

May Newsletter



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Ministry Sunday

Children's Nutrition Program of Haiti

CNP/Kore Timoun was founded in 1998 by Dr. Mitchell L. Mutter, a cardiologist from Chattanooga, Tennessee. Dr. Mutter has been coming to Haiti on medical mission teams since 1988. In 1998 during one of those trips, he and his colleagues had been fighting to save the life of a severely malnourished three year old boy, who appeared to be an infant. Despite all of their best efforts, the child died. For years Dr. Mutter had known that in this land of extreme poverty and limited health care, men, women, and children were dying from conditions and situations that would have been preventable or minor in the developed world. The death of this little boy sent him on a search to answer the question: "What are we to do about it?" And so, CNP/Kore Timoun was born.

Haiti is a vibrant and wondrous place where people's enduring hope and resilience shine bright. Children's Nutrition Program of Haiti / Kore Timoun works hand in hand with communities to help raise a generation of healthy children who can in turn raise Haiti out of poverty. I want to personally thank each and every donor, volunteer, visitor, community leader, and staff member who has assisted in fulfilling our mission.

Thanks to your support, we have been able to expand our community nutrition programs with eight new monitrices reaching over 1,000 additional children every month. In partnership with the Haitian Ministry of Health (MSPP), we opened a Nutrition Stabilization Unit (USN) providing critical inpatient care for children suffering the most severe forms of malnutrition. CNP is helping to ensure every child has a healthy start to life and we thank you for being with us every step of the way.

From our humble beginnings to our present activities in over 125 communities, CNP's work has impacted countless lives. As we look forward to the next 20 years, we have tremendous hope for the health and prosperity of children growing up in Haiti. We invite you to join us in the fight against malnutrition and share in the joy of empowering the next generation.

On behalf of all of us on the ground in Haiti, I want to thank you for your continued support.

To learn more about the ministries of Children's Nutrition Program of Haiti visit their website <https://www.cnphaiti.org/>.



Resurrection- Celebration-New Life

Spring in East Tennessee is always amazing! The gorgeous mountains, the majestic views, the blue skies, warm temperatures and spring flowers are everywhere, and after the cold and foggy days of winter this new life seems so much sweeter. We are indeed blessed to live in this part of God's kingdom and as the people of St. Timothy's on this mountain we have a lot to be grateful for and excited about.

We have celebrated the great feast day of Easter and experienced the Good News of Christ's resurrection for ourselves, and now, it is our time to proclaim and live out this power in our own lives. As St. Francis of Assisi said so well, "Preach the Gospel at all times, if necessary use words."

As the followers of our Risen Lord may we consider the many ways that this one event impacts our own lives. May we begin to recognize the evidence of Christ's resurrection in things that surround us every day... not only in the flowers and trees, the warmth of the spring sun, but also in the faces of our neighbors, in the hands that we hold, in the presence of those we love, in the outreach that we do, and in our call to be God's people in the world. May each of us make it a priority to share the joy, share the hope, and share the love of God that is in you as we move forward to see what God has in store for us at St. Timothy's.

May is a busy time with many traditions and transitions... proms, school graduations, leavings and new beginnings.

May each of us remember to look for God in the blessed busyness that comes with the season.

We have so much to celebrate and enjoy together this spring at St. Timothy's. Youth Sunday, Teacher Recognition, the new and improved renovation of the Thrift Shop, the youth mission trip to Atlanta, Vacation Bible School, and plans for our newly renovated church plant are on the horizon. Please keep all of these important endeavors in your prayers.

And, please remember, our Outdoor Service will begin again at 9:15 am on May 19 so that we can enjoy worship together in the midst of God's creation!

