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## From the Pastor's Keyboard



Dear friends in this wonderful family of faith,

As we enter the month of May (Have April showers brought the promised May flowers?), I share with you words from devotional writer Denise M. Greene, starting with Hosea 10:12: **Sow for yourselves righteousness; reap steadfast love; break up your fallow ground, for it is time to seek the LORD, that He may come and rain righteousness upon you.**

Ms. Greene writes: "When I was in the fifth grade, along with making regular assignments, my teacher planted 'life seeds'. She taught us to play the game of chess. My classmates and I took turns baking brownies under her supervision. My teacher even taught us to square dance. Near Christmas, she assigned the memorization of Luke 2:1-20.

"Now I wonder what lessons I am teaching the next generation. *Am I planting good seeds? If I watch questionable television programs, what am I teaching? What am I teaching with the language I use? Do I show them that attending church is a priority, and that I put God first in my life?*

"In Hosea 10:12, we find that the prophet employed the familiar agrarian metaphor of sowing seed to get Israel's attention. How might we sow righteousness (both as individual Christians and as a Christian church)? By:

- . Preparing a meal for someone in need, we can demonstrate how to be God's hands.
- . Visiting the sick, we can be God's feet.
- . Listening to someone, we can be God's ears.
- . Praying aloud, we demonstrate the importance of talking with God.
- . Acting out Bible stories, we can bring them to life.

"Evaluate your life and sense what type of seeds you are planting for the next generation."

May we all take Ms. Green's words to heart this month of May and ask God to help us evaluate our individual lives and our congregational life and make sure that we are planting the right type of seeds for future generations. Let us pray and resolve that we will put God first in our daily walks!

I share another biblical verse with you as we begin the month of May. That verse is Psalm 55:22: **Cast your burden on the LORD, and He will sustain you; He will never permit the righteous to be moved.**

As your interim pastor, I have the honor and privilege (as does our Lay Minister Cindy Innerst-Axe) of walking beside each of you in your spiritual journeys and in the spiritual journey we are on as a congregation.



As we walk together, one of the things that strikes me, in the words of Oswald Chambers, is that we need to recognize the difference between burdens that are right for us to bear and burdens that are wrong. Because of what Jesus has done for us, there are some burdens that we should never bear. But there are some burdens placed on us by God which God does not intend to lift off. God wants us to roll them back on Him – to literally “cast our burdens”, which God has given us, “on the Lord...”

Chambers reminds us that if we serve God and do God’s work but get out of touch with God, the sense of responsibility we feel will be overwhelming and defeating. But if we will only roll back onto God the burden God has placed on us, God will take away that immense feeling of responsibility, replacing it with an awareness and understanding of Himself and His presence.

In my ministry over the years, I have asked many times how many of us set out to serve God with great courage and with the right motives. But with no intimate fellowship with Jesus Christ, how many of us are soon defeated? How often do we not know what to do with our burden, and our burden produces weariness in our lives? How often do others say of us, or we say of ourselves, “What a sad end to something that had such a great beginning?”

“Cast your burden on the Lord....” Chambers reminds us that often we have been bearing it all. But instead, we need to deliberately place one end on God’s shoulder. “...the government will be upon His shoulder.” (Isaiah 9:6)

So let’s commit to God whatever burden God has placed on each of us. Let’s not cast it aside, but put it over onto God and place ourselves there with it. We will then see that our burden is lightened by the sense of companionship. But we should never try to separate ourselves from our burden.

That’s why Jesus said: **“For My yoke is easy, and My burden is light.”** (Matthew 11:30). As Chambers concludes, the only way to know the strength of God is to take the yoke of Jesus upon us and learn from Him.

Let Cindy or I know if you would like help in discerning how to shoulder with God the burden God has placed upon you.

And let Cindy and I help us all continue to discern the answer to the questions we have been looking at the last few months: **Who are we as St. John’s Blymire’s United Church of Christ? Who are our neighbors? Who is God calling us to become as we journey into God’s future? What is our unique niche here in Dallastown?**

See you around this month of May!      God bless, Pastor Rick

***May is the month to think of flowers and Mother’s Day, as we do here with a bit of humor:***

Mother’s Day brings back memories of maternal advice and admonition.

Picture the scene with these famous offspring:

Alexander the Great’s mother: “How many times do I have to tell you – you can’t have everything you want in this world!”

