

Larry's Lines

What Should A Father Do?

Fathers are a strange lot. They get up early and leave the house; they don't come home until the close of day.

I sensed early on in life that daddy was important. He didn't stay at home as mother did, but he seemed in control of the family. There was no question in my mind that you did what daddy said. Mother taught it; Dad enforced it.

Later, when I became a father, I began to sense the awesome responsibility of providing for one's family. There was housing to be secured, food for the table, and clothing for the body. But that was only the beginning. Something much larger was at stake, the eternal welfare of every member of the family. Being the "head" of the house was no matter to be taken lightly. Thankfully, I found a handbook for fathers, the same one my father used, The Bible. I wasn't perfect, but the Book was. I still recommend that Book for every man trying to raise a family. It will give you insights at every turn in the road.

For example, take the statement of the apostle Paul; *"For you know, like a father with his children, we exhorted each one of you and encouraged you and charged you to lead a life worthy of God, who call you into His own kingdom and glory"* (1 Thessalonians 2:11-12).

In these verses three verbs are connected with the role of the father, exhorted, encouraged and charged. Children need to be exhorted to a life of right conduct. They need to be encouraged in their pursuit of that goal. And they need the authoritative charge of their father, God chose Abraham because He knew that Abraham would "charge his children and his household after him, to keep the way of the Lord by doing righteousness and justice" (Genesis 18:19).

There is no job more important for any father than that of teaching his children "to lead a life worthy of God."

Happy Father's Day!
Larry

NOTICES

Online Registration is now open for Green Valley Bible Camp. Register at www.greenvallybiblecamp.com.

Congratulations to Jamal and Alexis Dennis on the birth of their new baby, Khloe Ryan Dennis. Khloe was born Monday, June 11, 2018 at 11:48 am weighing 5lbs 14oz and was 19 inches long. Khloe is the granddaughter of Missy Cherry Mosier and the great granddaughter of Donna Baker.



Just a few weeks left: Threads of Love are making microwave bowl pot holders for a donation of \$5.00 or more. All proceeds go to the Green Valley Renovation Fundraiser. Please pick out the one you like and give your donation to Dixie Dalrymple, Mary Hutton, Janice Thomas or Barbara Parsley. You need to hurry, they will only be making them through June.

Congratulations to Matt and Angela Wood on the birth of their new baby, Morgan Fanning Wood. Morgan was born at 1:30pm, June 11, 2018. Morgan weighed 7lbs,13oz and was 19inches long. Morgan is the great granddaughter of Tommie Ball.



Underwear for Honduras. We are collecting new underwear only for our mission trip. Please place your donations in the box provided in the foyer. For questions see Linda Huffmaster.

What Makes A Dad

God took the strength of a mountain,	The joy of a morning in spring,
The majesty of a tree,	The faith of a mustard seed,
The warmth of a summer sun,	The patience of eternity,
The calm of a quiet sea,	The depth of a family need,
The generous soul of nature,	Then God Combined these qualities,
The comforting arm of night,	When there was nothing more to add,
The wisdom of the ages,	He knew his masterpiece was complete
The power of the eagle's flight,	And so, He called it....Dad.

More information about these and other events can be found on the Events board in the foyer.

Happy Birthday

June 20:
Nelson McCoy

June 21:
Pete Ball

June 23:
Jacob House

June 23:
Kristen Lee

June 24:
Preston Keeter

Pantry Items needed:
Mac and Cheese

Teen Events

Pre Game and Birthday Party with Lauren Mayhew, June 20, 2018.
Teen Devo, June 23, 2018 at the building.

Happy Anniversary

June 21st
Chris and Jennifer Wu

Those Needing Our Prayers & Visits:

Those with recent health issues:

Lee Pennington recent hospitalization, Marc Wolfe is having pulmonary issues, Dustin Mayhew is having heart problems, Wayne York (Darby York's Father) is now out of the hospital and is in Rehab.

Those on Hospice: Millie Hood and Oma Leta Smith

Those fighting Cancer: Keith Montgomery, Leslie Cones and Kim Williams (Megan Bassing's Aunt).

Those who need your continual prayer and consideration! Arlie Pennington, Pearl Couch, Emmett Windham, Shirley Bates, Roger and Shirley Gross, Norma Williams, Roy Howard, Betty Jordan, Genevra Montgomery, Vada Loker and Kendra Phillips.

The leaders of our community, our state, our country, our Military Service Men and Women deployed overseas, and the Fathers of our Families.

