

# DECIDE TO RISE



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FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### FEBRUARY 23RD

Small Group via Zoom  
Chapter 10 of Psalms Study  
8:15pm - 9:30pm

### FEBRUARY 26TH - MNO!

Beauty Bar in Carmel  
6:30pm  
RSVP to Whitney (574.596.2511)

### MARCH 10TH

MOPS Monthly meeting  
Speaker: TBD  
7:30pm

## SPEAKER: MOPS STEERING!

This month some of the MOPS steering moms will be sharing activities to do with your kiddos!

Lauren - Kid's Valentine's craft and snack

Whitnie - Sensory Bin ideas

Jessica - Scavenger hunt

Dawn - Gardening activity

Julia - Caterpillar / Butterfly

More information on pg. 3!

## MOPS CARES!

Our group is here to support YOU! If you are expecting a new addition, or dealing with an illness or medical issue in your family, please let us help you! We'd love to be able to help with meals, prayers, or support in any way we can!



## IN OUR PRAYERS:

- For each of us & our families to stay healthy in 2021!
- That Spring and warm weather come soon!

## SERVICE UPDATE:

**We have collected 36 pairs of under ware and 51 pairs of socks for Wishing Wings! They are in need of new underwear and socks, starting with kids size 5, up through adult sizes (for teens). Keep the donations coming please! You may drop them off to Julia at 758 Bloor Woods Ct.**

## STEERING:

Want to be more involved with our MOPS group? We need new Steering Team members for 2021-2022 year! Intersted? Please email Julia at:

julia\_goldberg10@hotmail.com

## MENTOR MOM MOMENT:

GRATEFUL? "So, my very dear friends, don't get thrown off course. Every desirable and beneficial gift comes out of heaven. The gifts are rivers of light cascading down from the Father of Light. There is nothing deceitful in God, nothing two-faced, nothing fickle. He brought us to life using the true Word, showing us off as the crown of all his creatures." James 1:16-18 MSG

Are you sad about the cold weather? kids couped up? searching for purpose? dwelling on something that didn't go your way? Start with a heart of gratitude and look for the little ways God is showing you that you are the CROWN OF ALL HIS CREATURES! It could be a green traffic light, a good parking space, a phone call from a friend, kids having good friends are getting a good grade, a quiet night with family, to the successes in your career and home life. Start there and see how God grows your gratitude and happiness for life and your future.

Can't wait to make the "gratitude jars" in our MOPS meeting and see how fast they fill up! Blessings and hugs, Susan

## MEETING NOTES:

## YOUR TEAM

<b>Coordinator</b>	Julia Goldberg
<b>Hospitality</b>	Katelynn Brack
<b>Care</b>	Lauren Siegel
<b>Publicity</b>	Dawn Lantz
<b>MNO</b>	Whitnie Bauer
<b>Crafts</b>	Jessica Gray
<b>Finance</b>	Tosha Hahn
<b>Small Group</b>	Nicky Keith
<b>Mentor MOM</b>	Susan Williams



# MOPS MOMS ACTIVITIES

## LAUREN:

Valentine's craft and snack

<https://www.happygoluckyblog.com/valentines-smores-snack-mix/>

## WHITNIE:

Sensory bin

Basic supplies to have on hand:

<https://busytoddler.com/2016/04/sensory-bin-basics>

## DAWN:

Gardening Activity

<https://www.prekinders.com/sprouting-seed-bag-topper-printable/>

<https://resources.finalsite.net/images/v1592606316/eton/nvryw2gdztuczbthjmsr/Botany-Projects-3.pdf>

## JULIA:

Caterpillar / Butterfly

<https://www.insectlore.com/collections/butterflies-butterfly-kits-with-live-caterpillars/products/butterfly-farm-with-live-cup-of-caterpillars>

