

Great Banquet

Madisonville Great Banquet
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Fall 2013

"To know Jesus as Savior and Lord and make Him known"



Spring Great Banquet Dates:

September 6-7 Women's Western Kentucky Correctional Complex #11 Lay Director - Jayne White
September 27-28 Men's Muhlenberg County Jail #5 Lay Director - Steve Gilliam
October 17-20 Women's Hopkins County Jail #18 Lay Director - Amy Bell
October 24-27 Men's Great Banquet #159 Lay Director - Ken Hendrix
November 7-10 Women's Great Banquet #160 Lay Director - Sonja Richey
November 21-24 Men's Vienna Correctional Center #44 Lay Director - Matt Pratt

READ BELOW FOR TIMES OF EACH TALK, SERVING TIMES, AND AGAPE IDEAS!

Sponsors: Have you been thinking about sponsoring someone on the Great Banquet? Now is the time to ask and have applications completed and turned in. If you have any questions, contact Dawn at First Presbyterian Church 821-6426.



AGAPE PARTY! October 14 at 7:00 pm-- IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING WORSHIP SERVICE. Join us for the worship service at First Presbyterian Church and then help to prepare "agape" in the gym for the Great Banquet weekends.



POTLUCK ! October 21 at 6:00 pm

Commercial grade kitchen items are needed for kitchen use during the Banquet weekends. If you or your church would like to make a monetary donation towards the purchase of these items please call Dawn at 821-6426.



For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

John 3:16

AROUND THE BANQUET TABLE

Greetings Great Banquet Community,

The Fall Great Banquet season is upon us! Preparations are already in motion and team meetings will begin shortly. There will be many new faces serving on teams as well as new faces serving in many other capacities leading up to and during the Weekends. There will be many old faces, or should I say “Seasoned Veterans” who have served before. As “Seasoned Veterans”, we can sometime become comfortable in our service and find ourselves just going through the motions! My prayer is that a “Fresh Wind”, a new sense of excitement and desire, be stirring our spirit as we serve on these Weekends and as we serve in the many capacities available to the community. I am blessed and so thankful for those who continue to be dedicated to serving God through the Great Banquet.

I am very aware of how life’s responsibilities can consume every minute of our existence. I challenge those who have been away for whatever reason to re-engage and find a way to serve and reconnect. There are many ways to serve that take only a small portion of your time. Sponsor a guest, write a letter, serve a meal, make snacks, help with agape, set up or take down beds, clean a toilet, hold a candle during Candlelight, and attend Closing! By my best estimation, the Great Banquet Community in Madisonville is over five thousand strong! I would love to see Candlelight Service at the First United Methodist Church and Closing at the First Presbyterian Church filled to capacity with wall-to-wall disciples eager to serve God any way they can! Most importantly we desire the prayer of the entire Great Banquet Community. James 5:16 (NIV) says, “The prayer of the righteous person is powerful and effective”! I look forward to seeing each of you (old and new faces) at some point during the Fall Great Banquet season!

I am blessed and humbled by the opportunity to serve God and to serve you, the Great Banquet Community, as your Community Spiritual Director. God continues to stretch and grow me, to take me out of my comfort zone, and I pray you allow Him to do the same in your life! Thank you all for your love, support and continued prayers.

I close with these words from Sir Francis Drake (1577)

*Disturb us, Lord, when
We are too well pleased with ourselves
When our dreams have come true
Because we have dreamed too little.
When we arrive safely
Because we sailed too close to the shore.*

Disturb us, Lord, when

*With the abundance of things we possess
We have lost our thirst for the waters of life;
Haven fallen in love with life.
We have ceased to dream of eternity
And in our efforts to build a new earth,
We have allowed our vision
Of a new Heaven too dim.*

Disturb us, Lord, to dare more boldly

*To venture to wider seas
Where storms will show your mastery;*

*Where losing sight of land, we shall
Find the stars.*

*We ask you, to push back
The horizons of our hopes;
And to push into the future
In strength, courage, hope and love!*

*De Colores!
Love in Christ,*

*Dennis Coombs
Community Spiritual Director*

The following is a letter from Jim and Ruth Hendrix who were blessed to be a part of the first Great Banquet in Jamaica!

