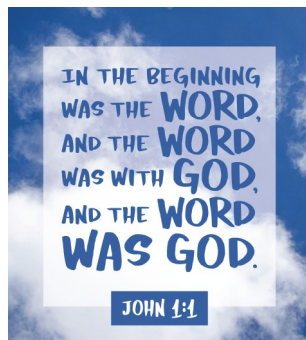


The Fountain

From the Pastor...

The Gospel of John begins with the words "In the beginning," quite intentionally referencing the story of creation in Genesis. John wants us to understand right from the start that the story of Jesus is about a new beginning for the world. The One who was "with God and was God" and involved in the original creation of all things (1:1-3), and Who became human in the person of Jesus of Nazareth, is the one whose mission it was to make all things new. It was his mission to bring about a new creation, a new heaven and earth (Rev 21:1).



On the cross, according to John, Jesus' final words before he died were, "It is finished." (19:30). I believe there's an intentional allusion here to Genesis 2:2 that tells us "By the seventh day God had finished the work" of creation and rested on the seventh. Jesus, rested in the tomb on the seventh day and on the first day of the week rose in glory with the dawning light of new creation, a new beginning for the world, and new birth through the Holy Spirit for all who believe! When Jesus first met with his disciples after the resurrection, just as God breathed into Adam's nostrils to give him life (Gen 2:7), so too Jesus breathed on his disciples to give them new life in the Holy Spirit (Jn 20:22)!

Easter is a celebration of this new beginning and the new creation that we become participants in by faith and new birth. Over the next few months, during the 10:00 a.m. worship service, we will explore the Gospel of John with help from the letters of John and Revelation. It will be a wonderful time in God's word together! Invite someone to hear about our wonderful Savior and to join us in worship of our great God and mighty living Lord!

Pastor Cliff Wall

5/13/25
Finance Meeting
6:00 pm-Conf #3



5/18/25
Administrative Council Meeting
3:00 pm-Krimminger Hall



SUPPERS AND TABLE TALK



***Sunday Suppers will
continue through 5/18/25***

FROM THE CHURCH OFFICE

Please remember the deadline for any event/announcement to be in the newsletter is the 15th of the month. Please email your information to:
admin@coldspringschurch.org.
If you don't have access to email, you may put your request in the "secretary" mailbox, or call the church office at 704-782-1811.



May 26, 2025
Memorial Day
Church Office Closed





**If My people, which are called by My name,
shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek
My face, and turn from their wicked ways; then
will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their
sin, and will heal their land.**

MAY 1, 2025



**NATIONAL DAY
OF PRAYER**

May 11, 2025



May 26, 2025



~Methodist Men's Meeting~

The next Cold Springs Methodist Men's meeting will be held on Sunday, May 4 at 2:00 PM in the Charles Page SS Classroom. Last month, the group put mulch around the church property and built a handicap ramp for a family in the community. If you are not a member of this group, you are invited to attend the meetings and be a part of the Methodist Men. If you have suggestions or questions, please call President Bobby Eagle (704-521-0148)

~Community Breakfast~

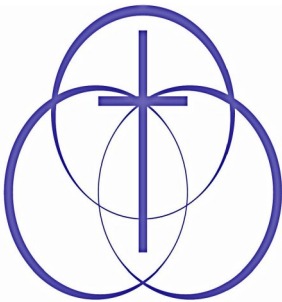
Come and join your friends, family, and neighbors from the community for the monthly Community Breakfast on Saturday, May 3 from 7:00 to 10:00 AM in Krimminger Hall. You are guaranteed a good breakfast.

Donations go toward the Methodist Men's projects.