Franz Schubert’s mother: “Take my advice, Son. Never start anything you can’t finish.”

Achilles’ mother: “Stop imagining things. There’s nothing wrong with your heel.”

Madame de Pompadour’s mother: “For heaven’s sake, child, do something about your hair!”

Sigmund Freud’s mother: “Stop pestering me! I’ve told you a hundred times the stork brought you.”

We’re always asking about flowers, correct?

Question: What do they do with the church flowers after Sunday services?

Answer: They take them to the people who are sick after the sermons.

*The first excerpt above was taken from The Best of the Good Clean Jokes, compiled by Bob Phillips, Harvest House Publishers, 1989.*

*The second excerpt above were taken from The World’s Greatest Collection of Heavenly Humor, compiled by Bob Phillips, Harvest House Publishers, 1982.*

## **MONTH OF SUNDAYS WORSHIP SERVICES FOR MAY 2024**

### **MAY 5, 2024 – SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER / UCC RURAL LIFE SUNDAY / ORTHODOX EASTER**

Message Scripture: John 15:9-17      Centering Scripture: 1 John 5:4b-5

Message: “What could be more awesome than love?”

Theme: “Look how they love one another.” Love has awesome power because it heals hurting bodies and hearts, lifts us to a higher plane of accomplishment, and lifted Christ to the cross of Calvary.

### **MAY 12, 2024 – SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER / MOTHER’S DAY**

Message Scripture: Acts 1:6-17, 21-26      Centering Scripture: 1 John 5:11-12

Message: “What do commencements and Mother’s Day have in common?”

Theme: The Ascension, school commencement ceremonies, and the establishment of Mother’s Day all ask: What does the future hold? What now? All point to the fact that Jesus is among us still, and there is work to be done to build the church

### **MAY 19, 2024 – PENTECOST SUNDAY / SACRAMAENT OF HOLY COMMUNION / UCC STRENGTHEN THE CHURCH OFFERING / MENTAL HEALTH SUNDAY**

Message Scripture: Acts 2:1-21

Message: “The Breath of the Holy Spirit” - Cindy Innerst-Axe preaching

### **MAY 26, 2024 – TRINITY SUNDAY / MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND**

Message Scripture: Romans 5:1-11      Centering Scripture: Romans 8:15b-17

Message: “What’s hard to explain but easy to see what it does?”

Theme: Memorial Day and Trinity Sunday: Help us to remember: All who sacrificed on our behalf, including Jesus Himself. Help us to remember: The Trinity – Christ brings us peace, God gives us hope, and the Holy Spirit fills us with love.



The public is invited to join us in the pavilion behind our church for an outdoor concert series featuring a variety of different types of music. The concerts will be held on Sunday afternoons from 2:00-4:00 PM.

In case of inclement weather, they will be moved indoors to the church.

There is no admission charge, but a free will offering will be taken.

Snacks will be available for purchase.

Bring your own lawn chairs or blankets or sit at one of our picnic tables.

Below is a list of concerts for 2024

**JUNE 2 - FIRST CAPITAL BRASS**

**(Brass ensemble)**

**JULY 28 - JC FISHER BAND**

**(Rock, country, blues, soul, folk, and combinations of various styles. The band puts together danceable sets of songs that people can sing along with.)**

**AUGUST 4 - SPRING GARDEN BAND**

**(Traditional band music)**

If you have any questions, please call the church office at (717) 244-0655.

**MAY BIRTHDAYS**



***May God  
Bless You On  
Your  
Birthday!***

2. Mike Wills
3. Brenda Kerchner  
Trudy Hertzog
5. Sonja Ness  
Linda Flinchbaugh  
Holly Gingerich
7. Kathi Sterling
9. Alexandra Humbert
10. Nelson Leader
11. Jane Picking
12. Zachery Tyler Ness
14. April Weber
15. Chuck Miller
17. Brad Leader
18. Douglas Leader
20. Lonnie Barnhart
24. Joyce Platts
25. Martha Leader
27. Richard Nelson
28. Braxton McKenzie
30. Claire Barley

**CELEBRATING MAY ANNIVERSARIES**

- May 4 - Scott and Sarah Smith - 16 years
- May 9 - Tim and Donna Sleeth - 15 years
- May 10 - Bob and Wanda Strickler - 49 years
- May 10 - Michael and Heather Matthews - 27 years
- May 12 - Greg and Connie Hays - 23 years
- May 13 - Matthew and Randi John - 18 years
- May 22 - Brad and Michele Leader - 25 years
- May 22 - Mark and Diane Ness - 41 years

