 8291 C Ave.  
May 25 – Andrew Davies 12, PO Box 182, Marengo 52361  
May 25 – Kevin Doehrmann 60, 901 Oak St.  
May 26 – Colton & Katie Murrey 1<sup>st</sup>, 802 North St, Apt 2  
May 26 – Edna Stangland 90, 2549 S Ave.  
May 30 – Masilyn Conrad 9, 129 Bailey Park Rd.  
May 30 – Gabriella Uhlmann 4, 603 Clark St., PO Box 508  
May 30 – Joshua Wardenburg 30, 304 West St., Box 1011

**Memorial Day weekend**, we will honor our military members, past members, relatives of members by listing their names in the bulletin, placing flowers on the altar, and Pastor will have a prayer in their honor and memory. If you know of someone who is not included is the list in the Clarion, please let us know, so we can update the list.

**Those in need of prayers or who are sick or in hospital**

Dairyl Faas English Valley Care Center, 150 W. Washington St., North English 52316

**Our Sympathy and prayers** to the family of Roland Williams. Roland passed away on April 16<sup>th</sup>. Roland is survived by his wife Carol Jean, son Dan Williams, grandchildren, Colton, Kiley, and Wade Williams. Funeral service was held on April 20<sup>th</sup> here at St. Paul Lutheran Church.

**And to** the family of Christopher Doehrmann of Lone Tree, IA who passed away April 4<sup>th</sup>. A celebration of life service was held Friday, April 12. Chris is the son of Steve and Terrie Doehrmann and the grandson of Ron and Jean Doehrmann.

**And to** the family of Deloris Doehrmann whose Celebration of Life service was March 26<sup>th</sup> at Immanuel Lutheran Church, Williamsburg. Deloris is a sister-in-law to Edna Stangland.

**And to** the family of Thelma Gragg who passed away March 14<sup>th</sup>. Thelma is the mother of David Gragg and grandmother of Alex and Andrew Gragg. A Celebration of Life Memorial Service is planned for a later date.

**Congratulations and blessings** to Baylea and Grant Hinrichs on the birth of their son Wyatt who was born on April 5th. Garry and Marge Smith are the great grandparents.

**If you need food** or know of someone who does, the HACAP Food Reservoir Mobile Food Pantry is at the Williamsburg Kirkwood Campus from 3:00-4:00 pm on the last Tuesday (4/30&5/ ) of each month.

**Iowa County Food Bank** – contact Paula Watkins 319-654-5506, Terri Schutterle 319-64-3330, or Sherry Hautekeete 319-642-7796.

**If you need clothes, check out the following places:** Contact each store to find out the dates for their sales.

**Crowded Closet** 851 Hwy 6 E, Ste 101, Iowa City, IA 52240, 9:30-5:00 M-F, Sat 9:30-4:00 319-337-5924. Colored tag ½ price each week.

**Good Will/Coralville** 2551 Heartland Place, 319-248-4729

**Good Will/Iowa City** 985 Highway 6 E, 319-248-4705, 9AM-9PM M-F, Sat. 9-6 PM, Sunday 12-5PM

**The Attic**, Free clothing – call 668-2288 for an appointment (St. Paul Methodist), the hours are Monday 9-11AM, Thursday 5:30-6:30PM

**Salvation Army/Iowa City** – 1725 Boyrum St., 9AM-8PM, M-Sat. 319-339-4984

**Choir Members:** We are in charge of serving for Fellowship May 5th and May 12th. Please sign up on the sheet available outside the choir room!

**Choir Director**—St. Paul is searching for a choir director. If anyone knows of a person interested please contact Pastor Ogilvie or one of our elders.

**Clarion Deadline** May 20th

**Clarion Assembly** will be on May 29th at 1:00pm

**Elders** will meet May 15th at 7:00pm

**Evangelism** will be meeting on May 28th at 5:30pm

**His Too Class** meets on May 7th at 3:00pm.

**LIS school board** will meet on May 21st at 7:30pm

## **In our Church Library**

### **Adult books**

**A Name of Her Own** by Jane Kirkpatrick

Based on the life of Marie Dorion, the first mother to cross the Rocky Mountains and remain in the Northwest, "A Name of Her Own" is the fictionalized adventure account of a real woman's fight to settle in a new landscape, survive in a nation at war, protect her sons and raise them well and, despite an abusive, alcoholic husband, keep her marriage together. With two rambunctious young sons to raise, Marie Dorion refuses to be left behind in St. Louis when her husband heads West with the Wilson Hunt Astoria expedition of 1811. Faced with hostile landscapes, an untried expedition leader, and her volatile husband, Marie finds that the daring act she hoped would bind her family together may in the end tear them apart. On the journey, Marie meets up with the famous Lewis and Clark interpreter, Sacagawea. Both are Indian women married to mixed-blood men of French Canadian and Indian descent, both are pregnant, both traveled with expeditions led by white men, and both are raising sons in a white world. Together, the women forge a friendship that will strengthen and uphold Marie long after they part, even as she faces the greatest crisis of her life, and as she fights for her family's very survival with the courage and gritty determination that can only be fueled by a mother's love.