CSGMC WFFM

(WOMEN OF FAITH, FELLOWSHIP & MISSIONS)

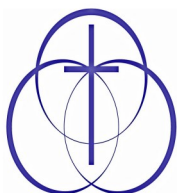


<p>1.5.25 JAN</p> <p>Junk for Jesus</p> <p>2 CORINTHIANS 5:17</p>	<p>2.2.25 FEB</p> <p>Furry Friends & Feathered Fowl for our Father</p> <p>PROVERBS 12:10</p>	<p>3.2.25 MAR</p> <p>Mosaic Masterpieces of our Maker</p> <p>EPHESIANS 2:10</p>	<p>4.6.25 APR</p> <p>Awareness of Angels Among Us from the Almighty</p> <p>PSALM 91:11</p>
<p>5.4.25 MAY</p> <p>Monthly Maxies for Missionary Missions</p> <p>JAMES 2:15-16</p>	<p>6.1.25 JUN</p> <p>Joy of Jam & Jellies for Jehovah Jireh</p> <p>PSALM 121:7</p>	<p>7.6.25 JUL</p> <p>Jenga Jargon Journal from the Just Judge</p> <p>ISAIAH 33:22 2CORINTHIANS 5:10</p>	<p>8.3.25 AUG</p> <p>Armor of the Anointed One Art</p> <p>EPHESIANS 6:10-18</p>
<p>9.7.25 SEP</p> <p>Safety Strategies from our Shepherd</p> <p>ISAIAH 41:10 PSALM 23:1-4</p>	<p>10.5.25 OCT</p> <p>One on One with our Burden Bearer</p> <p>MATTHEW 11:28-30 ISAIAH 53</p>	<p>11.2.25 NOV</p> <p>Napkins & Nails of the Name Above All Names</p> <p>PHILIPPIANS 2:8-11</p>	<p>12.7.25 DEC</p> <p>Dare to Deliver Diapers for our Deliverer</p> <p>JOHN 16:33</p>

**** We invite all ladies of our church and community (young, those more mature, and all those in between) ****

Please join us on the 1st Sunday of each month from 3:00-4:00pm in Krimminger Hall for a brief time of faith, fellowship & missions. Strengthen your walk with Christ with every step of your journey while you become the hands & feet of service and love to others!

ALIVE IN 2025!
Taking Christ to the world!



MAY FOCUS VERSE:
JAMES 2: 15-16

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church and community!**

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Monthly Maxies for Missionary Missions

MAY 4, 2025 (SUNDAY)

3:00-4:00PM

KRIMMINGER HALL AT CSGMC

A brief time of faith, fellowship & missions

If we proclaim faith in Christ and identify ourselves as His followers, we cannot make empty efforts when it comes to the opportunities God places in our path every day to step outside our comfort zones and allow the Holy Spirit to work in and through us as we serve others. Often times, young girls in other countries do not have access to personal hygiene products during their monthly cycles and aren't allowed to attend school during this time. Without education, the girls can fall subject to the physical and sexual abuse of the men in power. During our meeting, we will be making sanitary napkins that can be used, washed & cleaned, and then used again many times. We will distribute the reusable pads as part of our Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Child shoebox outreach in the fall.

The Blessing Box

As a way for everyone in the church to have an opportunity to help fill the Blessing Box for those who may need help supplying their families with food, the third Sunday of each month will be designated "Blessing Box Sunday".

Please bring canned or boxed items and place them in the tub located in the Narthex.

If you are interested in volunteering in the Church Nursey, please email Christi Wall at: wall844@yahoo.com

REQUESTS FOR PRAYER

Claude & Kathy Dill, Kathryn & Ryan Hermance, Diane Hawfield's mother, Deborah Helms, Shelby Craven, Jeff Williams, John Cafferty, Marilea Schmidt, Gail Overcash, Jay Shive, Lois Gantz, Nancy Kluttz, Bob Pressley, The Family of Buddy Blackwelder, Rob Eckman, Bethany Wallace, Sean & Emily Workman, Robin Null, Gail Overcash, Laura Curtis, Jessica Cochran, Faith Billing, Brook & Mason Burrage, Brenda Cooper, Sandra Hurlocker, John Costin, Jenny Cafferty.



