April Prayer Highlight

In last weeks bulletin there was a list of WMU members and inadvertently Minnie Belle Moore was not listed. She is certainly a very valued member of WMU and we wanted to make that addition.

Deacon's Meeting

The Deacons will meet today immediately after the worship service.

Church Fellowship Dinner

Our church fellowship dinner this week will be ham, sweet potatoes, green bean casserole, rolls & dessert prepared by Patsy Paxton & Friends. The cost is \$7.00 per meal. Please remember to contact the office (463-4181) by Monday at noon to sign up.

Bible Readings

The Bible Readings for the week of April 9th - 13th: Monday: Luke 12:1-12, Tuesday: Luke 12:13-21, Wednesday: Luke 12:22-34, Thursday: Luke 12:35-40, Friday: Luke 12:41-48.

Backpack Program

Packing backpacks this **Wednesday at 11:45 am** will be Gordie & Lois Valentine, Jan Meador & Patti Roscoe. Gordie Valentine will deliver them.

Youth Family Fellowship
Saturday, April 14th at 4:00 pm, youth families are invited to Molly Kay & Robbie Moore's home for an afternoon of outdoor games, dinner and bonfire with smores! Hot Dogs, chips and drinks will be provided. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share and an outdoor chair! RSVP with Molly Kay (461-**6074) by Friday, April 13th.** Hope to see everyone there!

Endowment Committee

The MBC Endowment Fund invites applications for funding for 2018 church activities. We are especially excited to hear of new plans that you may have to show God's love to others. Please send a summary of the request to Linda Hooks, Endowment Fund chair, at *HooksL@wlu.edu* by Monday, April 16th. Include in the summary the following information: (1) your name, e-mail, and phone number; (2) the church group's name, if it is for one of our groups (such as Youth Group or Children's Group); (3) a description of the request; and (4) an estimated cost or budget. If you have any questions, please feel free to talk with any member of the Endowment Fund Board of Directors.

Business Meeting

Our quarterly Business Meeting will be Wednesday, April 18th at 6:15 pm.

JOY Group Luncheon

Join us at the Pink Cadillac Restaurant for lunch and fellowship **Thursday**, **April 19th at 11:30 am**. We will discuss plans for our fall trip to Lancaster, PA in October. Contact Roger & Patsy Williamson for more information.

WMU April Mission Project

Our mission project for April will be baking & providing cookies for the faculty and staff of Central and Mountain View Elementary Schools. Please contact Bobbie Cash (261-6884) for more information on how you can help! Cookies will be delivered to the schools on Monday, April 30th.

Women's Sunday

Sunday, April 22nd will be Women's Day at Manly! Our guest speaker will be Rev. Lynn Litchfield with GraceInside. She will present her "Orange Jumpsuit" program, dealing with life of a woman prisoner at Fluvanna Correctional Unit. Our women will lead the morning worship service.

Children's Spring Fling Fun Day

Children of all ages are invited to our Spring Fling Fun Day on **Sunday**, **April 22nd from 3:30 - 5:00 pm!** We will have inflatables, snow cones, popcorn and cotton candy. Invite your friends for an afternoon of fun! Contact Ms. Beverly Saunders (460-0409) for more information.

Mission Committee Meeting

Join us **Tuesday, April 24th at 5:00 pm in the backpack room** to learn more about our upcoming mission trip to Nickelsville, VA, July 8th - 14th.

Youth Car Wash Mission Trip Fundraiser

The youth will hold a car wash mission trip fundraiser on **Saturday**, **April 28**th, from **9 am till noon** at Advance Auto parking lot. Please share with everyone to bring their cars by to be washed. If you are unable to attend please consider making a donation big or small to this wonderful group of teens working so hard to raise money for the mission trip!

Mother's Day Roses

The Youth will be selling roses for Mother's Day as a fundraiser. You may give a rose in honor or memory of a loved one. Roses will be distributed at the end of the service on Sunday, May 13th. **Please place your order form and payment of \$5.00 in the offering plate by Sunday, April 29th**. Your support is appreciated!!

RARA Food Pantry

Item-of-the-month for April is household and cleaning supplies. Donations can be placed outside of the choir room. Thank You!