**Crossing Over One Woman's Escape from Amish Life** by Ruth Irene Garrett with Rick Farrant

Ruth Irene Garrett was the fifth of seven children raised in Kalona, Iowa, as a member of a strict Old Order Amish community. She was brought up in a world filled with rigid rules and intense secrecy, in an environment where the dress, buggies, codes of conduct, and way of life differed even from other Amish societies only 100 miles away. This Old Order community actively avoided all interaction with the English; everyone who lived on the outside. As a result, Ruth knew only one way of life, and one way of doing things.



This compelling narrative takes us inside a hidden community, offering a striking look as one woman comes to terms with her discontent and ultimately leaves her family, faith and the sheltered world of her childhood. Unsatisfied, she bravely crosses over to contemporary life to fully explore the foreign and frightening reality in hope of better understanding her emotional and spiritual desires. What emerges is a powerful tale of one woman's search for meaning and the extraordinary lessons she learns along the way.

### **In The line of Fire Daring Stories of Man's Best Hero** by Ace Collins

Dogs have become more than mere pets, in the eyes of many these companions are friends and family. But when it comes to dogs that serve in the military, law enforcement, and medical field--they become equal members of the team. Each day, these canines' actions and reactions to often difficult situations impact the personal safety and care of men and women as they serve their communities and country. In *The Line of Fire: More Stories of Man's Best Hero* shares moving and exciting stories of a dozen amazing canines whose lives have been constantly on the line. Dogs that have assisted Navy Seals, tracked criminals, set forth on life-saving missions, and even became goodwill ambassadors, empowering those with whom they work and often changing their industries forever. Their incredible missions showcase the most positive aspects of the units with whom they've worked, while serving as narratives that teach mankind about courage, faith, and loyalty. After hearing these often edge-of-the-seat tales you might be encouraged to emulate the very animals that serve us.

### **The Great Divide :The Failure of Islam and the Triumph of the West** by Alvin J Schmidt

These days, the hills are alive with the sound of musings about Islam. Publisher's Weekly reported this spring that a spate of new books on the religion are hitting the bookstores, and they're unlike the critical books that came out after September 11; the new tomes assure readers that Islam is a religion of peace. That, as Alvin Schmidt points out in *The Great Divide*, is wishful thinking. Muslims are right to point out that the Bible has its parts that sound bloodthirsty to modern readers, but the Quran is Joshua all the way through, without its contextualization in the peace-emphasizing prophetic and New Testament books... ..Professor Schmidt does not hack away at Islam, nor does he attack Christianity because of headlined abuses that arise in it. He doesn't hyperventilate about the Abu Ghraibs of Christianity--the misogyny of some church fathers, the bloody entry of the Crusaders into Jerusalem, the pro-slavery rhetoric of some antebellum fire-eaters. Instead, he compares the normal practice of Christianity and Islam. He shows how Christianity grew by the blood of its martyrs, but Islam grew by killing those who opposed it. He compares the view of women in the New Testament and the Quran, showing how Christ's teaching eventually led to the development of complementary roles for men and women but Muhammad's teaching led to subservience. He shows how Christians looked at slavery critically over the centuries and how many fought for its abolition; Islam, though, has no intrinsic anti-slavery position, so it's no surprise that some Islamic countries today still allow it... ..Christians who understand these specific differences, delineated in Schmidt's book, will strengthen their own faith and be ready to enter into discussions with Muslims without offering either appeasement or shotgun-blast aggression.

### **The Mother of the Reformation** by Ernst Kroker translated by Mark E. DeGarmeaux

Kroker paints an intimate picture of Katie and of family life in the Black Cloister during the formative years of the Reformation, showing how Katie's marriage to Martin Luther was a multifaceted vocation, with such tasks as household brew mistress, cloister landlady, property overseer, gardener, cow- and pig-herder, and fishwife. Indeed, Katie oversaw their home much like a lord in her kingdom, yet in the midst of it all stood the man to whom her work, concern, and duty were directed. This readable, fresh translation of one of the standard biographical works on Katie Luther presents a compelling portrait for those desiring to know more about this quietly influential Reformation character. Mark DeGarmeaux brings the warmth of Kroker's writing to a new generation of those interested in the Reformation and especially in Katie, the woman behind the hammer.

