Building Cleanup/Work Day
Next Saturday – 9:00 a.m.
Please join us!

Mother's Day

- President Woodrow Wilson signed a bill in **1914** designating the second Sunday in May as a national holiday in the United States
- Over 80 countries observe Mother's Day on the second Sunday of May, including Canada, Australia, Germany, China, and Italy.

God has long celebrated Mother's

Proverbs

31:10

31:11-30

"a virtuous wife"… Mother

A Woman of Virtue

- Matthew 15:21-28
- Mark 7:24-30
- Her faith in Jesus shows her virtue

A Woman of Virtue

- Jesus was well into his personal ministry
- She ***heard*** about Him - Mark 7:25
- She is seemingly aware of Messianic Prophesy - Matthew 15:22, even though not of Israel
- She ***believes*** that He was the One

A Woman of Virtue

- She came to Jesus *confessed* Him as **"Lord"** - Matthew 15:22
- Not deterred by being ignored – Matthew 15:23
  - She Kept asking - Mark 7:26
- Not deterred by Disciples - "Send her away" Matthew 15:23
  - Jesus' answer - 15:23-26, Mark 7:27
- Not deterred by "Reason" - Matthew 15:26

A Woman of Virtue

- We see in the actions of this woman the virtue spoken of by Solomon in Proverbs 31
- Her great faith in Jesus exemplifies her virtue - Matthew 15:28
  - “O Woman, great is your faith!”

What must I do to be saved? *Acts 16:30*

- **Believe in Jesus –**
  John 8:24/3:16
- **Repent of Sins –**
  Luke 13:3-5; Acts 2:38/7:30-31
- **Confess your Faith in Jesus –**
  Matthew 10:32-33; Romans 10:9
- **Baptism for the Remission Of Sins –**
  Mark 16:16; Acts 2:38/22:16
- **Live Faithfully for the Remainder of Life –**
  Revelation 2:10; James 2:10
- **Remember Matthew 7:21-23** *(not everyone, but…)*