



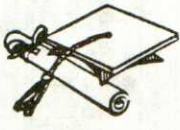
PASTOR'S
CORNER



Dear Friends,

Happy summer to you, or vacation, or whatever you will be doing with it. Was once, that the day after Memorial Day and you were in June. Well, the government took care of that. It's not all bad, the "extra" week will allow this to get out in a timely manner, and we can even talk about the emotions that were stirred on 24 and 25 May 1992 during the Memorial Day weekend.

Commencements - new beginnings -: May graduations to June's brides and weddings, with a day of reminiscing (Memorial Day) wedged in between should provide inspiration or at least insight into the challenge of the future. Many use this time period for graduating



classes and families to get together and reaffirm their love and their heritage - absolutely a marvelous time, when in proper perspective.



Also in June we celebrate Flag Day, and this year a week

later we honor our fathers on Father's Day.



This period seems to tie in nicely with a major topic of conversation in this election year - values. Hopefully with those special days you will have a very special summer.

Bill Klassen

I saw a word in "the other column" that together with a word deriving from it, stands out more and more in the Christian or believers' world: Value and valuable. This column has dealt with a number of words in recent months - from love and forgiveness to tolerance and justice. Those are words that express something about each of us.



They are valuable when used as tools of faith and commitment. When they become visible in our lives and our endeavors in church and community they often are lumped together as

values. Be they moral or ethical, family or church, neighbor or community, and whether in public scrutiny or private appraisal, we will be measured by how valuable these values are to us.



As our emotions have been stirred this Memorial Day weekend, most of us will solemnly acknowledge the blessings of family, heritage, church, and even our country that aided in our development and allowed us to become and be what we are. Our response to the "all knowingness" of our Creator (Psalm 139) can determine the visibility of the values we have chosen.



COMING EVENTS

- 14 JUNE FLAG DAY
- 21 JUNE FATHER'S DAY
- 4 JULY INDEPENDENCE DAY (SAT.)



Many thanks to Ted Kuschel and wife Linda who came down from Grace Mennonite Church in Enid to bring us the worship service on 17 May. God bless them richly for their love and sharing with us.

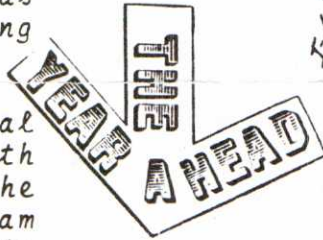
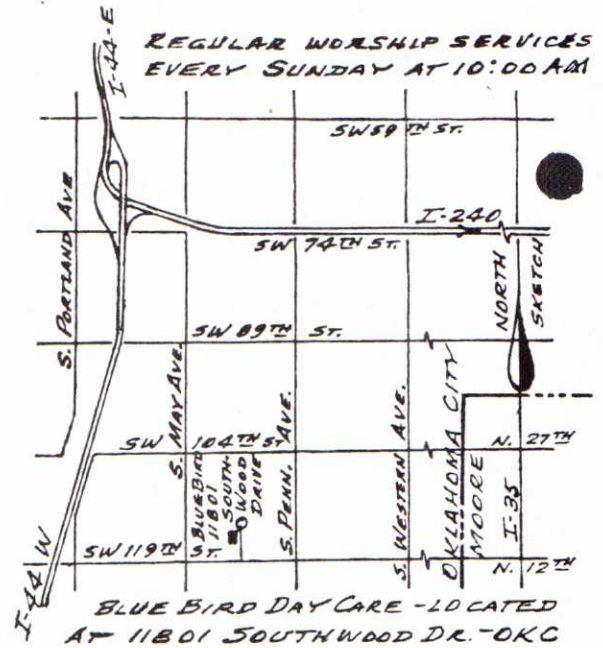


Then you lose some!!! Due to holiday weekend commitments in our church family, our third musical worship treat was postponed from 24 May to a date to be announced later. Larry Brashear and the New Hopedale (Meno) Kaleo Trio were very gracious and we look forward to rescheduling that program.

Starting next month, our ministerial schedule will be automatic with Moses and Sadie Mast accepting the permanent position of pastoral team on 14 June. We praise God for their acceptance and joining our church family.

MINISTERIAL SCHEDULE

- 7 June Women of Joy Mennonite Church
- 14 June Moses and Sadie Mast home at last
- 21 June Moses Mast -- see special announcement



For the occasion of Moses and Sadie Mast joining our fellowship, Joy Mennonite Church and the Western District Conference will have a special service of installation at 2:30 p.m. on Sunday, 21 June 1992 in our regular place of worship at 11801 Southwood Drive, OKC. All friends of the church are warmly invited for this joyous occasion.

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