***All names submitted to the prayer list will appear for four continuous weeks. After that time, they will be removed unless further updates are received. You can always resubmit a name should they need continual or additional prayers.**

We are collecting toilet paper rolls and paper towel rolls for VBS crafts. Please see Janice Jones for questions.

Upcoming Events

LTC Participants Pre K thru 12th Grade.

If you are ready to get a jump start on Service Projects for the upcoming year, see Andrea Huffmaster or Contessa Shew for "BINGO" service card.

Gospel Meeting at Elkins Church of Christ, June 17-20, 2018. Ken Burton will be the guest speaker.

The Seniors will be taking a trip to the Bass Pro Aquarium and Wildlife Museum, June 23, 2018. They will leave the building at 8:00 am and return around 7:30. See Steve Martindale for details.

June 24, 2018 will be our **4th Sunday Devo** and Potluck right after evening services. The 60's and 70's will be hosting and cleaning up. The menu is HOT DOGS. Please bring hot dogs, buns, the fixins, side dishes, desserts and drinks.

VBS will take place June 25-27, 2018. A sign up sheet has been placed in the foyer that needs your name on it. Please take time to see what you can do to help make this the best VBS ever. VBS Cards are available to hand out to friends, family and neighbors. Grab a few on your way out this morning.

THE LORD'S DAY ORDER OF WORSHIP

WELCOME

Announcements
Terry Huffmaster

Song Leader
James Goodpasture

Hymn #1025
God of Our Fathers

Hymn #51
Father of Mercies

OPENING PRAYER
Josh Fortenberry

Hymn #318 (extra verse)
O Sacred Head

COMMUNION SCRIPTURE
Romans 3:21-26
Joe Harriman

Communion Prayer
Randall Harriman

LORD'S SUPPER
Offering

Hymn #410
He Leadeth Me

SCRIPTURE READING
Luke 15:11-24
George Martin



Invitation Hymn #947 (1,2 & 4)
Jesus Is Tenderly Calling

Closing Hymn #789
Father

Closing Prayer
Matthew Goodpasture

Welcome Visitors!

We are so happy to have you, and consider you our honored guest. If we can help you in any way, please don't hesitate to ask any of our members. We would love to help make your visit a pleasant one.

June Events

June 17th

Fathers Day
Gospel Meeting at
Elkins Church of Christ

June 20th

Summer Series Speaker
Irvine Williams
Combs Street Church of Christ
Pre-Game and Birthday's w/
Lauren Mayhew

June 23rd

Teen Devo@Building

June 24th

4th Sunday Devo and
Fellowship

June 25th-27th

Vacation Bible School

June 26

Threads of Love

June 28

Elders Meeting

July Events

July 4th

Independence Day
Office Closed

AM SERMON OUTLINE

1. Top Ten Dinner Dishes When Mom's Away and Dad is "cooking".
10. Hot Dogs with just a hint of Tabasco.
9. "Kids eat free" night at the steak house.
8. Pizza.
7. Broiled bologna benedict on rye.
6. Back-of-the-fridge goulash (with lots of pepper).
5. Chips and salsa.
4. Cocoa Puff surprise.
3. Something old, something blue, something frozen, call it stew.
2. Cold pizza.
1. Whatever's cooking at Grandma's.
2. Qualities of the Father in Luke 15.
 - a. He was an Approachable Father (vs. 12-18).
 - b. He was a Spiritual Father (vs.18.)
 - c. He was an Affectionate Father (Vs 20).

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COME WORSHIP WITH US

Sunday:

Bible Class: 9:30 AM

Morning Worship: 10:20 AM

Evening Worship: 6:00 PM

Wednesday: 7:00 P.M.

Website: johnsonchurchofchrist.com

Email: office@johnsonchurchofchrist.com

PROOF OF OUR LOVE

June 10, 2018

Bible Study: 134
Morning Worship: 227
Evening Worship: 136
Wednesday Night: 145
Chapters Read: 150
Contribution: \$9301.00

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

Sunday Evening

June 17, 2018

Song Leader: Randall Harriman
Prayer: Herb Hughes
Sermon: by Jeremy Myers
Announcements: David Shew
Closing Prayer: Preston Keeter

