

# The Children's Worship Bulletin

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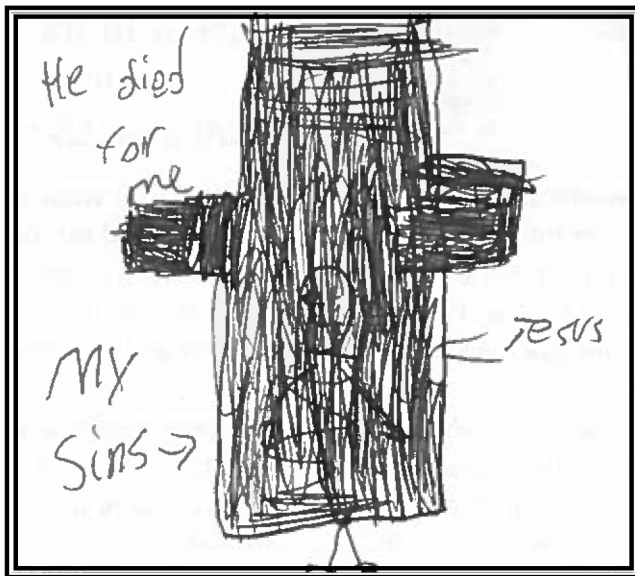
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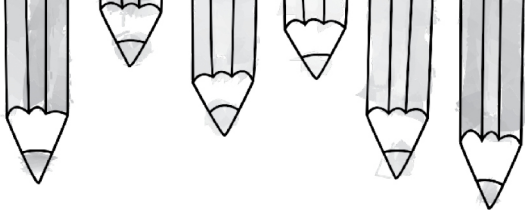
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May 21, 2017



Name: Claire Lowery Age: 6



# Just a word from Mr. Mac!

**Claude E. McRoberts III • Senior Minister**

Dear Children,

A few times a year, I like to switch this page around on YOU. I would like to hear from YOU. Will you write me a letter? Will you write me a few sentences and tell me something you think I might want to know about you or your family or your summer or your vacation or your home or your pets – ANYTHING. I would just love to hear from you.

I love you,

Mr. Mac

*Dear Mr. Mac,*

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## John 1:4

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# A Guide to Family Worship

May 21-27, 2017

## Opening Scripture

*Great is the LORD and greatly to be praised!*

## Opening Prayer of Confession

Head of the Home, each day this week, why don't you begin Family Worship quoting James who was quoting Jesus: *Let your 'yes' be 'yes,' and your 'no' be 'no.'*  
Then begin with confession – general or specific – to God for any and all lying and dishonesty. Pray for yourself but also on behalf of the whole family.

## Assurance of Pardon

***Then after your prayer of confession, read Hebrews 4:14-16***

Since then we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold fast our confession. For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but one who in every respect has been tempted as we are, yet without sin. Let us then with confidence draw near to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

## Thanksgiving

Now, everyone share something for which they are thankful.  
Head of Home, guide them into thanking God for forgiveness.  
But then, open up the floor to ANY and ALL thanksgiving.

## Scripture Reading

*Romans 2:12-29 (we suggest the ESV followed by The Message)  
Psalm 27; Ezekiel 36:22-27; Jude 24-25*

## Suggested Questions from the Morning Sermon

- Mom and dad, do you think you could describe a moralist to your children: *someone who brags about their good works and is ultimately dependent upon those good works to go to heaven; in the sermon we will talk about these people tend to be assured of a place in heaven that they will not receive.* Tough subject, but pivotal to their understanding the gospel ~ saved by Christ's work alone.
- Mom and dad, do you think you could describe a religionist to your children: *someone who is ultimately dependent upon worship, theology, works within the church, religious rituals like the Lord's Supper and baptism, etc.; in the sermon we will talk about how these people tend to be assured of a place in heaven that they will not receive.* Tough subject, but pivotal to their understanding the gospel ~ saved by Christ's work alone.
- If those are too difficult, explain to them what a hypocrite is; and speak to what spiritual hypocrisy is; and how sometimes we even judge people for the very sins we are committing ourselves. How did George Whitefield explain in his testimony that he was a hypocrite?
- What does it mean to trust in Jesus Christ ALONE for salvation?