February 2013

We would like to thank the Madisonville Great Banquet for all of your prayers and support for us and the Jamaica Great Banquet #1 and Jamaica Great Banquet #2.

Jamaica Great Banquet #1 had 19 guests. Jamaica Great Banquet #2 had 21 guests. They only had beds for 22 guests, so it was very full.

We soon found out that Great Banquets and the Body of Christ are the same anywhere as long as the Holy Spirit is with us. He was in a mighty way.

While the men had their Great Banquet, the women were painting and helping to build or repair houses. We also did a lot of praying.

When the women were on their Great Banquet, the men rebuilt a woman's house that had been destroyed when Hurricane Sandy went through. Her house only had a tarp over it. She lived there with her 4 children.

On the last day of the women's banquet after the Body of Christ talk, all the women stood and made a large circle holding hands and singing to the glory of God. We are definitely one body.

The guest testimonies on the last day were the same as any Closing. Telling what the Great Banquet meant to them. Also, their excitement of going out to the community and telling others what they had experienced. We were so blessed.

Please keep the Jamaica Great Banquet Community in your prayers. They hope to have Jamaica Great Banquets #3 and #4 in August.

Thank you all for your many prayers, agape and support.

*De Colores,
Jim and Ruth Hendrix*

Greetings Great Banquet Brothers and Sisters!

I hope you have had a blessed summer vacation and are now looking forward to another Fall Great Banquet season. Church teams will start meeting very soon, with Ken Hendrix and Sonja Richey leading the Great Banquet Teams #159 and #160, respectively. Both lay directors are excited about their teams and how God is going to use them to minister to the guests who attend their Weekends. A new jail Weekend will start this fall as Steve Gilliam will be the Lay Director for Men's Muhlenberg County Jail #5. This Fall Men's Jail Weekend will complement the Women's Muhlenberg County Jail Weekend which has been taking place in the spring for the last few years. Women's Hopkins County Jail #18 and Men's Vienna #44 Weekends will also take place this fall with Amy Bell leading the women's team and Matt Pratt in charge of the troops at Vienna. The Women's Western Kentucky Correctional Complex Great Banquet #11 will be led by Jayne White and her husband Robert who will set the example for the husbands and wives who serve at tables together. Please keep these lay directors and their teams in your prayers, as they need all the support they can get in battling that feisty and slick enemy of ours. Pray for the church team guests by name – they will be listed as confirmed guests on the website. And pray for each group of incarcerated guests. You might not know their names, but God does, and He will listen. Amen?

I would also like to mention that three men from our Great Banquet community served on Jamaica Men's Great Banquet #3 team this August. Jim Hendrix and Pastors Roy Ellis and Robert White served as spiritual directors for the Weekend. The men and women guests in Jamaica are very hungry for the Word of God, so please continue to keep that new Great Banquet community in your prayers.

I want to thank each man and woman who faithfully serves during the Great Banquet weekends, whether it is by serving on teams, helping in the kitchen, through acts of agape, bed setup/takedown, etc. What God told Jeremiah is true for you: "Before I made you in your mother's womb, I chose you. Before you were born, I set you apart for a special work" (Jeremiah 1:5a). This special work refers to you – God says every member of his family is to minister. If you are a Christian, you are a minister, and when you're serving, you're ministering. Have you ever wondered why God doesn't just immediately take us to Heaven the moment we accept His grace? Instead, He leaves us here in this fallen world to fulfill His purposes. Once you are saved, God intends to use you for his goals. God has a ministry for you in his Church and a mission for you in the world, and the Great Banquet community is blessed by it. Praise God!

De Colores!

