

ST. MATTHEWS

Children, Youth, and Family Newsletter

Hello There!

By Elizabeth Jimenez

New things are happening this year at St. Matthews!

- Prayground in the chapel for children to color and play (parent/adult supervision required)
- Sunday school 10:05 am-10:25 am in the CYF classroom (2 staff supervise the program)
- The classroom is equipped with an air purifier, extra child-size face masks, hand sanitizer, disinfecting wipes, and a thermometer.
- (Some) Activities are available in Spanish.

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Mother's Day Breakfast

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Join us Mother's day **Sunday May 8th at 9am** to celebrate all the wonderful women in our lives.

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CALENDAR

**SUNDAY, MAY 1ST CELEBRATION
@ ST.MATTHEWS 10 AM**

**SUNDAY, MAY 8TH MOTHERS DAY
FLOWERS AND CELEBRATION
@ ST.MATTHEWS 10 AM**

**SUNDAY, MAY 15 CELEBRATION
@ST.MATTHEWS 10AM**

**SUNDAY, MAY 22 FIRST
COMMUNION CELEBRATION
@ST.MATTHEWS 10 AM**

**SUNDAY, MAY 29 FR. COLIN
FAREWELL @ST.MATTHEWS 10 AM**



Spiritual Thought

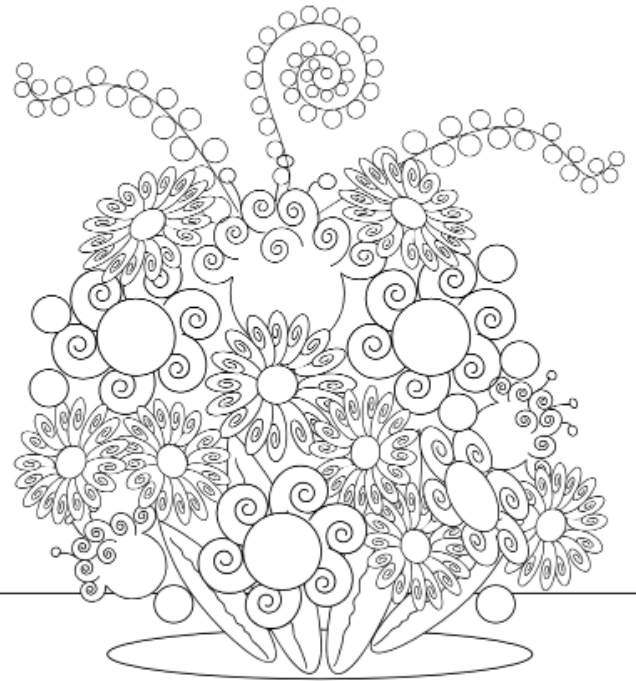
Isaiah 66:13: "As one whom his **mother** comforts, so **I** will comfort you."

A Mother's Day Prayer

Let us pray for all the mothers among us today; for our own mothers, those living and those who have passed away; for the mothers who loved us and for those who fell short of loving us fully; for all who hope to be mothers some day and for those whose hope to have children has been frustrated; for all mothers who have lost children; for all women and men who have mothered others in any way—those who have been our substitute mothers and we who have done so for those in need; for the earth that bore us and provides our sustenance. We pray this all in the name of God, our great and loving Mother. Amen.

– from *Women's Common Prayers: Our Lives Revealed, Nurtured, Celebrated* (Morehouse Publishing, 2000)

Honor your mother



Exodus 20:12

First Communion Lessons

5/1 Session 6: Dismissal: Where do we go from here?

5/8 Mother's Day

5/15 Rehearsal, Summary of What We've Learned

5/22 First Communion Celebration



Join Us!

Sunday Worship 10 am- In person

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