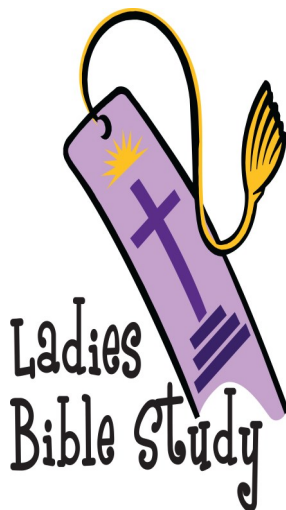
In an effort to keep our prayer request current and accurate, please write your request on the Prayer Board in the Sanctuary, or email the church office with your request.

The email address is:

admin@coldspringschurch.org

DO YOU TRUST GOD TO WRITE HAPPY
ENDINGS?

Ladies, please join us each Wednesday beginning April 2, 2025 through May 14, 2025 for Kelly Minter's Bible Study "Ruth - loss, love & legacy". We will meet in Conference Room #2 at Cold Springs GMC from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. If you have any questions please contact Kay Jones at 704-467-7597 or emailing k328jonez@gmail.com.



Luke In the Land Bible Study
By Kristine McLelland

Starting on April 8th at 6:00-7:30 PM in Conf. Rm 2 you are invited to journey with your sisters in Christ as we dive into a 7 week Bible Study of the Gospel of Luke. (ends May 20) Follow Kristi McLelland through Israel as we study snapshots from the Gospel of Luke to see where the stories of the Bible took place. Over 7 sessions, challenge the way you read the accounts of Jesus through teaching videos that take you to locations in Israel like Bethlehem, the Sea of Galilee, Gethsemane, Jerusalem, and the road to Emmaus. Along the way, you'll see how Jesus, the Messiah, brought His kingdom to earth for everybody.

Please pray and then follow that inner voice within to go deeper with your Savior Jesus in HIS teachings along the side of your sisters in Christ.

If you have any questions about this Bible Study please contact Rene' Caldwell at 704-425-3760 or emailing jgcrcald@gmail.com



VACATION
BIBLE
SCHOOL
June 22-25



WINSHAPE CAMP
July 7-11



YOUTH MISSION TRIP
July 20-26

As another school year comes to a close, remember our students in your prayers.





Birthdays

3-Todd Barbee
5-Bobby Eagle
6-Kelly Meade, Garrett Hurlocker
7-Billy Lylery
8-Larry Craven
13-Lin Barnhardt
19-Kaleb Kluttz
20-Scott Brantley, Jane Creed, Grady Love
22-Daniel Caldwell
24-Jason Ingold
25-Bristol Campbell
26-Ken Earnhardt, Lydia Hoffner
28-Matt Almond
31-Cathy Talley

Anniversaries

2-Daniel & Sara Beaver
13-Jason & Neely Yount
16-Earl & Gloria Beaver
20-Charles & Terri Pruitt,
Joe & Karen Parker
21-Todd & Christine Barbee
23-Cliff & Christi Wall,
Ken & Barbara Earnhardt
25-Jerry & Pam Helms
26-Lin & Ramona Barnhardt



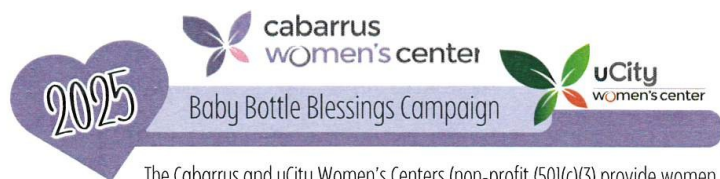


In Memory of Dixie Cafferty

Lila Barnhardt
HCHS Class of 1969
Robert & Wanda Davis
Billie & Jason Davis
Johnny & Paula Faggart
Brenda Gardiner
Susan Goertemiller
Bobby & Annette Hammill
Mike & Lynne Helms
Mark & Kimberly Jenkins
John Lane
Brenda Long
Bruce & Marsha Schachtel
Frances White



Thank
You



The Cabarrus and uCity Women's Centers (non-profit (501)(c)(3) provide women with HOPE, resources and the education they need to make LIFE AFFIRMING decisions for their babies!



How can you help?

Fill your baby bottle with cash, change or check (payable to CWC) and return it to your church by Father's Day.