# FINANCIAL REPORT

Undesignated General Fund

Red Brick Chapel

Cemetery

Month-2024	Income	Expense	Income	Expense	Income	Expense
January	\$10,102.00	\$9,943.43	\$600.89	\$319.65	\$784.93	\$0.00
February	\$7,747.00	\$10,447.49	\$1,200.83	\$318.91	\$1,652.89	\$500.00
March	\$8,402.00	\$10,244.71	\$0.91	\$556.38	\$26.59	\$792.24
April						
May						
June						
July						
August						
September						
October						
November						
December						
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$26,251.00</b>	<b>\$30,635.63</b>	<b>\$1,802.63</b>	<b>\$1,194.94</b>	<b>\$2,464.41</b>	<b>\$1,292.24</b>

Balance of Undesignated General Fund @ April 1, 2024

\$2,932.94

Balance of Red Brick Chapel Fund @ April 1, 2024  
(Includes \$60,949.81 Endowment)

\$66,431.27

Balance of Cemetery Fund @ April 1, 2024  
(Includes \$894,537.17 CD's, Trusts, UCC Foundation)

\$903,944.64

## Financial Assistance Given through Hand of Hope Fund - 2024

	#	Total	Monthly	Available
	Families	\$\$\$	Donations	Balance
Beginning				\$ 956.17
January	1	\$25.00	\$ 48.00	\$ 979.17
February	1	\$50.00	\$ 192.00	\$ 1121.17
March			\$ 93.00	\$ 1214.17
April				
May				
June				
July				
August				
September				
October				
November				
December				
<b>Total</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>\$75.00</b>	<b>\$ 333.00</b>	

# REMEMBER OUR SHUT-INS and those in need of PRAYER

## **Terry & Fran Doll**

Room 346  
Residence @ Fitz Farm  
2200 Springwood Rd.  
York, PA 17403  
Terry's cell (717) 968-2454  
Fran's cell (717) 968-8754



## **Linda Trone**

Room 604  
Colonial Manor Nursing Home  
970 Colonial Avenue  
York, PA 17403

Keeping in our prayers

## **Cindie McKinsey**

**Friends battling cancer  
Covid 19 patients**

**Peggy Luckenbaugh**  
Room 704B  
Colonial Manor Nursing Home  
970 Colonial Avenue  
York, PA 17403

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**Remember  
and pray for  
Our Members  
in the  
Military**

## **A1C Ness, Brandon**

6907 S. Camino de la Humanidad  
Tucson, AZ 85756

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## **B - I - N - G - O**

No, it's not the farmer's dog!!! Homewood Auxiliary is playing Bingo year-round with the skilled care and assisted-living patients. Bingo is played 5 times per week. Homewood is seeking your help: They are looking for Bingo prizes to give to the skilled-care patients and assisted-living residents, many who have outlived their resources. There is a box in the Social Hall for those Bingo prizes- you might have seen it—"BINGO" is on it, along with ideas for those Bingo prizes. The idea list is also in the hallway outside the Social hall, alongside the soaker pad dimensions and laundry bag dimensions. Any questions, please don't hesitate to ask!!!! Thank you very much!!!! Steph Frey, your Homewood Auxiliary rep- (717)244-5012

## **EMMANUEL'S CLOSET**

We are now getting settled in our new home here at Blymire's Church. Past clients are coming back and we are registering some new ones. Clients can come to the door by the flagpole on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of each month from 9:00 AM-Noon to pick up food bags. Due to space limitations we are no longer giving out clothing or household goods.



If you would like to donate any nonperishable food, toiletries or cleaning products, please put them in the marked bins in the Gathering Room. Right now we are especially in need of **juice, cereal, tea, frosting (we have lots of cake mix) and toilet paper.** Thank you for supporting this ministry.

## **A MATTER OF BALANCE**

The York Area Agency on Aging will once again be offering classes here at our church to help older adults who are experiencing trouble with balance and have concerns about falling. This is the same class that was offered here in the past.

The program is FREE for those 60+ years old. Each session runs for four weeks. The first session will be held on Monday and Wednesday afternoons from 1:00-3:00 PM, June 10-July 3. The second session will be held on Tuesday and Thursday mornings from 10:00 AM-Noon, August 20-September 12. To register, please call Lindsey at (717) 487-2752. This class is open to the public and space is limited, so call early to reserve a spot!