*Terry Cates
Community Lay Director*

Check the Madisonville Great Banquet website (www.greatbanquet.com) to see the list of guests who have confirmed. The list is updated weekly to show the latest confirmations

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

PRAYER

Prayer is a key part of the success of each Banquet. Please keep the team and guests in your prayers during each of the Great Banquet weekends. Attend the events throughout each weekend and signup on the 72 hour prayer charts.

PROPERTY

If you can help with bed setup and takedown please contact **Kelly Crowley 884-3365**. Make this a sacrificial offering for guests and team! Bed setup is at 6:00 pm on Wednesday prior to each weekend. Bed takedown is at 7:00 am on Sunday morning of each weekend.

CLEAN UP

Clean-up will take place on Sunday afternoons of each weekend beginning at 2:00 pm on Sunday; with many hands this should go very quickly. Call **Brianna Sutton**.

BUS DRIVERS

We are okay for the time being, but if you have a CDL license and desire to drive the bus for one of the weekends give **Dawn** a call at the **First Presbyterian Church 821-6420 or 821-6426**.

SNACKS AND SERVERS

If you can bring a snack or help serve a meal at the Banquet, please **contact Betty Hendrix (snacks) 824-9749 or Sherry Harvey (servers) 841-8385**. Please remember your amazing weekend. Providing snacks and helping to serve are important areas of help. Snacks on Friday are especially needed.

AGAPE

Remember what an important impact the banners had on you when you attended? Make **BANNERS** for the upcoming Great Banquets. Banners made for previous weekends here in Madisonville have been mailed to other communities, so make new ones! Reunion groups, if you are looking for something special to do make a banner as a group for the upcoming weekends. The Agape Party is held before the weekends of each Banquet season. Call **Teresa Lee 977-2148** if you are interested in helping to make agape for the upcoming Banquets.

FREE BOOK TABLE

One of the many blessings at the Great Banquet is the opportunity to sow God's word into the lives of our guests by offering free Christian literature and media. If you have Bibles, Christian books, CDs, DVDs, or devotions you would like to donate please take them to First Presbyterian Church or call **Dave Hendrix 821-1709**.

<p>SERVERS Call Sherry Harvey 841-8385 to sign up to serve a meal. Leave your name and number and she'll get back to you. It is very important that you are prepared to spend 2 to 2 ½ hours serving, cleaning up, and setting up for the next meal.</p>	<p>SPONSOR'S HOUR Sponsor's hour for each Great Banquet is held on Thursday before each Banquet (except the jail/prison weekends), at 7:30 pm. Everyone is encouraged to stay through the entire Sponsor's Hour to lend strength and prayers to God's people.</p>	<p>72 HOUR PRAYER VIGIL & PRAYERS FOR SPEAKERS CHART Please be sure to sign-up to pray for the guests and team members during the Banquets. "The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man avails much." James 5:16</p>
<p>CANDLELIGHT Your presence at Candlelight adds to the Body of Christ and the impact the Lord has on His people as He uses our worship, prayers and sacrifices for the guests and team. Candlelight will be held at the First United Methodist Church at 8:30 pm on the Saturday during each Banquet.</p>		<p>CLOSINGS Closings will be held at the First Presbyterian Church at 5:00 PM on the Sunday of each Banquet.</p>
<p>SNACKS & SALADS Snacks and salads are needed for both weekends. Call Betty Hendrix 824-9749 to sign up to bring them. If she is not home, please leave a message.</p>	<p>AGAPE LETTERS Individual and group agape letters are always needed. Please mark family letters with an "F" on the envelope. Be sure your guest's name appears on the outside of the envelope. (PLEASE NOTE: Gifts are better given before or after the Great Banquet. Please do not bring gifts to the Great Banquet for your guest.) Call Cindy Bell 584-3097 for more information about Great Banquet agape.</p>	
<p>HELP AGAPE TEAM MEMBERS ON THE WEEKEND An "Agape" chart is available for you to sign-up and assist the agape team members on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday of each weekend. Go to the Great Banquet website for the name of the agape person to contact for each weekend. www.greatbanquet.com</p>		<p>AGAPE PARTY Help make agape for the weekends! Contact Teresa Lee 977-2148 for the time and date of our next Agape Party at the First Presbyterian Church.</p>

