

Mother's Day Bulletin

May 10, 2020

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship (Responsive)

Leader: We are the people of God

People: Together we are family

Leader: I am part of a family, the human family

People: the family of faith, the family of my choosing

Leader: We are the people of God

All: Together we are family. Let us worship God together

Opening Prayer

Good and Gentle God, we pray in gratitude for our mothers and all the mother figures we have had throughout our lives – teachers, nurses, neighbors, aunts.

Grant to all mothers the courage they need to face the uncertain future that life with children always brings, and give them the wisdom to turn to you for help when they need it the most.

Good and Gentle God, surround all mothers with your Holy Spirit, that they may teach that love to their children. Amen

Scripture Reading: Luke 2:41-52

Now every year his parents went to Jerusalem for the festival of the Passover. And when he was twelve years old, they went up as usual for the festival. When the festival was ended and they started to return, the boy Jesus stayed behind in Jerusalem, but his parents did not know it. Assuming that he was in the group of travelers, they went a day's journey. Then they started to look for him among their relatives and friends. When they did not find him, they returned to Jerusalem to search for him. After three days they found him in the temple, sitting among the teachers, listening to them and asking them questions. And all who heard him were amazed at his understanding and his answers. When his parents saw him they were astonished; and his mother said to him, "child why have you treated us like this? Look, your father and I have been searching for you in great anxiety." He said to them, "why were you searching for me? Did you not know that I must be in my Father's house?" But they did not understand what he said to them. Then he went down with them

and came to Nazareth, and was obedient to them. His mother treasured all these things in her heart.

And Jesus increased in wisdom and in years, and in divine and human favor.

Pastor's Message: "I Remember Momma"

Pastoral Prayer

Time of Silence

Our Lord's Prayer

Closing Words