

## Our Heavenly Father's Day

What comes to mind when you consider the term “Father’s Day?” Time spent with family reminiscing what wonderful things your dad did for you growing up? How he worked to love, guide, protect and provide for you? Is the first thing that comes to mind perhaps the Sunday celebration of “Father’s Day” where you take/took the time to travel to his house and present to him your gifts of love, gratitude, and appreciation? Maybe it’s a special meal as you and your siblings all gather around the same table to eat, enjoy, and celebrate? Now, granted, for some, there may be a far sadder stigma attached to “Father’s Day” because their dads were somewhat less of a father than God desires that they should have been.

### Do You Remember Your Father’s Day?

However, no matter what it is that may come to mind for you when you hear the term “Father’s Day,” one thing is for sure: If you are a blood-bought and adopted child of the living God (Gal. 3:26-27), your perfect, loving, and adoring heavenly Father is certainly worth celebrating every day in every way – but especially and in a special way on this, His special, “Father’s Day!” He brought us forth because He wanted, and it was His will to have us (James 1:18). Every good thing we have is from Him (Matthew 7:7-11, James 1:17). Every good thing heaven has to offer we have been given by our heavenly Father in Christ Jesus (Ephesians 1:3-10). He guides, provides, nurtures, protects, strengthens, comforts, leads, teaches, matures, directs and disciplines us – all for our own good, growth, and godliness. But He does so with mercy, pity, and compassion, remembering our frailties (Psalms 103:8-14). He is truly “our God and Father, who has loved us and given us everlasting consolation and good hope by grace” (2 Thessalonians 2:16).

And so, we celebrate Him. We come together with His other blood-bought children – our spiritual siblings in Christ – bearing our gifts of love, adoration, and appreciation, as we gather together within His house (2 Peter. 2:4-5; 1 Timothy 3:15). It is there that we sing His praises and give Him thanks (Ephesians 5:19-20; Colossians 3:16-17; Hebrews 3:15). It is there, on His specially set-aside day, that we present Him with our gifts (1 Corinthians 16:1-2). And it is only and especially there and on His special day, that we have the privilege of sharing in the most sacred, special, and meaningful meal ever provided, as we gather around the table of the Lord together (1 Corinthians 10:16-17, 11:23-25; Acts 20:7).

You see, after all He’s done for us, our heavenly Father is far too special to celebrate only occasionally or annually. Every first day of the week is our heavenly Father’s Day! Let us be determined not to miss it for the world!



Church of Christ

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### Schedule of Services:

Greeting: Tom

Song Leader: Ray

Opening Hymn:

**1-A—How Great Thou Art**

Opening Prayer: Dale

Hymn:

**222—Faith of Our Fathers**

Scripture Reading: Larry  
Galatians 4:1-7

Hymn:

**287—The Lord’s Supper**

Lord’s Supper: Ray

Hymn:

**578—This is My Father’s World**

Sermon: Tom

Invitation Hymn:

**596—God Is Calling The Prodigal**

Closing Hymn:

**361—This World is Not My Home**

Closing Prayer: Tom

**PRAYER LIST**

- \*Bonnie and her family .
- \*Margaret and Albert.
- \*Wanda and her family.
- \*Kathy injured her ankle and was unable to be with us last week.
- \*Zarna's family and friends
- \*Larry and Ruth.
- \*Pat and Ron and their family.
- \*Juanita's sister Betty and the rest of her family.
- \*Mary and her family.
- \*Robert and Sara and their children.
- \*Ray and Barbara and their family.
- \*Dale and his family.
- \*Ray, Rebecca, and Steven.
- \*Myron & Carole and their family.
- \*Mark and his family .



**CALENDAR**

- Jun. 20—Worship 11 am.  
Speaker: Tom
- Jun. 20—Bible Study 6pm  
on-line with  
Dale
- Jun. 20—Father's Day
- Jun. 22—(b.) Bonnie
- 22—(b.) Brendan
- 26—(b.) Bennett
- Jun. 20—Worship 11 am.  
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Dale
- 28—(a.) Myron & Carole  
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# Sons and Heirs Through Christ

Galatians 4:1-7

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| Christ    | elements  | father  | forth    |
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| Until     | woman     | world   |          |

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**Children are a great comfort in old age, and they help you reach it faster.**



SUNDAY: Worship — 11:00 am; Bible Study — 6:00 pm (on Zoom)  
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Answer to Puzzle : And because you are  
 sons, God has sent forth the Spirit of His  
 Father!"  
 Son into your hearts, crying out, "Abba,