

THE CHILDREN'S

WORSHIP BULLETIN

Trinity Presbyterian Church

June 21, 2015

Happy Father's Day!

Pray to God
and he will
bless your
family.

Name: Joseph Johnston

Age: 7

JUST A WORD FROM

Mr. Mac

Claude E. McRoberts III • Senior Minister

Dear Children,

I love my dad very much! Don't you?!

When I was your age, I thought there was no one stronger than my dad. And when I was sitting on his bed, he would come out of his bathroom without his shirt on, flexing his muscles, and act like he was going to "get me!" And I would scream, and he would "fly" onto the bed ... barely missing me; then grab me and start tickling me!

Dads!! Dads are great!!

But dads have lots of responsibility too. Their job as a dad is not easy. He must lead. He must set an example. He must love. He must provide, protect and punish. And he must do it all with patience.

Actually, it's an impossible job, but the Christian man is filled with the Holy Spirit. The Spirit will enable him, help him, guide him and grant him wisdom.

You should pray for your dads. You know as well as anyone how to pray for him, so you should pray for him everyday.

You know what else you must do: obey, respect, and honor him. God commands you to do it, but God also blesses you for doing it. Again, your job is impossible; it's impossible for you to do it perfectly. But YOU have the Holy Spirit to help YOU and to guide you and to encourage you. And it's the Spirit of God that will bless you for doing it.

As a Christian child, the Bible says it is right for you to obey and honor your mom and dad.

As I write this, I am praying for you that God will help you do this. No one said it's easy. But it's God's will for you.

And I am praying for your dad too. Happy Father's Day to him!!

I love you, and I am here for you if ever you need to talk to me.

Mr. Mac

“And we are writing these things
so that our joy may be complete!”
John 1:4

Dear Mr. Mac

Do you have a:

Prayer Request?- Is there something you need prayer for?

Praise Report?- Has God answered a prayer?

Is there **anything else** you would like Mr. Mac to know?

Mr. Mac wants to know!!

Please write to him here and place your message in his box.

Dear Mr. Mac,

Name: _____ Age: _____

A Guide to Family Worship

June 21-27, 2015

Each Morning or Evening Begin “Family Time” by reading Psalm 1:1-3

Opening Prayer of Thanksgiving or Praise or Adoration

God, I thank you for ...

God, I praise Your name for ...

God, what I love about You is ...

Singing

Sing together as a family as best you can. Some families will be better than others. But everyone has a favorite song or hymn. Share it. Sing from the hymnal. Or, Dad, run off some songs from the internet that are your family favorites. Sing *Amazing Grace* together this week.

Scripture Reading

Suggestions: Ephesians 6:1-4; Deuteronomy 6:1-4;

Proverbs 13:24; 22:6; Hebrews 4:14-16

Suggested Questions from the Morning Sermon

1. Tell your dad the three things you love about him the most!!

2. In what ways is your dad like the Heavenly Father? (Not in character; but in provision, protection, discipline, etc.)

3. Why should we be thankful for our dads? Can you remember some of the statistics given by Mr. Mac?

4. What does it mean to be filled with the Holy Spirit? Why does a father need to be filled with the Holy Spirit? How can he be filled? (prayer, worship, thanksgiving, the Lord's Supper, grace of God, etc.)

5. How can dads provoke their children to anger and/or crush their spirit?

6. Dad, do you need to confess your sin to your children and ask for their forgiveness? See outline in bulletin.

7. What does it mean to discipline your children in the Lord?

8. What does it mean to instruct them in the Lord?

9. Dad, do YOU have a personal relationship with Jesus Christ? Do your children know it? Why or why not?

10. Dad, would you consider being in a small group Bible study? It will help you as a father and husband. Speak to Rob Pendley on staff about it.

Spend Time in Prayer: Requests, Praise, Prayer

The Head of the Home

Numbers 6:24-26

24 The LORD bless you and keep you; 25 the LORD make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; 26 the LORD lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.

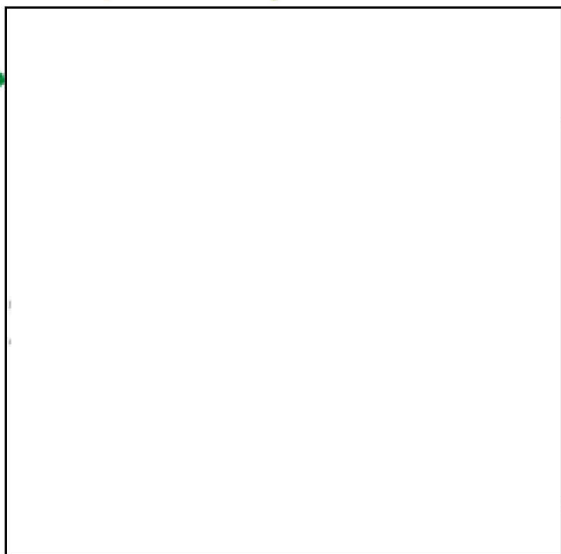
SERMON ART

Use this page to illustrate something that Mr. Mac preaches on during the sermon this morning!

