

A Litany for Mother's Day

Leader: For the mother whose child we are and the womb that was our first home, for her who bore us;

Response: We give you thanks, O Lord.

Leader: For the teaching of parents, what is said and not said, done and not done;

Response: We give you thanks, O Lord.

Leader: For friendships with parents, just plain fun together, like a box of puppies, heirs of the grace of life;

Response: We give you thanks, O Lord.

Leader: For healing and understanding, and for the capacity of memory to grow more kind;

Response: We give you thanks, O Lord.

Leader: For people whose love can be trusted, making us bold and strong and unafraid to love, like a song that is sung 'till you sing it yourself;

Response: We give you thanks, O Lord.

Leader: For Jesus, who gives us the melody line of love, whose love we trust utterly, joyous as a May morning, with every blooming and blossoming and winging thing;

Response: We give you thanks, O Lord.

Quarter Tube

The May Quarter Tube collection will be given to the Kenyan "Peace in the Community" project for printing curriculum and training.

Camp Registrations

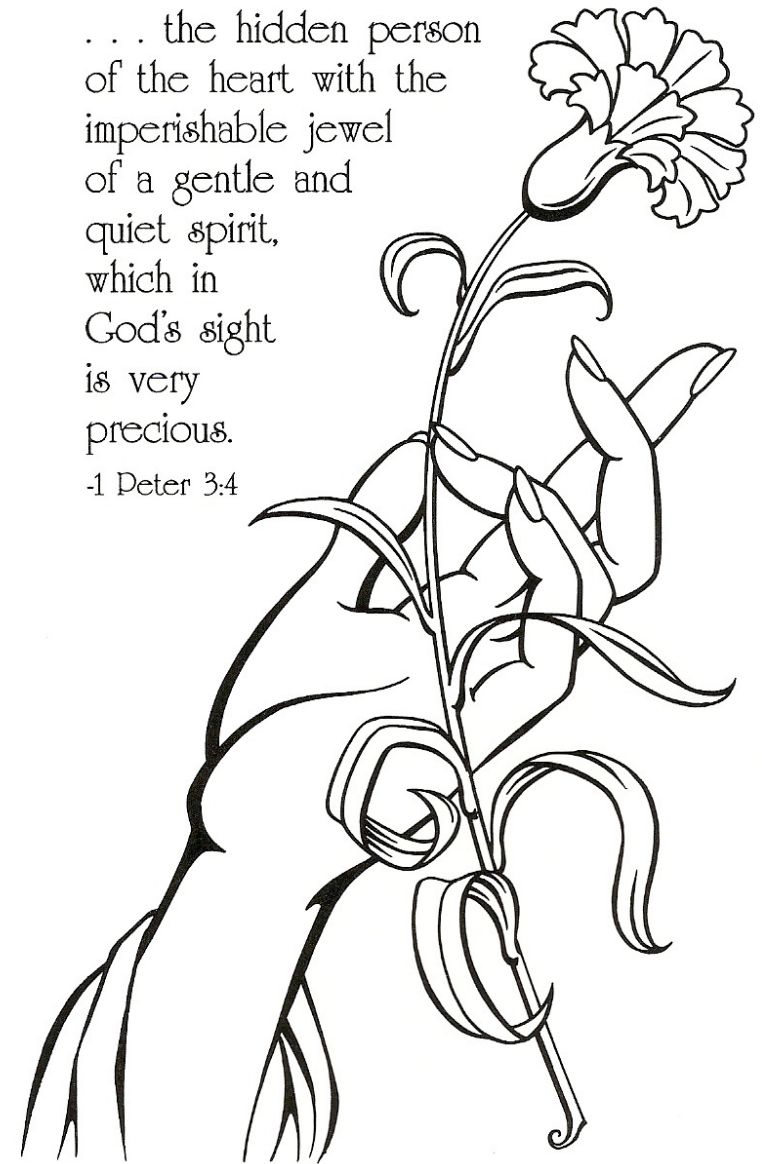
Anyone interested in attending camp should pick up a registration form from the office. Funds are available for registration if needed. Please contact Jim Burmeister or let the Office know if you need financial assistance. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact Chip Daleske at 319-939-6611. Deadline for registrations is May 26!

Our Mission

College Avenue Friends exists to be compassionate examples of Christ as we live out our Quaker testimonies through the exercise of our individual gifts. We are committed to live as a Christ-centered fellowship which gives freedom to its members to practice their faith as led by God's Spirit.

... the hidden person
of the heart with the
imperishable jewel
of a gentle and
quiet spirit,
which in
God's sight
is very
precious.

-1 Peter 3:4



College Avenue Friends Church

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May 9, 2010

Meeting for Worship

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Tom Palmer, pastor

Mike Moyer, worship leader

Mary Thury, worship accompanist

Caroline Jaennette, song leader

Should anyone have need, there is a nursery located downstairs.

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Quietly enter His presence. Praise God for your “family of faith.”

Expect the Spirit to move.

† Prelude		Mary Thury
Announcements, Joys and Concerns		
* Call to Worship	Ephesians 6:1-3 (p.1228)	Mike Moyer
* Invocation		
* Hymn of Worship	#793: “For the Beauty of the Earth”	
* <i>Litany for Mother’s Day - see back page for responsive reading</i>		
Hymn of Worship	#68: “We Praise Thee O God, Our Redeemer”	
Children’s Moment		Dana Oswald
Worship Through Giving		
Offertory		Mary Thury
Special Music		Sydney Robbins
§ Open Worship — Communion in the Manner of Friends		
Scripture Lesson	Luke 8:1-3 (p. 1081)	
	Mark 15:37-41 (p. 1067)	Mike Moyer
Sermon	“The Gospel in Heart & Home”	Tom Palmer
Hymn of Worship	#604: “I Then Shall Live”	
* Blessing		
* Postlude		Mary Thury

† Assisted Listening Service is available for the hearing impaired. Please see an usher for assistance.

* Please stand at these times if you are able.

§ As the Spirit may move you to share at this time, please speak into the microphone so that other worshippers can hear your thoughts.

This week’s calendar

Today

- **9:30 a.m.** — Meeting for Worship.
- **10:30 a.m.** — Fellowship Time upstairs as we **celebrate the remodeled youth room in honor of Edward Smith.**
- **10:50 a.m.** — Sunday School for everyone!
- **5:30 p.m.** — **NO Reflections** this week.

Monday through Thursday –The church will be open during regular office hours and from 6:00 – 7:00 p.m. each evening to receive your donations for the Missions Basement Sale. Please sort your items onto the tables in the appropriate categories and leave the boxes and sacks under the tables. Thank you for your donations! **Lots of plastic bags needed, please leave on a table in the Fellowship Hall. Willing to help during the Sale? Call Deb Moyer.**

Friday, 4:30 – 7:00 p.m. and Saturday, 7:00 – 11:30 a.m., Basement sale to benefit Sam and Becky Barber and the Belize Boys School. Come and shop and bring your friends!

Next Sunday

- **9:30 a.m.** — Meeting for Worship.
- **10:30 a.m.** — Fellowship Time in narthex.
- **10:50 a.m.** — Sunday School for everyone!
- **3:30 p.m.** — Martha Faye Circle.
- **5:30 p.m.** — **Reflections** Contemporary Worship Service.
- **6:00 p.m.** — Youth group.

Yearly Meeting report forms are in! Chairs of committees, please check your boxes for your committee form.