



# community CHAT

**Sunday, April 29, 2012**

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**UMW Cookbook Sales** - Sunday, May 6, 9:00 am until noon at the south foyer table. This wonderful cookbook not only comprises over 600 delicious recipes from some of the best cooks in town, it also serves as a pictorial journey through some of our best times as a church family! Stop by the south foyer table to pick up several copies for family and friends. They make GREAT gifts for Mother's Day, weddings and birthdays! Cost is \$20. Cookbooks are also available every Sunday at the Gazebo.

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We will be hosting Bobbie who will teach us **how to use Bible Storytelling to more effectively share the Gospel** with family, friends, and on mission. Storying is a wonderful way of sharing scripture in such a way that crosses cultural barriers. The process of storying gives the storyteller the privilege of hearing the heart of others. It is a jump start to building relationships! Bobbie is a wonderful teacher and will make it a fun day. Join us May 19 from 9 am to 3 pm with lunch provided. Cost is \$10. Contact Missy Sistrunk for reservations, 918-392-1163 or [msistrunk@asburytulsa.org](mailto:msistrunk@asburytulsa.org).

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Sign up for **SummerSong** will be May 6 and 13 in the Music Ministry Office from 8:30 to 12:30. Cost is \$25 for the week. SummerSong dates are June 11-15 from 10 to 2 PM with the concluding program on Friday night, June 15 at 7 PM in the sanctuary.

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**GriefShare** is a weekly support group for people who are grieving the loss of a loved one. The group offers a comfortable environment where the emotions and process of grief are understood and welcomed. Participants will learn practical strategies for grief recovery through the highly acclaimed GriefShare video series, study guide and group discussion. Individuals may begin attending this group at any time. Register online or call 918-392-1191.

**Global Gardens is excited about their second annual student-led Bike for a Life** on May 5, led by the Global Gardens middle school students. The ride is 10-miles starting at Hicks Park and ending at the Garden House at Asbury Corner. Riders stop mid-route for a short program at the Martin Regional Library. The students are looking for riders, sponsors and volunteers! To learn more and register for the event visit [www.global-gardens.org/bikeforalife](http://www.global-gardens.org/bikeforalife).

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**Men's Ministry - Car Care Workday.** Saturday, May 12. Single women and widows of Asbury, while you wait in the comfort of the Family Room café, volunteers from the Men's Ministry will check your tires, belts, fluids, filters and batteries. They will also vacuum and wash your vehicle, and then update you on what is running smoothly and what needs professional attention. This free service gives our men the opportunity to put their faith and skills into action by serving others. If your vehicle needs a basic maintenance check-up and you qualify, have your vehicle in line by 11:30 am! No reservations necessary. Questions? Contact Mike Nalley at [mnalley16@cox.net](mailto:mnalley16@cox.net). Workdays are every other month, 5 times a year.

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**UMW May Unit Luncheon,** Thursday, May 3, 11:30 am - 1:00 pm, CLC. "One Nation Under God" is the theme for this year's National Day of Prayer which falls on May 3rd. This annual observance was decreed by the U.S. Congress in 1952. At a time when the right to pray is being attacked regularly, our own Rev. Jim Lenderman will share practical and powerful ways that prayer can impact our lives. \$7.00 for lunch. No reservations necessary. Scripture: James 5:16.

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Join us Tuesday, May 8 at 6 pm in the Family Room for the next **Global Outreach dinner**. Hear reports on Myanmar and focus area updates. Cost: \$7. Contact Missy Sistrunk by May 3 for reservations, 918.392.1163 or [msistrunk@asburytulsa.org](mailto:msistrunk@asburytulsa.org).