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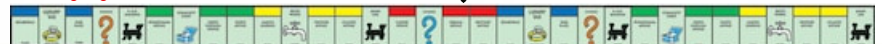


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For behold, the winter is past; the rain is over and gone. The flowers appear on the earth, the time of singing has come, and the voice of the turtle dove is heard in our land. Song of Solomon 2:11-12

Village Leadership Team

Executive Director/Administrator: Angela Adam, MHA, LNHA
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Decorate Valentine Cookies & String Art



Flannel Rag Hoops

Ground Hogs Day Treats



Pine Gnomes



National Wear Red Day



Looking for Quilter(s)

To make flannel quilt(s) out of the flannel fabric activities used for the scarves used from the 'Putting the AX to Covid' photo booth. Future plans will be to raffle or auction the quilt(s). Proceeds will go towards the Newton Village fundraising account.

Please call Michele Activity Director 641-787-6015



Luke 23: ⁴² Then he (the criminal) said to Jesus, "Lord, remember me when You come into Your kingdom." ⁴³ And Jesus said to him, "Assuredly, I say to you, today you will be with Me in Paradise." On the Sundays of Lent, I like to remember Jesus' words from the cross. They help keep my focus on Him and stun me by who He is. They remind me why I desperately need this Jesus every day.

The focus of Luke's account is various people's perspective of Jesus' ability to save Himself from death. The religious rulers and the executioners vented their jeers toward Him. Both criminals who were crucified with Jesus mocked Him. All ridiculed Him to display His authority by saving Himself from death on that cross.

But Jesus was under His Father's authority, not theirs. Their taunts meant nothing to Him as He fulfilled the Father's will. Long before the crucifixion He said that "No one takes it (my life) from Me, but I lay it down of Myself. I have power to lay it down, and I have power to take it again. This command I have received from My Father" (John 10:18). The triune Godhead designed and finished redemption's plan together. But while Jesus's scorners acted superior to Him, He actually demonstrated His superiority. Not by saving Himself, but by saving another soul from eternal death.

At some point, God opened the eyes of one of the criminals to recognize Jesus not only as a good man but as an authority with a kingdom not of this world. That criminal confessed his faith in Jesus. Without hesitation, Jesus responded with the assurance of his acceptance and identity with this man who had rejected Him all his life until that moment. Jesus's plan was never to save Himself, but to save that man.

Nearly 1,950 years later, another criminal called out to Jesus by faith alone in Him alone to save him. And Jesus, by His grace alone, accepted and identified with him also. I am humbled that His plan was never to save Himself, but to save me. How about you?