2013 Great Banquet Board Members

Diana Anderson-	Clergy
Cindy Bell-	Agape
Sherri Buchanan-	Kitchen Coordinator, Secretary
Terry Cates-	Community Lay Director
Dennis Coombs-	Community Spiritual Director
Terri Dozer-	
David Hendrix-	Book Table
Lon Lorton-	First Presbyterian Church Liaison
Barry McGaw-	Director of Jail and Prison Ministries
Patsy Sutton-	Agape Letters to the Communities
Kelly Crowley-	4 th Day Meetings
Tod Hill-	
Marilyn Locke-	Music
Jim McMurtrie-	Clergy
Barry Vaughn-	

Volunteers

Eric Anderson (Greenville)-	Sponsors' Hour
Andy Bell-	Bus
Matt Bell-	Website
Sherry Harvey-	Servers
Betty Hendrix-	Snacks
Teresa Lee-	Agape Party
Penny Pleasant-	Registration
Brianna Sutton-	Clean-up/Facility Restoration
Amy Menser-	Candlelight
Eric Brown-	Bed Setup/Takedown
Michele Hill-	Newsletter/Email Database

Talks and Times

Friday:

Pray in:	Talk time:	Title of Talk
9:00 a.m.	9:15 a.m.	Discovering Priorities
10:45 a.m.	11:15 a.m.	God's Gift of Grace
1:15 p.m.	1:45 p.m.	Ministry of All Believers
2:30 p.m.	3:00 p.m.	Our Response to Grace
6:00 p.m.	6:30 p.m.	Way of Relationship

Saturday:

Pray in:	Talk time:	Title of Talk
7:45 a.m.	8:15 a.m.	Truth Through Study
9:15 a.m.	10:00 a.m.	Sacramental Grace
2:30 p.m.	3:00 p.m.	Life of Christian Action
4:00 p.m.	4:30 p.m.	Obstacles of Grace
7:00 p.m.	7:30 p.m.	Disciples

Sunday:

Pray in:	Talk time:	Title of Talk
8:20 a.m.	8:50 p.m.	Life of Grace
9:30 a.m.	10:00 a.m.	Changing our Environment
10:30 a.m.	11:00 a.m.	Body of Christ
12:45 p.m.	1:00 p.m.	Staying Power
1:45 p.m.	2:00 p.m.	Establishing Priorities

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Meal Times for Serving

***If you signed up to serve a meal and cannot make it please call Sherry Harvey 841-8385 as soon as possible.**

WHEN SERVING ANY OF THE MEALS: Plan to arrive on time, help serve, clean up and setup for next meal. When you arrive wash your hands, grab an apron, ask the kitchen crew where you can be of help, and let the joy of the Lord shine in and on you as you become the hands and feet of Christ!

Be at the church by:

Friday morning breakfast- 7:00 a.m.

Friday lunch- 12:00 p.m.

Friday supper- 5:00 p.m.

Saturday morning- 7:00 a.m.

Saturday lunch- 12:00 p.m.

Saturday supper- 5:00 p.m.

Sunday morning- 7:30 a.m.

Sunday lunch- 11:30 a.m.

