

May is a great month! Springtime is (usually) well established; lots of flowers and all kinds of blooms are filling the air with the most wonderful fragrances! May also brings 3 days that are very special to me, and I hope to you as well. First we have the National Day of Prayer, second we have Mother's Day, and third we wrap up the month with Memorial Day. I'd like to just take a little time to address each of these.

*First: The National Day of Prayer.* How great is it that we still have this day?! With the world so adamantly against Christ-followers and prayer or worship, I'm so thankful that we still have a day set aside for prayer. Not that we only get one day, since we very well know we can come to God in prayer anytime, any day! On this particular day, however, I like to make a special note to pray specifically for our country, its leaders, and the state of our nation.

*Second: Mother's Day.* We may not all be mothers, but we all have a mother. And while each of us has our own story in regards to our mothers, I hope that most of us have good memories/stories of fondness towards ours. God made motherhood to be such a unique role in life. She carried us both inside and outside of her womb, loved us, fed us, cleaned us, nurtured us, raised us. I know that I would not be the woman I am today had it not been for the strong, godly woman who raised me.

*Third: Memorial Day.* I would like to believe we all have a strong appreciation for the men and women of our Armed Forces. Having been a military child and spouse, I am very proud of our military. I am truly grateful for the sacrifice many have made throughout our nation's history. On Memorial Day especially, I give extra thanks and thought to those who gave the ultimate sacrifice so that we could enjoy the freedoms we have in our country. Memorial Day is not for those currently serving...but those who have gone, those who gave their lives in service, those whom we remember.


In summary, we all have quite a bit to be thankful/grateful for in May! Thankfulness that we can still worship somewhat freely in this country of ours, grateful for mothers who raised us to be who we are today, and revered remembrance for those who fell so that we could live. Have a blessed May!

In Him,  
Amanda Ely



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			<b>1</b>  5:30pm 	<b>2</b>   7pm Couple's Bible Study	<b>3</b> <b>Marvin Gubser</b>  <b>Barry &amp; Vicki Kastens</b>	<b>4</b>  <b>Kristy Edwards</b>
<b>5</b>  9am ReCharge  	<b>6</b>  7pm Men's Bible Study	<b>7</b>  <b>Marvin &amp; Shirley Oakes</b>	<b>8</b>  <b>Morgan Richardson</b>  7pm Deacon's MTG	<b>9</b>  7pm Couple's Bible Study	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>  <b>Jim Bovee</b>
<b>12</b>  <b>Delaney Throckmorton</b>  9am ReCharge  	<b>13</b>  7pm Men's Bible Study	<b>14</b>  <b>Bill &amp; Faith Rowell</b>  7pm Missions Team	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>  7pm Couple's Bible Study	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>
<b>19</b>  9am ReCharge	<b>20</b>  7pm Men's Bible Study	<b>21</b>  <b>Don Woods</b>	<b>22</b>  <b>Mike Woltemath</b>  <b>Jerry &amp; Betty Garrett</b>  7pm Deacon's MTG	<b>23</b>  7pm Couple's Bible Study	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>
<b>26</b>  9am ReCharge	<b>27</b>  <b>Holden Smith</b>  <b>Bob &amp; Vickie Yearian</b>  7pm Men's Bible Study	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>  <b>Andrew Parker</b>  7pm Couple's Bible Study	<b>31</b>  <b>Whitney Parker</b>	

## Upcoming Events

- May 1:** 5:30pm AWANA Grand Prix 
- May 2:** National Day of Prayer activities:  
**7:30am** NCHS Flag Pole at NE side, 141 Steinhart Park Rd.  
**12:00pm** by The 10 Commandments at the Courthouse, 10<sup>th</sup> Street and Central Avenue  
**4:00pm** at the NC City Hall Flag Pole, corner of 15<sup>th</sup> Street and Central Avenue
- May 5:** Graduate Recognition  
--We would like to celebrate with you and your student as a church family. We will recognize the Seniors and give them a gift at our Morning Worship Service!
- May 12:** Mother's Day
- May 27:** Memorial Day
- June 2:** Baptism Ceremony- Contact Pastor Don if you'd like to participate.
- June 30:** 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Potluck and Service project! Bring a main dish and side or dessert to share after the worship service. Then join in on a service project! Project to be determined...stay tuned for more info!

## Ministry Opportunities

**Kid's Pantry:** We are currently working on restructuring this program. Stay tuned for new/updated info coming SOON!

**Children's Ministry Coordinator:** Contact Pastor Don.

**Ushers:** Can you serve as an usher once a month? Contact Scott Drannen.

**Nursery:** (Worship or Sunday School) Would you be willing to minister to children and their parents by serving in the nursery once a month during the Sunday School or Worship hour? We need 5 more people who are committed to help! Talk to Janice Parker or the church office.

**5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Service Project:** See info below, along with pictures from our first project!

# Children's Ministry

## **AWANA News:**

May 1 – AWANA Grand Prix (rescheduled) Dinner and registration begins @ 5:30pm. The race will start at 6:30pm. Families are encouraged to stay and watch the race!



*\*\*\*AWANA is done for the year after the Grand Prix! Thank you to all the volunteers that helped out this year! If you are interested in helping out next school year as a volunteer or leader, please contact Paul Salansky! Helpers are always welcome!*

## **Nursery Schedule**

### **May 2019**

#### **May 5**

Sunday School: Jane VanVoorhis & Janet Reed  
Worship: Janice Parker & Linda Schmucker

#### **May 12**

Sunday School: Gay Strobe & Janice Parker  
Worship: Janice Parker & Susan Gordon

#### **May 19**

Sunday School: Gay Strobe & Janice Parker  
Worship: Janice Parker

#### **May 26**

Sunday School: Edie Madsen & Gay Strobe  
Worship: Jane Moore

***If you can help in the nursery, please contact the church office. Thank you!!***

# ReCharge

## Young Adult Ministry

Ages 18-30

Join us every Sunday, during the Sunday School hour at 9AM in the Lighthouse Room and be refreshed, restored, and revitalized in conviction, vision, and passion for the Lord.



Please help us welcome the newest members Calvary Community Church!

*Susan Badberg*

*Donna Herold*

*Sallie Schram*

*Cindy Gregg*



# Baptism Opportunity

*Sunday, June 2, we will be holding a baptismal ceremony! If you are interested in participating, contact Pastor Don!*

## Prayer Ministry

**May 2019**

Betty Garrett  
Janet Reed  
Vic Johns  
Jake Stenzel  
Ron & Linda  
Holland

When the Prayer Ministry Team moves to the front during worship, you are welcome to go to any of them to receive prayer. You may call on them outside of worship also for your prayer needs. The objective is for you to be blessed by the intercessions of your brothers and sisters in faith.

- \* Prayer for praise & thanksgiving
- \* Prayer for comfort for the grieving or heavy-hearted
- \* Coaching you and affirming you as you make prayers of confessions and repentance
- \* Prayer for healing – physical healing, healing of emotional wounds, healing of relationships
- \* Prayer for restoration of joy
- \* Prayers for release, deliverance, and protection
- \* Prayer for specific blessing
- \* Assisting anyone who desires to profess faith in Jesus and acknowledge Him as Savior and Lord



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**Sundays:**

**9:00 AM Sunday School**

**10:30 AM Worship Service**