

Meet your MOPS Steering Team



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We also need to thank the staff at New Hope for their help and generosity to make this MOPS program a success.

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This month we will be discussing the importance of giving our children responsibilities. Our speaker is Tina Cave. She is excited to share with us her experience in raising children.

“God is so good and has so much for when we are prepared and ready. I think it is our job to help our kids get that way so they will be ready for all of the great things God has for them, too.” Tina lives in Pendleton. She was born and raised in the area.

Although she has lived in a few other states before settling back there. She have 3 wonderful girls, age 17, 17 and 12. Her oldest is a senior and just enlisted in the army this week following graduation, her younger 17 year old is a junior and her 12 year old is in 6th grade at the middle school. They all play sports, participate in 4H, have played or play musical instruments. Her husband is a paramedic/fireman for Pendleton fire department and owns his own business as a mobile auto repair business.

They have a small acreage where they raise cows, chickens, pigs, occasionally sheep. They garden and sell produce & herbs at the local farmer's market and eggs to Alive & Well in Hermiston. Tina also works full time for an OB/GYN in Pendleton as an assistant and has been there for about 7 years except for a year that took off to home school her youngest daughter. They attend Calvary Chapel in Pendleton and she and her husband teach the youth group on Wednesday nights. When they get away they like to go to the coast or go fishing. They enjoy hunting and just spending time together as a family.



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Steering Team Search

We are in the process of putting together our steering team for next year. We have some women rotating off the team which leaves rooms for those of you who love MOPS and want to be a part of the planning of next year's agenda. If you are interested, please call or talk to Shannon Snyder at 289-2684

Limited Childcare Info:

If you are in a situation where you do not have childcare any given month we do have two paid workers that will be here to help. We only have a limited number of kids we can take each month, so if you know ahead of time you will need to bring your children call Melissa Handforth at: 567-2296. You must call each month to reserve your spot. There is charge for this service. The fee is \$3 per child. This can be paid at the MOPS registration table when you first enter the church. Thanks again for being so understanding.

Tonight's Meeting

- Registration
- Childcare drop-off
- Welcome, Prayer
- Dessert
- Announcements
- Ice Breaker
- Speaker: Tina Cave
- Discussion
- Craft
- Clean-up and Childcare Pick-up

Raffle Item :

*We would like to thank Jordawn Wambeke
From Discovery Toys
for donating our raffle item today.*



Expectations of Household Chores

Telling a child to "clean your room" can be too vague. To get the best results, be specific about what you want. Write down (or take pictures of) the steps involved in completing the chore and post them on the refrigerator.

Example: "Cleaning Your Room"

- Step 1. Put toys in toy box.
- Step 2. Put books on shelf.
- Step 3. Make your bed.
- Step 4. Put dirty clothes in hamper.

If you still don't get what you expect, you may need to be even more specific. Some children have difficulty following directions or steps in a series. Walk them through each step a few times until they get the hang of it.

Make sure you are flexible in your approach. For moms and dads who are lovers of the spick-and-span look, limit your expectations in this area as you teach your children to become responsible and helpful members of the family.

Written by Veola Vazquez on
Www.family.org.

Dessert Schedule

Please mark your calendars for the months your table needs to provide the dessert.

April: Palm Beach
May: Sunset Beach

Easter Egg Hunt

Join us here at New Hope Community church for their 4th annual community outreach Easter Egg Hunt.

Saturday, April 7th
starting at 10am.

- Food
- Popcorn
- Puppet shows
- Face painting
 - Crafts
 - Egg hunt
 - Games
- Petting zoo

Invite your friends!

Join us next month:
March 9th @ 7 pm
Our Topic is:
Reframing Perfection
Rebecca Riddle