Great Banquet Weekends

**Men's #159
October 24-27**

**Women's #160
November 7-10**

Lay Director

Kenny Hendrix

Sonja Richey

Head Spiritual Director

Dennis Coombs

Ben Holloway

Assistant Lay Director

Chris Dennis

Tanya Bowman

Assistant Lay Director

Lee Harvey

Kim Higgs

Talk #1 Discovering Priorities

Chris Dennis

Tanya Bowman

Talk #2 God's Gift of Grace

Eric Nelson

Diana Anderson

Talk #3 Ministry of All Believers

Tommy Prather

Babby Jackson

Talk #4 Our Response to Grace

Eddie Fleming

Dale Davis

Talk #5 Way of Relationship

Perry Cheek

Lisa Ladd

Talk #6 Truth Through Study

Cameron Mitchell

Susan Mitchell

Talk #7 Sacramental Grace

Dennis Coombs

Ben Holloway

Talk #8 Life of Christian Action

Brad Egbert

Rosi Lovell

Talk #9 Obstacles to Grace

Scott Heltsley

Shane Browning

Talk #10 Disciples

Eric Brown

Sabrina Coomes

Talk #11 A Life of Grace

Dennis Mosby

Denise Spence

Talk #12 Changing Our Environment

Andy Bell

Jennifer Daves

Talk #13 Body of Christ

Alvin Russ

Nancye Ramsey

Talk #14 Staying Power

Kenny Hendrix

Sonja Richey

Talk #15 Establishing Priorities

Jim Hendrix

Kathy McClellan

Table Leader

Adam Jones

Lynette Lewis

Table Leader

Jason Ball

Diann Shamsabadi

Table Leader

Terry Nofsinger

Lynn Ann Rodgers

Table Leader

David Weir

Angel Killough

Table Leader

Jason Lewis

Suzanne Duncan

Table Leader

BJ Cotton

Christy Caudill

Music

Brian Higgs

Toni Martin

Head Kitchen

David Hendrix

Stephanie Wallace

Kitchen

Leriegus Davis

Rita Durst

Kitchen

Dan Wallace

Amy King

Agape

Scott Qualls

J'Nora Anderson

Agape

Cary Mathis

Gigi Haas

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Agape Ideas



Quick, easy, and inexpensive agape ideas . . . from The Upper Room Discussion Group . . .

- Rainbow mechanical pencils: Write this down: "Jesus Loves You!" or "Jesus has signed your heart with his blood."
- Mending kits: "God fixes everything."
- Jigsaw Pieces: Jigsaw puzzle pieces either hot glued to a pin back or a card (You can put a piece of magnet strip on the back of the card for a fridge magnet.): "God put it all together for you." Or "Puzzled? Talk to God." Or "Don't let Jesus be your missing piece!" or "If life is a puzzle, turn to the Lord." Or "Now I know in part, then I shall know fully. 1 Corinthians 13:12."
- Notepad: Little notebooks or note pads. "Write this down: Jesus Loves You!" He has written your name in the Lambs book of life. Rev 13:8
- Small calendars: (wallet size are good): "I am with you always. Jesus"
- Seed packages: "Grow in Christ."
- Life Savers: "Jesus is the real life saver!" John 3:16
- Small rulers: "Measure your life in Christ." Or "Jesus Rules!"
- Emory Board: Emory board or small piece of sand paper on a card: "Jesus can smooth away all our rough edges!"
- Nail: Nail on a card. "Need an eternal fix? Try John 3:16."
- Butterfly anything: "God changes things." Eph 4:23
- Diaper pin: "God can change even the worst of things."
- Maps or compasses: "Jesus is the way" or "Lost? Talk to God" or "Need directions? Talk to the Father." Or "Lost? Follow the Son." Rom 10:10
- Magnifying glass: "See everything clearly with Christ" or "Let your faith be magnified." Or "If they dusted your Bible for fingerprints, would they find any fresh ones? Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path. Psalm 119:105."
- Small bars of soap: "God can make all things clean."
- Emergency rain ponchos: "When life gives you rain, God gives you rainbows!"
- Yo-yos: "God will be there though all your ups and downs."
- Rock: Write "Jesus is the rock" and draw a cross on the rock.
- Duct tape and nail: Put a small piece of duct tape on a card. Then put a nail through the card as if you were pinning something to it. On card write: "Men fix everything with duct tape. God used his son."
- Penny: Penny hot glued to a card. "Jesus just makes 'cents!"

