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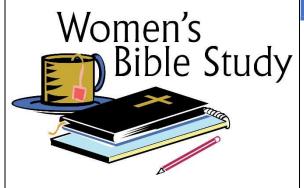
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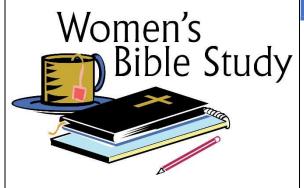
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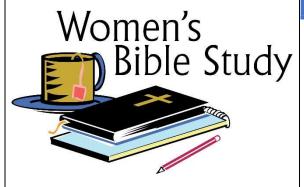
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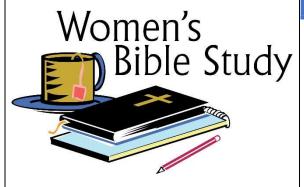
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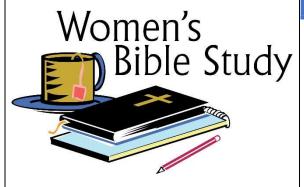
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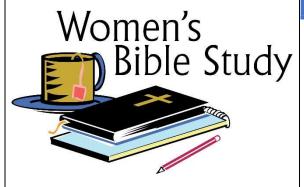
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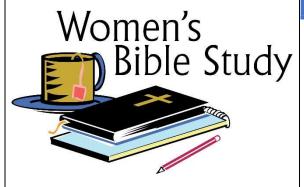
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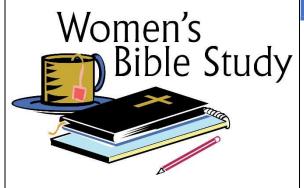
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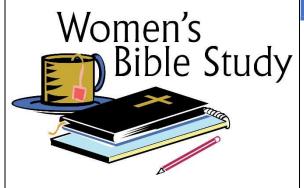
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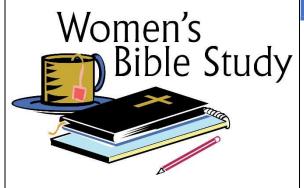
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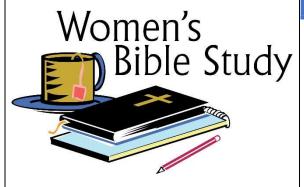
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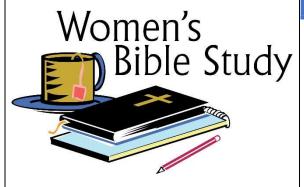
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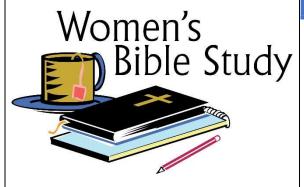
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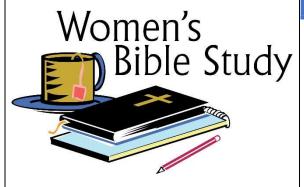
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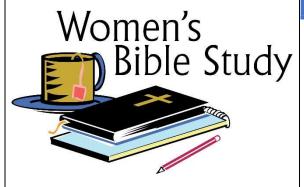
"Lord, You are my Provider and Sustainer. You have prepared good works for each of Your children, including me! Today, I lift up the students, teachers, and school staff who are preparing to begin the school year. I pray that as they use their supplies for the tasks of teaching and learning, they would be reminded that You supply their needs for the Kingdom tasks You have prepared. Strengthen teachers who are weary and give hope to students who do not see a future for themselves. I pray that each person in Education would overflow with Your provision as they fulfill the good works of teaching, learning, leading, growing and much more! In Jesus name, Amen."

We can see school supplies as prayer prompts for students, teachers, and school staff.

Below are a few prompts to get you started:

- Books and textbooks: Pray that students would be filled with knowledge and wisdom. Pray they would study the Bible diligently for revelation of God's character, instructions on righteous living, and to learn from the wins and mistakes of the heroes of the faith.
- Rulers: Pray that students, teachers, and school staff would measure themselves against God's Word, and never live in comparison to others.
- **Crayons**: Pray that teachers and school staff would have eyes to see God's handiwork in each child, and treasure all the different gifts, talents, abilities, and learning styles.
- Notebook paper: Pray that as students write down notes, facts, and reminders, they would also have the Word of God written on their hearts.
- Dry erase markers: Pray for teachers and instructors to have patience to teach, erase, rewrite and reteach until students gain understanding, just as God is a patiently heavenly Father to His children.

Just as these supplies are instruments for students to accomplish the tasks of learning and growing, we are instruments in the hands of God, for the good works that He has prepared for us!



NEW WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY TO START IN SEPTEMBER



Its back! Social Team has rescheduled this day trip to downtown Kansas City on Friday, September 13, 2024. Plan to tour the Negro Leagues Baseball Museum as well as the American Jazz Museum. Both are located in the same building. These museums are unique to Kansas City. Admission per person for both museums is \$18.00. Forms are at the church and turn them into Cappi Lawrence, Social Team Leader. Shuttle bus will depart from church at 9:30 am. Again, it is first come first served as far as seats on the bus. But you are always welcome to follow the bus in your personal vehicle and enjoy the discounted tickets, fellowship and opportunity to have a meal together after visiting the museums.



DEVELOPING KIDS GHANA (DKG) - ODLE FAMILY

This is a week of good byes for us. On Sunday the church presented Samuel with a new shirt as an appreciation for all he has done with the choirs the past two years. Last night we had our DKG Party and we all played Qwirkle! The fellowship was so sweet and we are going to miss our big Ghanaian family as we are away.



VALOR RANCH FUNDRAISERS

As you know, Valor Ranch is our church veteran's mission outreach. In September they are having two fundraisers - a 5K run and a motorcycle run. The poker run (for people with motorcycles) is on September 14 and then the 5k is on September 21. It is their 5th Annual Runnin' for Home 5K event. The poker run will actually include Ray County as it goes through parts of Clay, Ray, Clinton and Caldwell counties. If these are activities that you enjoy doing, then check out the attached flyers for details. There are many different ways that we can be the hands and feet of Jesus.



ANSWERED PRAYER

Sept 9 - WOW

Sept 13 - Field trip to Negro Leagues Baseball Museum and American Jazz Museum

Sept 20-22 - Ashes to Beauty Women's Encounter

Sept 22-25 - Tent Revival

Sept 25 - See You At the Pole

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Tune in for "Morning Time on the Porch with Pastor Art" each weekday on facebook.
- Wednesday, Aug 28 6:00 pm Men's Bible study with Tim O'Dell.
- Wednesday, Aug 28 6:00 pm Women's Bible study meeting at the church.
- Thursday, Aug 29 7:00 pm Celebrate Recovery Lexington Group, First Baptist Church, 525 S Business 13, Lexington, MO. Contact Tamara Lane (660) 570-3761 for more information.
- Sunday, Sept 1 Return Bridge of Hope Baby Bottles
- Sunday, Sept 1 8:15 am Traditional worship service. Nursery available (birth to 5).
- Sunday, Sept 1 9:45 am Sunday School for all ages
- Sunday, Sept 1 10:45 am Contemporary worship service. Nursery available (birth to 5).