## **KNITTERS and CROCHETERS**

Memorial White Rose Hospice is asking for donations of handmade scarves and blankets. If you would like to help with this ongoing project, there is a box in the Gathering Room for you to put your donations. They are especially in need of items for men.



Tired of always eating the same food? Buy one of our church cookbooks containing mouth-watering recipes from current and past members of our congregation. Check them out on the table in the Gathering Room. The cost is only \$18.00.





## MEN'S GROUP



The next Men's Group meeting will be held on Tuesday, May 14, at 7:00 PM. Jeri Jones will be providing a PowerPoint program on York County geology.



Our next chicken BBQ will be held on Saturday, May 11, from 11:00 AM-1:00 PM. You will get a 1/2 chicken, baked potato, applesauce, roll and butter all for \$10.00. To place an order, please call the church at (717) 244-0655. We sold out early nearly every month last summer, so to be guaranteed a dinner, it is best to pre-order. Other BBQ's will be held on the 2nd Saturday of each month thru October.

We would also welcome donations of homemade goodies for our bake sale table. Please put individual portions in baggies or plastic wrap. They may be dropped off at the church the day before or the morning of the BBQ. Thank you.

On May 11th, in conjunction with the chicken barbecue, there will be a plant sale featuring a variety of annuals— geraniums, gazanias, lantanas, marigolds, coleus, petunias, calibrachos and more. A variety of tomatoes and other vegetable plants will also be available. A percentage of the proceeds will benefit the church. Fill your flower beds with beautiful, healthy plants at great prices as another way to contribute to your church. Prices will be starting at \$3.00, but the average price will be \$4.50.



Plant Sale



W.O.W (women's discussion and support group) has begun meeting again at 11:00 AM in the Gathering Room on the 4th Saturday of each month. Our next meeting will be May 25. Our time together will include informal discussions of things we've read, heard about, or have questions about. We will also share joys and concerns. Lunch afterwards is optional. Everyone is welcome. Questions, text or call Ginny (202) 549-4358.

## GREEN DRAGON TRIP



On Friday, May 10, you are invited to meet us at the church at 9:00 AM to carpool to the Green Dragon Market in Ephrata. After several other Lancaster County stops, we will end our day with dinner at Shady Maple Smorgasbord. There is a sign-up sheet in the Gathering Room.



## WHAT IS MESSY CHURCH?

It's church, but not as you know it! Messy Church is a form of family church for children and adults. It involves creativity, celebration and hospitality! It's church for people of any age and at all stages of their faith journey. If traditional church is no longer a part of your life, come try out Messy Church!

Our next Messy Church gathering will be held from 6:00-8:00 PM on Friday, May 17. As always, a meal will be provided. PLEASE INVITE YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS.



## CARD and GAME CLUB



We have started a group to play card and board games here at the church. Everyone is welcome, and if you don't know how to play certain games, there will be someone who can teach you. You can bring lunch or order in.

We meet the second Wednesday of each month starting at 11:00 AM and playing until people are ready to stop. Our next gathering will be held on May 8

## GUIDED MEDITATION AND DRUM CIRCLE



Meditation and Music are very good ways to deepen your personal spiritual practice. Relax, let go of worldly thoughts, and sink into your soul. You are invited to join us on Saturday, May 18, at 10:00 AM for Guided Meditation, followed by Drum Circle, with a variety of instruments available.



On Sunday, June 9, from 6:00-8:00 PM, please join us for an old-fashioned Hymn Sing, followed by strawberries and ice cream. The public is invited and there is no charge.

Other Hymn Sings will be held on August 11 and October 13, so mark your calendars.



"The truth is that no matter how old we are, as long as our mothers are alive, we want our mother."

**Goldie Hawn**

"A mother's love is everything. It is what brings a child into this world. It is what molds their entire being. When a mother sees her child in danger, she is literally capable of anything. Mothers have lifted cars off of their children and destroyed entire dynasties. A mother's love is the strongest energy known to man."

**Jamie McGuire**

"A mother's hug lasts long after she lets go."

**Unknown**

"My mother used to say: the older you get, the better you get. *Unless you're a banana.*"

**Rose Nylund**

"There is no way to be a perfect mother, and a million ways to be a good one."