Runts:	Runts candies in a small bag. "The fruits of the spirit are."
Paper clip chain:	Paper clip chain made of brightly colored paper clips or several brightly colored paper clips hanging on an earring hoop: "Genesis 9:13"
Heart:	Foam heart glued to a card: "Give your heart to Jesus." Or any heart verse.
Candy conversation hearts:	"These go in your tummy. Put Jesus in your heart."
Bears:	Teddy bear stickers or very small (1/2 inch) teddy bears or gummy bears. "God's love bears all."
Erasers:	"Jesus erased all your sins."
Key chain:	"Let Jesus be the key to your life" or "Put God in the driver's seat."
Shoe horns:	"For a perfect fit every time, try Jesus."
Earplugs:	"For all those times when noise is not so joyful."
Atomic fireballs:	"Get fired up for Christ!"
Smiley face anything:	"Smile. God loves you."
Kites:	Small plastic or balsa wood planes or miniature kites: "Fly high with Christ."
Band aid on card:	"Christ heals all."
Pots:	Small jars or pots made from Play Dough and hardened. "Put yourself in the potter's hands."
Golf tees taped to a card:	"Jesus will always fit your needs to a tee!"
Airhead candy:	"Don't be an airhead! Listen to Jesus!"
Kool Aid packages:	"Let Jesus be the cool aid in your life."
Hershey kiss(es):	Hershey kiss(es) on a card: "A good night kiss for you. Sleep in peace as God watches over you" or "An honest answer is like a kiss on the lips." Proverbs 24:26 or with 2 kisses "Angel kisses."
Mint:	A mint taped to a card: "Jesus is 'mint' for you."
Sponge:	Small piece of sponge attached to a card: "Soak up God's love."
Chewy Candy:	Gum, caramel, starburst candy, tootsie roll or other chewy candy: "Choose Jesus" or "Choose this day whom you will serve." Joshua 2:4-15
Now and Later candy:	"Jesus Now and Later."
Q-tip:	Q-tip taped to a card: "Open our ears, Lord. We want to hear Jesus."
Small plastic frogs:	"FROG: Fully relying on God."
Gold Fish crackers:	"Come follow me and I will make you fishers of men." Matthew 4:19
Small back scratchers:	"God always has a hand for you!"
Skittles candies:	"Taste the rainbow of God's love."
Equal package:	"Nothing equals Jesus!"
Picture of a cell phone:	Photocopy picture on paper and color with bright colors: "Call on God. Unlimited free anytime access."
Small packages of tissues:	"God will take your tears and make an ocean."
Gold wrapped chocolate coins:	"His love is more precious than gold."
Corks or fishing bobbers:	God's love is unsinkable.
Small match box-size cars:	"Put God in the driver's seat."
Honey:	Bit of Honey or fast food size honey package: Psalm 19:10
Cream Savers:	You are the cream of the crop. Let Jesus be your Life Savior.
Small pocket size mirrors:	"Let Christ be reflected in you."
Letter openers:	"God opens up a whole new world of possibilities."
Toy watches:	"God has all the time in the world for you." Or "Ecclesiastes 3:1"

