

Little Children

Jessica took her children to a restaurant. Her six-year-old son asked if he could say grace. As they bowed their heads he said, "God is good. God is great. Thank you for the food, and I will even thank you more if mom gets us ice cream for dessert. And Liberty and justice for all! Amen." Along with the laughter from the other customers nearby, she heard a woman remark, "That's what's wrong with this country. Kids today don't even know how to pray. Asking God for ice-cream! Why, I never!" Hearing this, her son burst into tears and asked her, "Did I do it wrong? Is God mad at me?" As she held him and assured him that he had done a terrific job and God was certainly not mad at him, an elderly gentleman approached the table. He winked at her son and said, "I happen to know that God thought that was a great prayer." "Really?" the boy asked. "Cross my heart." He said. Then in a theatrical whisper he added, "Too bad she never asks God for ice cream. A little ice cream is good for the soul sometimes." Naturally, Jessica bought her kids ice cream at the end of the meal. But her son stared at his for a moment and then did something she will remember the rest of her life. He picked up his sundae and without a word walked over and placed it in front of the woman. With a big smile he told her, "Here, this is for you. Ice cream is good for the soul sometimes, and my soul is good already."

Matthew 18:1-4, At that time the disciples came to Jesus and said, "Who then is greatest in the kingdom of heaven?"² And He called a child to Himself and set him before them,³ and said, "Truly I say to you, unless you are converted and become like children, you will not enter the kingdom of heaven.⁴ Whoever then humbles himself as this child, he is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven.

Anna and Dakota: We thank you all so much for being so warm and welcoming to us as become members of this community. We would also like to extend gratitude to everyone who gave us all of the useful gifts. We already feel at home!

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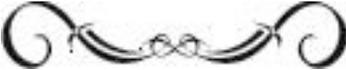
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Sunday, October 7, 2018

<p>Prayer List Updates</p> <p>Darlene Hetler - home now, still recovering</p> <p>Towell family - death of Larry Lloyd Towell</p> <p>Wayne Pruett - now at Monette Manor</p> <p>Birthdays</p> <p>Lindsey Tucker October 7 Wanda Wilburn October 12</p> 	<p>Upcoming Events</p> <p>Tuesdays ladies' Bible study; 10 am children welcome</p> <p>October 29 next Heartfelt 6:30 pm Sisters fellowship</p>  <p>Memory Verse</p> <p>For am I now trying to win the favor of people, or of God? Or am I striving to please people? If I were still trying to please people, I would not be a slave of Christ.</p> <p>Galatians 1:10</p>	<p>Correspondence Course Ministry</p> <p>week of October 1-6: 2 lessons graded</p> <p>October Haiti Needs</p> <p>sanitary napkins cough syrup clippers</p> <p>Last Week's Attendance</p> <p>Sunday morning: 51 Sunday evening: 44 Wednesday evening: 32</p>
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Weekly Service Assignments

Sunday Morning		Sunday Evening 6:00 pm
First Prayer Announcements Second Prayer Scripture Reading Lord's Supper Closing Prayer	Bible class: 9:45 am worship: 10:45 am Raymond Lasley Raymond Lasley Rudi Cagle Joel Ingram 1. Larry Brooks 3. Larry Towell 2. Matthew Sills 4. Justin Beach Peter Salley	First Prayer Raymond Lasley Closing Prayer Ed Young Lord's Supper Larry Brooks Ken Beach Wednesday Evening 7:00 pm First Prayer Raymond Lasley Closing Prayer Larry Towell