Blessings in the name of the One who died and was raised for us, Taylor+



May Birthdays

5/1	Reid Sisson	5/7	Ralph McGraw Jr.	5/16	Larry Hopkins	5/22	Beverley Palmer
5/1	Adelaid Mondy	5/8	Lucy Davidson	5/16	David Wollert	5/22	Parker Ward
5/1	Eric Love	5/8	William Cross	5/17	Maddux Wood	5/23	Greg Goodgame
5/2	Marty Roberts	5/10	Jenna Quarfordt	5/17	Diane Boaz	5/24	Brooke Maley
5/2	Tom Rawls	5/10	Lynn Schmissrater	5/17	Kathy Darr	5/25	Sharon Hamrick
5/3	Buffie Harper	5/10	Francois Slabber	5/17	Scott Ruth	5/26	Jan BeVille
5/3	Cathy Robbins	5/11	Catherine Chimley	5/18	Sarah Bernard	5/26	Austin Cooper
5/3	Jack Murdock	5/11	Margaret Haile	5/18	Chellie Crane	5/27	Taylor Dinsmore
5/4	Kathy Mims	5/11	Katie Murchinson	5/18	Lou Oliphant	5/27	Bill Hunt III
5/4	Phil Mondy	5/12	Gretchen Gugler	5/19	Ethan Farr	5/27	Paul Miller
5/5	Kathryn Cash	5/12	Kathleen Hackett	5/19	William Pratt	5/28	Hershel Franks
5/6	Tynan Borders	5/13	Susannah Murdock	5/19	Alex Snider	5/29	Cindy Garvey
5/6	Christina Gora	5/14	Campbell Garner	5/19	Kittie Williams	5/29	Craig Haney
5/6	Christian Garner	5/14	Amelia Sisson	5/21	James Kee	5/30	Taylor MacKinnon
5/16	Mary Ann Webster	5/15	Blake Pogue	5/22	Elizabeth Boals	5/31	Patsy Jones
5/7	Bryn Adair	5/16	Adele Castleberry	5/22	Sally Hogue	5/31	Bob Younger
5/7	Donna Collier	5/16	Ben Hackett	5/22	Ruth Novak		

May Events

Family Promise: We are looking for volunteers to participate in Family Promise April 28 through May 4. For more information and to sign-up visit us in the Narthex.

Volunteer Recognition Sunday: Volunteers play a vital role in building the kingdom of God through their work in our parish and community. It is important that we celebrate their contributions on a regular basis. Volunteers who feel valued and appreciated are more likely to feel connected to our church community and inspired to continue contributing to its ministry. On May 5 at the 10:30 a.m. service we will honor our volunteers.

EfM Graduation: EfM is a unique four-year distance learning certificate program in theological education based upon small-group study and practice. On May 5 at the 10:30 a.m. service we will recognize our fourth year participants in a graduation ceremony. Also Karen Meredith the director of EfM will be at Fireside Chat to discuss EfM.

Youth Sunday & Senior Recognition: On May 12 (Mother's Day) the 10:30 a.m. service will be youth-led. During this time we will also recognize all our graduating seniors. If you have a graduating senior (high school or college), please contact Elizabeth Burns at eburns@sttimsignal.com so she can include them in the program.

Outdoor Service: We will be starting our 9:15 a.m. worship service on May 19, and we will be meeting on our beautiful front lawn until Labor Day Weekend. Join us for a simple worship service in God's creation!

Youth Car Wash Fundraiser: Come and show your Support on May 19 during all three services, and help us raise money for our 2020 Youth Pilgrimage to Italy.

Compline: On May 19, the Office of Compline will be offered at St. Timothy's Episcopal Church on Signal Mountain at 8:00 p.m. All are welcome. Music will be offered by the compline choir.

Supper Club May 24: St. Timothy's supper club provides an opportunity to meet new people and build friendships while enjoying delicious meals together. Our next meal together will be on May 24 at 6:30 p.m at the home of Ginger and Gordon Williams.





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Glance at May Happenings:

- April 28 Family Promise at St. Timothy's through May 4
- May 5 Volunteer Recognition Sunday
- May 5 EfM Graduation
- May 12 Youth Sunday & Senior Recognition
- May 19 Ministry Sunday: Children's Nutrition Program of Haiti
- May 19 First Outdoor Service of the Season begins at 9:15 on the front lawn
- May 19 Youth Car Wash Fundraiser
- May 19 St. Timothy's will host Compline at 8:00 p.m.