June 20, 2018

Wednesday Evening

Song Leader: Matt Johnson

Opening Prayer: Phil Curlee

Devotional: Irvine Williams

Announcements: Randall Harriman

Closing Prayer: Logan Wolfe

June 24, 2018

Sunday Morning

Announcements: Terry Huffmaster

Song Leader: Doug Goodpasture

Opening Prayer: Mike Mitchell

Communion Scripture: Josh Fortenberry

Communion Prayer: Kevin Murray

Scripture Reading: Lincoln Phillips

Closing Prayer: Justin Goforth

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Friday 8:30 – 2:30

MISSIONARIES

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ELDERS

Alan Fortenberry

Virgil Harmon

Joe Harriman

Terry Huffmaster

Kevin Murray

DEACONS

Jim Allen

Pete Ball

JP Bradford

David Cherry

Jared Cobb

Josh Fortenberry

Doug Goodpasture

Randall Harriman

Richard Hutton

Heath Huffmaster

Chesley Martin

Steve Martindale

Michael Marvin

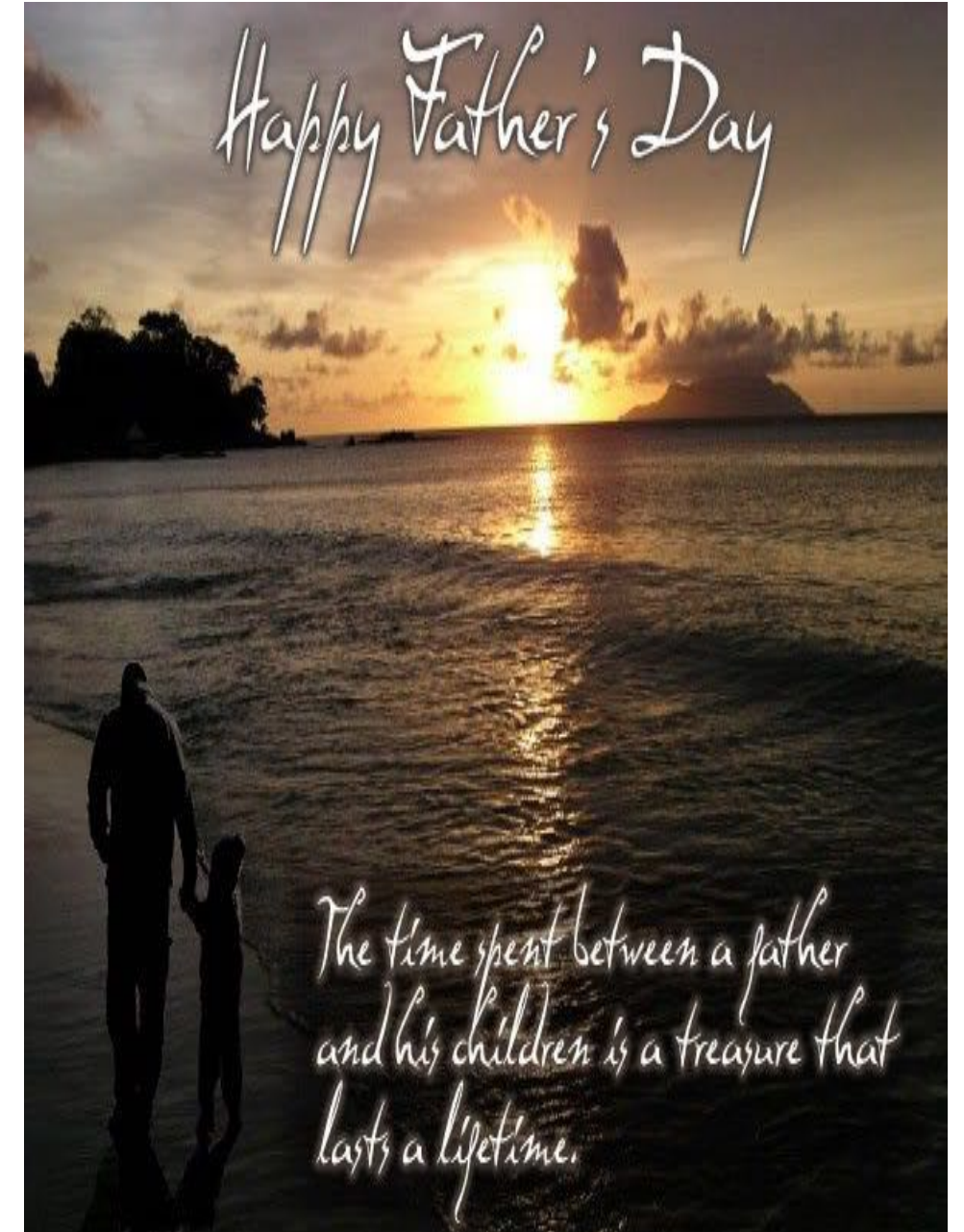
Dustin Mayhew

David Shew

Welcome

to

Johnson church of Christ



June 17, 2018