5.25.25 Heritage Updates

Baby Bottle Benefit for A Door of Hope, now through June 1

Melissa visited our Wilmington ADOH Center for an ultrasound last year. She was struggling to determine her path forward after discovering she was pregnant. Here's what Melissa had to say about her experience:

"My experience going in for an ultrasound was supportive. I appreciate that they provide such a safe environment for women who may be in challenging situations. They met me with love and understanding, regardless of the choice I was making."

Melissa chose to have her baby and now participates in our parenting and material support program.

"I won't sell you a fairytale. Things aren't perfect," says Melissa, "but we have what we need and more. We have many blessings to count, and A Door of Hope is one of them. Thank you for all that you have done for us."

See your insert for information on how you can give to enable A Door of Hope to continue meeting the needs of their precious clients.

June Mission Prayer Meeting, 5/29

Thursday, May 29 10:00 am - 11:00 am

- "Why should I come to the Mission Prayer Meetings?"
- *our missionaries are counting on us to be lifting them up before God
- * we have good intentions but may forget to pray for them on our own
- *to be more familiar with the missionaries & organizations our offerings are supporting
- *so we see the monthly updates to know how things are going, how we can specifically pray for and encourage them
- *praying together strengthens all of us

June 'First Supper Sunday', 6/1

It's time for a picnic! Stay for lunch outside following the service. Heritage will provide the hamburgers & hot dogs. Please sign up on SignUp Genius or in the hall to bring your favorite picnic sides & desserts.

2025 Graduates

We'll be recognizing our 2025 Graduates next **Sunday, June 1.** We need your information by **TODAY** if you have a high school or college graduate in your household so we can include them!



God's Kingdom Building:

Rick & Wendy Gray, serving with International Friendships of DE



"I can't begin to tell you how Easter dinner with our internationals was an answer to prayer!" wrote one American hostess. During the holiday meal she discovered that one of her global guests works across the hall from her. "I've been praying to meet someone in that office (who are all from another country), and never in my dreams anticipated one showing up in my living room!" Such was the happy providence reported by one of 14 families from 8 local churches who hosted ~50 internationals from 16 nations for Easter Dinner

IFD's new intern, Paul Yu, has befriended several South American students. And one of them is quite receptive to the gospel. The young man has been reading the Bible on his own, and told Paul that he feels very close to having his ultimate questions in life being answered. However, recently he confessed his reluctance to submit a specific area of his life to the lordship of Christ. Now he must count the cost involved with becoming a follower of Jesus.

For Praise and Prayer

- * Praise the Lord for blessing IFD's Easter Dinners for UD Internationals event!
- * Pray the American hostess' new friendship will open a door for the good news.
- * Praise for the South American student who is reading the Bible on his own!
- * Pray he and others will see Jesus is worth whatever the cost is to follow him.
- * Praise God for drawing many to Dinner & Discussion and gospel interactions!
- * Praise our Provider for IFD's intern, Paul Yu, and all our wonderful volunteers

Love God * Love Neighbor * Serve Sacrificially

We are so excited to partner with A Door of Hope Pregnancy Center for the Baby Bottle Benefit! Now – June 1

For 44 years, A Door of Hope has been empowering women and families facing unplanned pregnancies to make life-affirming choices. They provide ultrasounds, education, mentorship, and material support – all for free, because of the support of churches like **ours!**

Let's help A Door of Hope reach their \$100,000 Baby Bottle Benefit goal and show families Christ's abiding love!

"If we love one another, God abides in us and His love is perfected in us." 1 John 4:12

I'm in! How can I give?

- **online** on Heritage's BBB Fundraiser link on our website HeritagePCA.net
- cash or check designated to ADOH along with your offering



Grow a Garden of HOPE here at Heritage

New this year! You can make your gift in memory or honor of someone special, to fill our "Garden of HOPE" in the narthex.



After giving via any way you choose, please let us know who your gift is in honor or memory of. We'll add your information to a flower in our Garden of HOPE.

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