**Jill Churchill**

"Any mother could perform the jobs of several air-traffic controllers with ease."

**Lisa Alther**

"Moms are magic."

**Carissa Potter Carlson**

Never be afraid to let someone know if they brightened the room they just walked into. Or if something they said inspired you to change. Never be embarrassed to share a compliment with a stranger and don't ever fall into the trap of believing that the people you love know that. Say it. Always say it. Your words may land a little awkwardly at first but in the dark of the night, those seeds will plant themselves into someone's mental garden and start to bloom. Sow seeds, wherever you go.

**Donna Asworth**

### I'M TELLING YOUR MOM!

What a terrible start to a weekend getaway! Someone had stolen my tote from the car. Money credit cards, medications—everything I needed had been in that bag. I was three hours from home and frantic.

The police officer who answered my call could not have been more helpful. He gave me tips on handling my case, contacted my insurance company and even offered me money to get home. Thanking him didn't seem like enough. When the officer called to check on me, I got an idea. "I don't want to be intrusive," I said, "but you have been simply wonderful. I would love to tell your mother."

He was delighted and gave me her home number. His mom was thrilled to hear my glowing report. Ever since, I've done the same with mothers of other exceptional folks. My city's fire chief, who has shown such leadership and compassion during the opioid epidemic. A nurse who helped me to enroll in a program that cut my monthly medication bill by nearly \$2000, the teacher of my special needs niece.

Sometimes I send a note, sometimes I share my appreciation in person. Whatever the method, mothers always love hearing great things about their kids!

**Roberta Messner**



**May 2024**

"Coincidence is when God chooses to remain anonymous."

**Unknown**

"Do not ask the Lord to guide your footsteps if you are not willing to move your Feet "

**Dale Partridge**



"In your big blue eyes I see intense fragility and all your love for me, how perfect can life be... "I woke from a deep sleep with those words flowing through my mind. *Yes! That was it!*

Those were the lyrics to the second verse of a song I'd written over 30 years ago as a lullaby to my first daughter. I had tried to sing it earlier that day to her daughter, my 7-month old granddaughter, as I put her down for a nap. I'd remembered most of it, but when I'd come to the second verse, there had been a gap I'd just hummed through. Try as I might, I couldn't remember the words. But they came to me that night at about 2 a.m., waking me from slumber.

This same thing has happened to me many times. I laughingly envision a little man inside my head, frantically searching through file cabinets of memories until he finds the right one and waves it aloft, calling, "Here it is!"

How astounding God made our brains. To think that every experience is stored in detail somewhere deep inside is mind-boggling. Sometimes that little man locates it quickly. Other times he takes longer. Sometimes he can't seem to find it at all and eventually gives up. But I feel confident it's still there, influencing me in some way in my current thinking, reactions, fears and delights.

*Yes, Lord, Your creation is incredible and amazing. I am in awe!* **Kim Taylor Henry**

## KIDS SAY THE DARNDDEST THINGS!

MELANIE (age 5) asked her Granny how old she was. Granny replied she was so old she didn't remember any more. Melanie said, 'If you don't remember you must look in the back of your panties.

Mine say five to six.'

BRITTANY (age 4) had an ear ache and wanted a pain killer. She tried in vain to take the lid off the bottle. Seeing her frustration, her Mom explained it was a child-proof cap and she'd have to open it for her.

Eyes wide with wonder, the little girl asked:

'How does it know it's me?'

SUSAN (age 4) was drinking juice when she got the hiccups. 'Please don't give me this juice again,' she said, 'It makes my teeth cough.'

MARC (age 4) was engrossed in a young couple that were hugging and kissing in a restaurant. Without taking his eyes off them, he asked his dad: 'Why is he whispering in her mouth?'

TAMMY (age 4) was with her mother when they met an elderly, rather wrinkled woman her Mom knew. Tammy looked at her for a while and then asked, 'Why doesn't your skin fit your face?'

The Sermon I think this Mom will never forget....

This particular Sunday sermon... 'Dear Lord,' the minister began, with arms extended toward heaven and a rapturous look on his upturned face. 'Without you, we are but dust....' He would have continued but at that moment my very obedient daughter who was listening leaned over to me and asked quite audibly in her shrill little four year old girl voice, 'Mom, what is butt dust?'