You can also donate ANYTIME online @ friendsofcwc.com

When does it start and end?

Officially begins on Mother's Day and ends on Father's Day!

However, church hosts may pick up their bottles and distribute as early as April 1st.

Where do you get the baby bottles?

Cabarrus Women's Center - 163 Winecoff Ave, NW Concord, NC 28025

We can also drop off bottles at your church.

Call 704-782-2221 to arrange drop off / pick up.



 *Your Blessings Count!*

Your generous donations help us to continue serving and sharing the LIFE CHANGING message of Jesus Christ to hundreds of women in our communities every year!

Thank You!! 

We will have Baby bottles available to the congregation on May 11th for anyone that would like to participate.



LET'S CELEBRATE OUR GRADUATES

Graduation Sunday
May 18, 2025

After the 10:00 am Worship Service
we will celebrate them with a
Covered Dish Meal
in the
Fellowship Hall.

ALL ARE INVITED

For more information contact Donna Cook at
dcook1230@gmail.com



IN THE MORNING,
Lord, you hear my voice;

Psalms 53, NIV

and wait expectantly.



IN THE MORNING
I LAY MY REQUESTS BEFORE YOU

Bible Quiz

What was the name of the queen who refused to appear before the king of Persia and his guests and, as a result, was deposed?

- A. Esther
- B. Jael
- C. Vashti
- D. Milcah



Answer: C (See Esther 1:12.)

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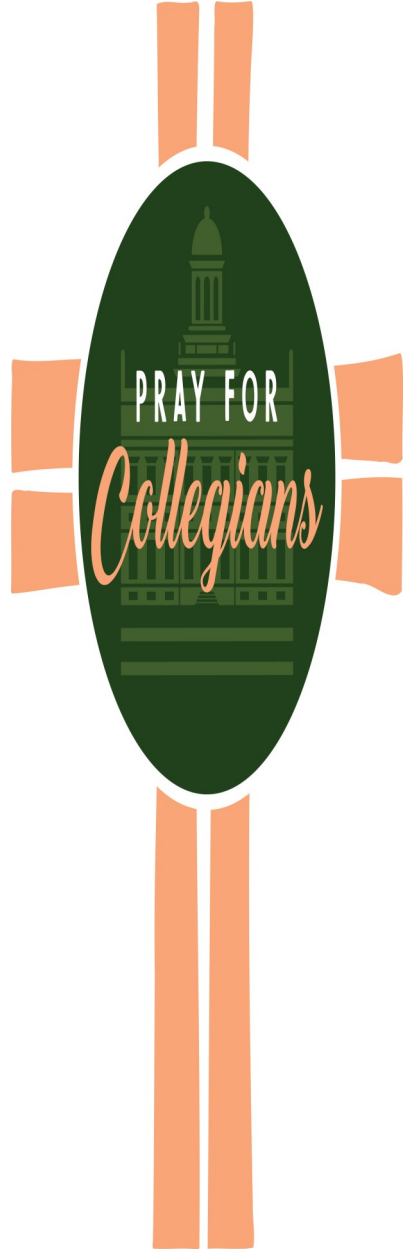
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Puzzle!

Unscramble the names of these biblical mothers. Look up the verse if you need help. Then use the letters on the numbered blanks to complete the message below.

VEE (Genesis 3:20)

6 11

NNAHAH (1 Samuel 1:20)

14

RBAHEOD (Judges 5:7)

18 3

KREEHAB (Genesis 27:5)

16 5

EHLA (Genesis 30:14)

1

CLEHRA (Genesis 30:22)

7 12

MOIAN (Ruth 1:22)

10 17 13

RAAHS (Genesis 17:19)

8

AMYR (Matthew 2:11)

2

ZEBLEHATI (Luke 1:13)

9 15 4

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12
 13 8 14 G F F G !
 15 4 16 10 17 3 18

Answers: Eve, Hannah, Deborah, Rebekah, Leah, Rachel, Naomi, Sarah, Mary, Elizabeth;
 A mother's love is a gift from God!



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