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Prelude

Call to Worship

Worship through Singing

*My Savior, My God
 Our God Reigns
 (#11) A Mighty Fortress
 (#304) Like a River Glorious*

Family Time

Prayer

Worship through Giving

Father's Day Presentation

Worship through Singing

The Family of God

Message from God's Word

Closing Song

Draw Me Close

Closing Prayer

Postlude

Activities this week

Today 10:00 am Father's Day Snack & Yack
 Wednesday 6:00 pm Work night—building the igloo
 Saturday 9:00 am GCW meet at Birr's for breakfast and prayer

Announcements

Pray for: Our fathers

New tracts available on the foyer table —*Father's Love Letter* (an intimate message from God to you) and *The Evidence of God*—a former atheist makes the scientific case for a creator (by Lee Strobel).

Future VBS float-building (for parade) and decoration-making dates:

- ◆ Wednesday, June 21 at 6:00 pm WORK ON IGLOO FOR THE FLOAT
- ◆ Saturday July 1 at 9:00 am FINISH THE FLOAT FOR THE PARADE
- ◆ Wednesday, July 12 at 6:00 pm MAKE VBS DECORATIONS
- ◆ Saturday, July 22 at 9:00 am MAKE VBS DECORATIONS
- ◆ Tuesday, July 25 (come anytime between 2:00-7:00 pm to help) DECORATE THE CHURCH FOR VBS **(Note change in date)**

Great Commission Women Opportunities:

- June 24th, Saturday—Breakfast and Prayer on the patio! Meet at Birr's at 9:00 am. (If you want to bring something for breakfast, let Jean know.) **Please let Jean know today if you are coming.**
- July 15th, Saturday, at 8:30 am —Meet at Blue Door Coffee Company—coffee, breakfast and fellowship together

Operation Christmas Child is coming in November. The Governing Board talked about how this could be a months-long or year-round project. If interested in seeing what this might look like and leading this project, contact pastor.

The Belgium Alliance Church is going through a transition and will be renovating their building. A demolition day is this Saturday. If interested in helping, contact Pastor. They will serve a lunch.

Operation Arctic Tidbits

- ◆ **What time is it? It may be hard to tell at the top of the world because all the earth's time zones meet at the North Pole.**
- ◆ **Did you know the Bible is the best-selling book of all time? In fact, about 50 Bibles are sold every minute!**



Ushers for today: Tom Kiser, Reuel Loritz, Zac Loritz
 Ushers for next week: Brian Schmidt, Leroy Schultz, Ron Straub
 Sound System today: Micah Fellwock
 Sound System for next week: Rebecca Gallup
 Church Cleaning this week: Week off

Positive Character Qualities of a Father

Let me give you several positive character qualities of a father. Notice how these qualities, if they existed in your father, have positively influenced your perception of God.

If your father was patient, you are more likely to see God as patient and available for you. You feel that you are worth God's time and concern. You feel important to God and that He is personally involved in every aspect of your life.

If your father was kind, you probably see God acting kindly and graciously on your behalf. You feel that you are worth God's help and intervention. You feel God's love for you deeply and you're convinced that He wants to relate to you personally.

If your father was a giving man, you may perceive God as someone who gives to you and supports you. You feel that you are worth God's support and encouragement. You believe that God will give you what is best for you, and you respond by giving of yourself to others.

If your father accepted you, you tend to see God accepting you regardless of what you do. God doesn't dump on you or reject you when you struggle, but understands and encourages you. You are able to accept yourself even when you blow it or don't perform up to your potential.

If your father protected you, you probably perceive God as your protector in life. You feel that you are worthy of being under His care and you rest in His security.

—*Always Daddy's Girl* by H. Norman Wright, pp. 193-195

What are Fathers Made Of?

A father is a thing that is forced to endure childbirth without an anesthetic.

A father is a thing that growls when it feels good—and laughs very loud when it's scared half to death.

A father never feels entirely worthy of the worship in a child's eyes. He's never quite the hero his daughter thinks, never quite the man his son believes him to be—and this worries him, sometimes. So he works too hard to try and smooth the rough places in the road for those of his own who will follow him.

A father is a thing that gets very angry when the first school grades aren't as good as he thinks they should be. He scolds his son though he knows it's the teacher's fault.

Fathers are what give daughters away to other men who aren't nearly good enough so they can have grandchildren who are smarter than anybody's.

—*Paul Harvey*

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