"Around us, life bursts with miracles – a glass of water, a ray of sunshine, a leaf, a caterpillar, a flower, laughter, raindrops. If you live in Awareness, it is easy to see miracles everywhere.

Each human being is a multiplicity of miracles. Eyes that see thousands of colors, shapes, and forms; ears that hear a bee flying or a thunderclap; a brain that ponders a speck of dust as easily as the entire cosmos; a heart that beats in rhythm with the heartbeat of all beings. When we are tired and feel discouraged by life's daily struggles, we may not notice these miracles, but they are always there."

Thich Nhat Hanh

## GOD'S BRAND NEW IDEA...YOU!

God made you and broke the mold! Every single baby is a brand-new idea from the mind of God. Scan history for your replica; you won't find it. God tailor-made you. You aren't one of many bricks in the mason's pile or one of a dozen bolts in the mechanic's drawer.

You are it! And if you aren't you, we don't get you.

The world misses out.

You offer a gift to society that no one else brings. When you and I do the most what we do the best for the glory of God, the Bible says that we are "marvelously functioning parts in Christ's body" (Romans 12:5).

You play no small part, because there is no small part to be played.

God "shaped each person in turn" (Psalm 33:15).

We need you to be you. And YOU, need to be you!

Max Lucado

My grandchildren live several states away, but I think of them every day.

Other than FaceTime calls, I can't physically see them. I can look at the photos on the wall. I smile at their favorite books that fill my shelf. I hum songs we sang together. Until the next visit, I'll miss the ability to hug them. Yet I love them. I know they are enjoying life, laughing and playing. Their very existence fills me with joy.

I sometimes complain to Jesus that it's not easy to follow Him with I can't see Him or hear His audible voice. I can't touch Him like the first disciples did. I've learned about Him through scripture.

I've experienced His spirit through worship and prayer. But I long to be concretely in His presence.

Today, Jesus reminded me of how much joy I feel in my grandchildren, even when I'm not present with them. Like my grandchildren, Jesus doesn't cease to exist just because I can't see Him. He is with me, and that fills me with joy. Just as I eagerly anticipate the next visit with my grandchildren, I'm excited to know that one day I'll stand in the presence of Jesus.

Sharon Hinck



Lord, make me a blessing to someone today. Give me the words. Give me the gift of companionable silence. Give me grace enough to show grace to those most in need of it. Make me your blessing to someone this day.

Patricia Ramsden



# a fun Flower Frog

A flower frog sits atop a vase to help arrange flowers and hold stems in place. This personalized frog will become a favorite!

## What you need:

- Air-dry clay
- Roller
- Vase (or jar)
- Plastic knife
- Straw
- Acrylic paint and brushes



## What you do:

1. Roll out a portion of clay to about 1/2-inch thickness.
2. Cut out a circle that's slightly larger than the vase opening. (This will allow the finished frog to sit securely on top.)
3. To make holes for stems, use a straw to punch out circle shapes. If you make more than one frog, try arranging the holes in different patterns.
4. Let dry completely. Then personalize your work with acrylic paint.
5. When dry, place the frog atop the vase. Arrange flowers and greenery to make a Mother's Day bouquet.



# PUZZLE



## UNFADING BEAUTY

Peter says beauty shouldn't come from outward adornment. How does a godly woman adorn herself on the inside?

*Directions: From each list, write the word that doesn't belong. Then insert the circled letters in order below to complete 1 Peter 3:4, NIV.*

flower, stem, bee, leaf

—○—

pink, red, yellow, blue

—○—

mother, sister, brother, aunt

—○—

purple, dress, skirt, blouse

—○—

necklace, ring, bracelet, braid

—○—

diamond, emerald, heart, ruby

—○—

orange, cherry, potato, kiwi

—○—

my, our, she, your

—○—

faith, family, love, hope

—○—

sunny, rainy, snowy, temperature

—○—

cookie, cake, pie, sandwich

—○—

silver, white, gold, bronze

—○—

"Rather, it should be that of your inner self, the unfading beauty of a g \_\_\_\_\_ and qu \_\_\_\_\_ p \_\_\_\_\_, which is of great worth in God's sight." 1 Peter 3:4, NIV

Answers: bee, pink, brother, purple, braid, bracelet, heart, potato, kiwi, cherry, orange, our, she, your, family, love, hope, sunny, rainy, snowy, temperature, sandwich, pie, cake, cookie, white, gold, bronze, quiet, spirit