

May 1, 2000

NEWS LETTER

Hello,

In this correspondence we will try to give you information on up-coming events here at Church.

LADIES ORGANIZATION SPRING BANQUET

(Formerly known as Mother and Daughter Banquet)

WEDNESDAY, MAY 10, 2000

DINNER 6:30 P.M. IN FRIENDSHIP HALL

MENU

Fruit Cup

Fresh Ham

Mashed Potatoes

Sauerkraut

Peas and Carrots

Apple Sauce

Gravy

Rolls and butter

DESSERT - Ice Cream and Strawberries

Coffee, Iced Tea, Hot Tea & Milk

HOT DOGS FOR THE CHILDREN

TICKETS ARE \$9.00 FOR ADULTS AND

\$4.50 FOR CHILDREN 12 AND UNDER

MEMBER – FAMILY – FRIENDS

(men and boys are also welcome)

TICKETS ARE AVAILABLE IN CHURCH OFFICE

PURCHASE YOUR TICKET (S) EARLY BECAUSE THERE IS LIMITED SEATING

There will also be a fun fashion show for your enjoyment. Let's make this a night to remember. I GUARANTEE that you will have a delicious dinner and a fun fashion show with lots of laughs. We need your support, see you there.

SUNDAY, MAY 14, 2000

Ladies of the Newly established Ladies Organization of United Evangelical Church will march in as a group at the 10:30 a.m. Worship Service to celebrate **MOTHER'S DAY**.

HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY

Please see the enclosed article about

MEAN MOMS

AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

WEDNESDAY, MAY 17, 2000

We will be having a Blood Drive on Wednesday, May 17, 2000. From 2:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. to help build up a supply of blood that will be in great demand over the up coming Memorial Day Weekend. If at all possible please come in and donate a pint of blood which could also be called "liquid gold" to those who are or will be in desperate need of it. Who knows you or one of your family members may be in this situation and just try to imagine how great it would feel to know there is blood or "liquid gold" waiting for you. So **P L E A S E** make an appointment for Wednesday, May 17, 2000, Call Church Office **410-276-0393**.

P.A.C.T.

If you or your child have been in a pre-school program with Concetta Clark, please call for information about the Parents and Children 30th year Reunion party Sunday, May 21, 2000, which will be held here at Church for 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. For information call Concetta Clark 410-995-0118.

MONDAY, MAY 29, 2000

Church Office will be closed in observance of
MEMORIAL DAY

**PASTORS CORINNE AND WESLEY BAKER, CHURCH COUNCIL AND OFFICE STAFF
WOULD LIKE TO WISH ALL OF YOU A SAFE AND HAPPY MEMORIAL WEEKEND.**

WEEKLY BIBLE CLASS

Please join our Weekly Bible Study group. It is open to all in the Quiet Room every Sunday at 9:00 a.m.

We are currently studying the book of Romans, and are beginning to read the 12th Chapter. This chapter urges Christians not to conform to the standards of this world but rather to be transformed through God's Holy Spirit in order to know his will for us. Ric Nyborg.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday School holds classes every Sunday from 9:00 to 10:00 a.m. The classes are for Children from cradle roll to adult. If interested in attending call the Church Office for more information.

SPAGHETTI DINNER

SUNDAY, JUNE 4, 2000

The Church Council is sponsoring a Spaghetti Dinner on Sunday, June 4, 2000, immediately at the close of the 10:30 Worship Service in the Air Conditioned Friendship Hall.

M E N U

SALAD
SPACHETTI WITH MEAT SAUCE
OR
SPAGHETTI WITH 2 MEATBALLS
ITALIAN BREAD AND BUTTER
ICED TEA, COFFEE OR SODA IN MACHINE

DESSERT

JELLO
OR
BAKED GOODS FOR SALE

EXTRA MEATBALLS \$.025 EACH

ADULTS \$6.00 CHILDREN 12 AND UNDER \$3.00

CARRY OUTS ARE ALSO AVAILABLE FOR \$6.50

Please try to support this effort and help us make it a success.

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CHURCH ORGANIZATIONS

SUNDAY Bible Study 9:00 – 10:00 a. m. Quiet Room
Ric Nyborg Instructor

MONDAY Cub Scouts #19 7:00 – 8:30 p.m. (c.e.b.)
P.A.C.T. Preschool (c.e.b.)
Bowling Pinland Lanes Dundalk Ave. 6:00 p.m.