**Prayer Time:** pray around the room; pray for one another by name.

## The Head of the Home

Numbers 6:24-26

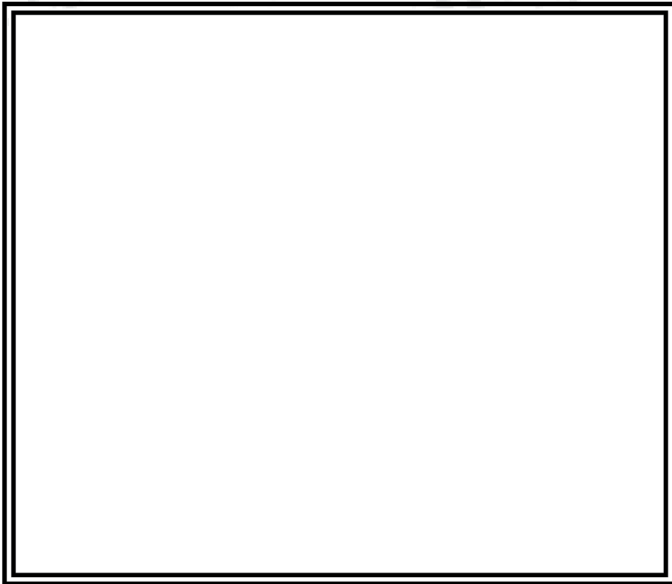
# Sermon Art

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

**This weeks lesson is on  
Romans 2:12-29**

Want to see your artwork on  
the FRONT PAGE?

Put your artwork in the Sermon Art mailbox in the church office (bottom left hand side).



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Age: \_\_\_\_\_

“And He said to them,  
‘Go into all the world  
and proclaim the gospel  
to the whole creation.’”  
Mark 16:15

## Meet Our Missionaries!



**Peter and Didi Hegnauer**  
  
**serving with**  
**Child Evangelism Fellowship**  
**(CEF)**  
**in Belgium**

Peter was raised in Switzerland but did not attend church until he was invited as an adult and then became a Christian. Didi was raised in California. After studying art in college, she created Hallmark greeting cards until she became a Christian in 1973 and began working with Child Evangelism Fellowship in Europe. After she'd been there for 10 years, she met Peter and they were married in 1986.

Now, they teach adults how to teach children about Jesus. They also lead children's Good News Clubs in homes and other places where they help children trust Jesus for salvation. These clubs are especially important because many European children do not attend church. Unfortunately, there are not very many churches there that even teach about Jesus. Didi still uses her artistic talents to create Bible story cards that help children learn about Him.

# 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 Peter and Didi Hegnauer,**

A world map is centered in the background of the writing area. Three location pins are placed on the map: one in North America (USA), one in Europe (Russia), and one in Asia (Japan). The map is light gray and serves as a guide for where to write the letter.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Age \_\_\_\_\_

# Music and Hymns

## **#469 "How Sweet and Awesome Is the Place"**

Written by Isaac Watts, this one dates back to the year 1707.

Read the story of the invited guests in Luke 14 to better understand this hymn. The gathering place (perhaps the church) of saved Christians is what he refers to as "a sweet and awesome place." And were it not for Christ's drawing us to Him, we would be lost forever!

## **#32 "Great Is Thy Faithfulness"**

Our God is faithful! To be faithful means to be loyal, devoted, and unswerving. God is ALWAYS faithful to us. The chorus of this hymn says "all I have needed Thy hand hath provided--Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord unto me!" Even when things seem to be going wrong God is still faithful and He does provide what we need in just the right time that we need it. Can you think of some ways God has been faithful to you and your family?

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"Because of the Lord's great love we are not consumed, for His compassions never fail. They are new every morning: great is Your faithfulness." Lamentations 3:22, 23

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**

## Hymn Word Unscramble

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

### #32 "Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

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HTRFAE \_\_\_\_\_

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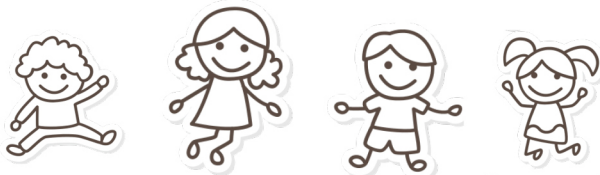
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TURNAE \_\_\_\_\_



# Learning Together!

## Am I Saved?

What would you say it takes to be saved?

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Did you mention anything about being a good person or going to church or certain things you “have to do” to be saved?

There are 3 types of people who believe they have to do certain things to be saved:

**Moralist:** This person thinks they must do good works and be a good person to be saved.

**Religionist:** This person thinks they must do good works and rituals in the church to be saved.

**Hypocrite:** This person judges others for committing sins or not doing good works when they, themselves, are just as guilty.

**The reality:** “For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast. For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them.” Ephesians 2:8-10

You are only truly saved by trusting in Jesus Christ for your salvation. He died for your sins. He is the ultimate sacrifice. It is not based on works. However, once you have put your faith in Christ and have received salvation, good works will follow. These works are a product of our faith, not the source of our salvation.

# Events



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

June 5 - 9, 2017

9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

FOR AGES 3 - COMPLETED 5TH GRADE

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