THIS WEEK'S LESSON IS ON Ephesians 6:4

Want to see your artwork on the
FRONT PAGE?

If so, put your artwork in the Sermon Art mailbox in the church office (bottom left hand side).



Name: _____ Age: _____

MISSIONS @

Meet ur Missionaries

“And He said to them, ‘Go into all the world and proclaim the gospel to the whole creation.’”

Mark 16:15

Family Promise serving in Montgomery

“Engaging people of faith to empower homeless families to return to stability”

This week's missions ministry also serves families who don't have a place to live, but it is different from last week's homeless ministry. This week's ministry is called Family Promise. We do this ministry to certain homeless families right here in Trinity Church and in our missions house next door. Usually, they can not afford their house or apartment because the parents lost their job, or were sick or had to pay for very expensive car repairs. Trinity shares our church facilities with 3 or 4 homeless families for one week every three months to help them while they recover from a difficult situation. We give them meals and a safe place to sleep in our building. Most of all, we encourage our guest families and show them Jesus' love because of the love He gives us. During the day the families go to school, work, or look for a job. It usually takes about 4 months for a family to recover and get back into their own home.

Trinity Church does this with 14 other churches in Montgomery. Perhaps you have helped your parents provide meals or even stay overnight in the missions house or the church when we hosted Family Promise. This is one of the easiest and most fun ministries we do because children can help their parents serve other people in Jesus' name.

TRINITY PCA

*Write a letter to our
missionaries!*

Would you like to write a letter encouraging our missionaries or thanking them for the work they do for God? A letter from you would make their day! If you would like to write a letter to the missionary or family shown this week, please write in the space provided below and put it in Mr. Tom's box. He will make sure they receive it!

Dear Family Promise,

Name _____ Age _____

Music and Hymns



#263 "Lift High the Cross"

Here we find a reminder that we are to hold the cross of Christ ever before our eyes as we await that time when all the world will "adore His sacred name." One day, when Jesus returns to rule the world as King, there will be no more suffering, sadness, pain, evil, or even darkness. It is going to be better than anything you could ever dream of or imagine! The only reason we will be able to be with Jesus in this wonderful place is because He died on the cross for us, because He loves us!

#460 "Amazing Grace"

Amazing Grace is probably the most recognizable hymn to most Christians. The simple words of this old favorite were written in 1779 by John Newton while living in England. Since his early life was filled with sin, this hymn is thought to have been his own testimony of his conversion and life as a Christian. The melody is an Early American tune of unknown origin. This hymn is of great comfort to the sinner saved by grace! If you believe in Jesus and make Him Lord of your life, he will also forgive you of your sins!

Hymn Word Unscramble



Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly, teaching and admonishing one another in all wisdom, singing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, with thankfulness in your hearts to God.

Colossians 3:16

Try to unscramble these words from this week's hymn:

#460 "Amazing Grace"

CREAG_____

RWDO_____

POHE_____

RAHET_____

RODL_____

LDNIB_____

DNOFU_____

JYO_____

CEEAP_____

"Who am I, O Lord God, and what is my family, that you have brought me this far?"

1 Chronicles 17:16



Learning Together

Happy Father's Day

Today's Learning Together is an assignment. Write your dad a note about how much you love and appreciate him!

Dear Dad,

Love,



Friends *And* Family
BARBECUE LUNCH AND FELLOWSHIP

— ★ ★ ★ ★ —

**A great opportunity to enjoy fellowship and build community
with our church family and with guests!**

Barbecue and drinks provided by the church.

Trinity members—Please bring a favorite side dish or dessert
to share (8-10 people) according to first initial of your last name

A through I — Bring a **VEGETABLE**
J through Q — Bring a **SALAD**
R through Z — Bring a **DESSERT**

Dishes may be brought to the serving area on the way to 8:45 Sunday School
or the 10:00 worship service as refrigeration and warming are available.

THE LORD'S DAY • JUNE 28

Join us in Trinity Hall immediately following
the 10:00 Morning Worship Service



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