TUESDAY P.A.C.T. Preschool (c.e.b.)

WEDNESDAY Ladies Organization of U.E. C.
Meeting 2nd Wed. of every month 12:00 noon
Boy Scouts #19 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. (c.e.b.)

THURSDAY P.A.C.T. (c.e.b.)
Senior Choir 7:30 p.m.

(c.e.b.) = Church Education Building

For more information, please call the Church Office 410-276-0393

Mean Moms

We had the meanest mother in the whole world!

While other kids ate candy for breakfast, we had to have cereal, eggs, and toast. When others had a Pepsi and a Twinkie for lunch, we had to eat sandwiches. And you can guess our mother fixed us a dinner that was different from what other kids had, too.

Mother insisted on knowing where we were at all times. You'd think we were convicts in a prison. She had to know who our friends were, and what we were doing with them. She insisted that if we said we would be gone for an hour, we would be gone for an hour or less.

We were ashamed to admit it, but she had the nerve to break the Child Labor Laws by making us work. We had to wash the dishes, make the beds, learn to cook, vacuum the floor, do laundry, and all sorts of cruel jobs.

I think she would lie awake at night thinking of more things for us to do.

She always insisted on us telling the truth the whole truth, and nothing but the truth. By the time we were teenagers, she could read our minds. Then, life was really tough! Mother wouldn't let our friends just honk the horn when they drove up. They had to come up to the door so she could meet them. While everyone else could date when they were 12 or 13, we had to wait until we were 16.

Because of our mother we missed out on lots of things other kids experienced. None of us have ever been caught shoplifting, vandalizing other's property, or ever arrested for any crime. It was all her fault.

Now that we have left home, we are all God-fearing, educated, honest adults.

We are doing our best to be mean parents just like Mom was. I think that's what's wrong with the world today. It just doesn't have enough mean moms anymore.

Fund Raiser

Ladies Organization of United Evangelical Church



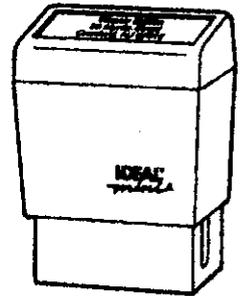
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Organization Above Receives 50% of Collected Money

Recognizing church school teachers for me, has never become routine. Working, sharing, preparing, going that extra mile are just the beginnings of a teacher's life. Dealing with the unexpected graciously, welcoming the late student, being a loving presence when a child is cranky, sharing common concerns and joys with parents, finding at the last minute that the supplies that were there yesterday have mysteriously disappeared, are all part of the ongoing adventure.

As I have visited our classes on Sunday morning, I have found the teachers at United Evangelical enthusiastic as they share themselves and their faith. They work with many unknowns, never quite sure how many children will appear each Sunday, yet they say, "each week brings something different – I love working with these kids"!

"Sir, we would see Jesus," was the plea of a group of Greeks to the disciples, as the writer of John tells us. It is the constant request of the children and youth of today's cities. In a sense, the whole world wants to know more about the One who brought us the meaning of life. Children come, or are sent or brought to our Sunday Schools because of that hunger. Perhaps the most opportune function to make a difference in this world is to teach the faith to the young. The significance of that one hour each week is probably many times more than any of us can see. Teaching is both a calling and a privilege.

But then, many of you have experienced this, for over the years hundreds of you have been involved in sharing the faith in some fashion. Much of today's teaching comes from many of us here. What an impact you have had! It only takes looking at smiling faces once to know it has all been worthwhile. As I watch even the youngest listen to Bible stories and interact with their teachers and other children, it is obvious that they enjoy coming to Sunday School!

Which one of us does not feel a surge of gratitude, when we experience "one of ours" on Sunday or during the week being a leader, sharing time teaching or caring for a younger child, serving as an acolyte during worship, or helping someone older whose life is now more limited. We see God's hand in those younger miracles of life.

The teacher asked the pupils to tell the meaning of loving kindness. A little boy jumped up and said, "Well, if I was hungry and someone gave me a piece of bread that would be kindness. But if they put a little jelly on it, that would be loving kindness!"

So teachers of United Evangelical, past and present, I give you thanks and salute you! You have accepted the challenge of helping shape the lives of those you teach and love into the core story of the Christian faith. You have shared God's loving kindness! What an awesome privilege!

Love, Pastor Baker