Birds:	Small plastic or feather birds (floral section of craft store): "Matthew 10:31"
Toy paratroopers (party favors):	"Let Jesus be your parachute."
Individually wrapped hand wipes:	"Jesus makes all things clean."
Rubber Ducks:	"Life with Christ is just ducky!"
Mini-frisbees or spinning tops:	"I may not always know where I'm going, but the one I'm following does. 'The Lord will guide you always.' Isaiah 58:11"
Whistle:	"Whistle while you work Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for men. Colossians 3:23."
Milky Way candy bars:	"He had a universe to choose from, but God chose you."
Baseball trinkets:	"No outs. All safe with Christ" or "Hit a home run with Christ."
Mustard seed:	Mustard seed glued to a piece of cardstock: "A little faith goes a long way. Matthew 17:20.
Snickers	Tape or glue a "fun-size" Snickers bar to a note card and put the words, "Hungry for God, Why Wait..."
Thumbdys	Place your thumb onto an inkpad and place on a note card. Draw each thumbprint as a person - be creative! Write "Thumbody Loves You!"
Stick with God	Tape or hot glue a small stick to a note card and write "Stick With God"
Dryer Sheets	Staple a dryer sheet to a note card and write "Cling To Jesus!"
Kleenex	On a travel-size package of Kleenex, write Rev. 21:4 - "God shall wipe every tear from their eyes."
Noisemakers	Attach this message to a noisemaker: Psalm 100:1 - "Make a joyful noise..."
Bag of nuts	On a bag of nuts, write: "Jesus is nuts about you!"
UNO	Write: "DO UNO JESUS?"
Sponge	On a piece of sponge, attach the message: "You made the journey, soak it all in!"
Belly Button Cleaner	On a piece of matchstick, glue a piece of pipe cleaner, rounded. Attach the message: "Just when you think you had everything, a belly button cleaner!" and the verse 2 Cor. 7:1 - "Let us cleanse ourselves from all filthiness of the flesh and spirit, perfecting holiness in the fear of God."
Pixie Sticks	Attach a Pixie Stick (sugar stick) to a note card and write: "God 'picks' you as His beloved."
Candy Cane	Attach a candy cane to a note card and write "By the stripes, we are healed."
Birthday Candles	Attach a birthday candle to a note card and write "Let your light shine..." - Matthew 5:11
Play Doh	On a small Play Doh container, write Isaiah 64:8 - "We are the clay, you are the potter; we are all the work of your hand."
Prayer Rock	Wrap a small rock in cloth and tie shut. Attach a sheet that says "Jesus 'spoke to them in parables to show that they should keep on praying and never lose heart.'" - Luke 18:1
Stir it up	Attach a plastic spoon to the message "...let us consider how to stir up one another to love and to good work." Hebrews 10:24
Band-Aid	Attach a Band-Aid to a note cards that says "God Heals all Wounds."
Pencil	Attach a pencil to a note card that reads "Bind them upon thy fingers, write them upon the table of thine heart." Proverbs 7:3 or "You're all 'write' with God!"

Gummy Worms	Throw some gummy worms into a bag and attach the message "Come follow me, Jesus said, and I will make you fishers of men." or "Let Jesus work His way into your heart."
Washers	Attach a metal washer to a note card and write "Jesus will wash away your sins."
Paper Umbrella	Attach a paper umbrella to a note card and write "His love shelters us from the storm."
Rubber Band	On a rubber band, attach the message "Band together for Christ's Sake."
Hawaiian Lei	Attach the message "Jesus Leid down His life for you" to a Lei.
Missing Piece	Attach a puzzle piece to a note card with the message "Jesus is the missing piece."
Paint Brush	Attach the message "Let Jesus be the artist of your soak" to a small paint brush.
Marble-ous	On a notepad, attach a marble and the message "Jesus is Marble-ous!" "Sing to the LORD a new song, for he has done marvelous things; his right hand and his holy arm have worked salvation for him." Psalms 98:1
Sugar	Attach a packet of sugar to a note card with the message "Tis so sweet to trust in Jesus!"
Warheads	Attach a sour candy or Warhead to a note card with the message "Don't let your love for the Lord grow sour."
Compass	Attach small gift card to compass that says: "God's direction is always true!"
Sunflower Seeds	Attach card to bag of seeds that says: "You are a seed sown by God. Grow and bloom where you are planted"
Door Hangers	Print on computer "Resting in the Lord" Do Not Disturb and Walk# our group name
Almond Joy	Put on label or attach small gift tag that says: "The JOY of the Lord is your strength." Nehemiah 8:10