### **The Tinderbox** by Beverly Lewis

With her Amish parents' twentieth anniversary approaching, eighteen-year-old Sylvia Miller stumbles across a surprise--the old brass tinderbox her clockmaker father keeps in his Lancaster County shop has been left unlocked. Against her better judgment, Sylvia opens the cherished heirloom, not realizing that what she is about to discover will splinter apart her happy life.

## Children's Books

### **Because I Love You** by Max Lucado, Illustrations by Mitchell Heinz

A long time ago a wise man named Shaddai built a wonderful village for children to live in. He talked to them and sang for them and told them stories. He gave them everything they needed. And with his own hands Shaddai built a protective wall around their village, rock by rock. He did all of this for just one reason--because he loved them. One day Paladin, the village's most curious child, discovers something troubling about the wall. Something that makes him wonder about Shaddai's love. Could there be a mistake? Young Paladin is about to discover the answer. And when he does, he will come to understand just how deeply he is loved. And so will you. Everything God does for your children, He does because of love. He protects them. He listens to their prayers. He provides for their needs. He even gives warnings and sets boundaries--for no other reason than love. As an adult you already know this. Now your children can know it too through this captivating tale, which was first published in the award-winning children's bestseller *Tell Me the Story*. Let this timeless story of a curious boy's choice and a caring man's sacrificial response help you make the infinite love of their Heavenly Father as real to your kids as your own love. Because they need to understand about Him what you have already learned--that everything God does throughout our lives, He does for one reason only, and for the best reason of all: "Because I Love You."

### **The Bible Book of How, Which What & Why** by Claire Freedman, Illustrated by Neil Pinchbeck

Encourage children to explore Scripture and uncover answers to their questions with *The Bible Book of How, Which, What & Why*. Using an active learning approach, children lift flaps and turn wheels to discover that God's Word is rich with accounts of God's love for His people. One section even challenges children to find the Bible errors in otherwise well-known Bible stories. This book will be a favorite of parents and teachers for its creative and fun approaches to learning. Start children asking "how?," "which?," "what?," and "why?" -- with *The Bible Book of How, Which, What & Why*

### **The Flyaway Kite** by Steve Bjorkman

*Love Never Gives Up*-- There once was a boy who had a kite. He loved the kite very much. Every day the pair would have a new adventure together. But one day the kite made a terrible decision that changed everything! Could one little kite survive in the world all by itself? In this tender and triumphant tale, award-winning author and illustrator Steve Björkman paints a subtle but clear portrait of redemption, masterfully capturing the essence of God's redeeming grace. A story soaring with meaning not only for boys and girls, but for men and women of all ages, *The Flyaway Kite* offers a high-flying parable of God's love for each one of us--and of our desperate need to be connected to Him.

### **Tuck Me In, God** by Christine Harder Tangvald, Illustrated by Shelley Dieterichs

A child's evening prayer, with examples of some of the things that one might want to talk over with God, also includes opportunities for the reader to add personalized prayer concerns.

## DVD's

### **Antonio Meets His Match**

A rude foreigner moves into the garden, testing Antonio's patience. Antonio should probably be called Brave Ant, for the heroic way he leads his Army Ants in defending the garden.

### **Veggie Tales Are You My Neighbor ?**

Big idea's award winning writing and animation bring the parable of the Good Samaritan to life in this delightful, story-book adaptation of the biblical tale. Through rhyme and song, kids learn that loving your neighbor means helping those in need--even if they don't live next door!

### **Veggie Tales Bible Heroes Triple Feature**

*Josh and the Big Wall*. A lesson in obedience, it's the Bible story of Joshua and the wall of Jericho as told by our beloved Veggies.

*Esther: The Girl Who Became Queen*

The king needs a new queen, and a small town girl named Esther has been chosen.

*Moe and the Big Exit* Enjoy this classic western version of the story of Moses.

**A great big THANK YOU** to Mark Imhoff for all the work he did in installing LED lighting in the church. He went beyond his normal duties. We appreciate everything you did for us Mark.

### **LIS SCRIP**

**Think Scrip for Mother's Day:** Bath and Body Works, Bed Bath and Beyond, Brueggers Bagels, Kohls, TJ Maxx, Tanger, Target, Walmart, Plus our restaurant cards!

**Women's Guild** met April 4 with Pastor leading us with bible study from LWML Quarterly. Thank from concert members. Mission project will be paying for rally expenses. April fellowship names were read. Rally will be April 27<sup>th</sup>. Members attending Marengo guest brunch reported interesting morning with skype from Belize. Quilting ladies will not be quilting for the summer. Voted to pay Evelyn Hudson for some of the projects she has brought. National LWML has met its goal. Praise the Lord. Retreat September 6&7. New feature: include a camp experience for young children at same time mother comes. More info later. Mites were led by Darlene Read. Vera Knock served refreshments. Evelyn Hudson will be hostess for May.





