

## **Tuesday, May 26<sup>th</sup> - Coping with Covid - Morning**

**Laugh it off:** When I told my son where milk comes from, he asked, “Mama, how do the cows sit on those little bottles?” -- Q. What do you call a snowman in July? A. A puddle. -- I once wanted to become an atheist, but I gave up ... they have no holidays.

**God’s Comfort: Prov 27:7-9** 7 One who is full loathes honey from the comb, but to the hungry even what is bitter tastes sweet. 8 Like a bird that flees its nest is anyone who flees from home. 9 Perfume and incense bring joy to the heart, and the pleasantness of a friend springs from their heartfelt advice. **Psalms 146:6-10** He is the Maker of heaven and earth, the sea, and everything in them— he remains faithful forever. 7 He upholds the cause of the oppressed and gives food to the hungry. The Lord sets prisoners free, 8 the Lord gives sight to the blind, the Lord lifts up those who are bowed down, the Lord loves the righteous. 9 The Lord watches over the foreigner and sustains the fatherless and the widow, but he frustrates the ways of the wicked. 10 The Lord reigns forever, your God, O Zion, for all generations. Praise the Lord.

**Pray Daily – God is easy to talk to:** Dear Jesus, Help me do my duty to God and put my faith and my trust in him. To Believe in him and know that he is with me each day. To put my trust in the Lord and to call upon him for help. To Honor and Love him with all my Heart and Soul. To increase my faith with all my strength so that I may worship him without question, in Spirit and Truth all the days of my life. Amen

**National Day Today (May 26):** National Blueberry Cheesecake Day, National Cherry Dessert Day, National Paper Airplane Day, World Lindy Hop Day.



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## Tuesday, May 26<sup>th</sup> - Coping with Covid - Noon

**Laugh it off:** Q: What do you call a snowman that can walk? A: Snow-mobile. -- Q: What do you call a kid who does not believe in Santa? A: A rebel without a Claus. -- Q: What do you call a bankrupt Santa? A: Saint Nickel-less.

**God's Comfort: Matthew 13:53-58** 53 When Jesus had finished these parables, he moved on from there. 54 Coming to his hometown, he began teaching the people in their synagogue, and they were amazed. "Where did this man get this wisdom and these miraculous powers?" they asked. 55 "Isn't this the carpenter's son? Isn't his mother's name Mary, and aren't his brothers James, Joseph, Simon, and Judas? 56 Aren't all his sisters with us? Where then did this man get all these things?" 57 And they took offense at him. But Jesus said to them, "A prophet is not without honor except in his own town and in his own home." 58 And he did not do many miracles there because of their lack of faith.

**Historical Perspective (May 26):** **1521** - Edict of Worms bans Martin Luther. **1647** - Massachusetts colony bans Catholic priests. **1864** - Montana Territory organized. **1868** - President Johnson impeachment acquittal. **1886** - Al Jolson born. **1907** - John Wayne born. **1908** - First oil strike in Middle East (Persia). **1920** - Peggy Lee born. **1923** - James Arness born - "Gunsmoke". **1937** - Lionel Hampton records "Flying Home." **1939** - Brent Musburger born - Sportscaster. **1940** - Dunkirk evacuation starts. **1948** - Civil Air Patrol (USAF Auxiliary) established. **1949** - Hank Williams, Jr. born. **1951** - Sally K. Ride born - Astronaut. **1959** - Wham-O trademarks "Frisbee." **1973** - Kathy Schmidt - U.S. lady's javelin record - 207' 10". **1998** - Supreme Court - Ellis Island is NJ, not NY. **1998** - Grand Princess - first cruise - largest, expensive cruise ship built.

**Writing for Fun:** Using 100 words write what happens next.



**Sample What's Next?** Katie stepped, swung her arm, and released the ball. Her stride was correct, and her motion was smooth. Her release point designed for low and inside, the Achilles heel of Sara Timilson, the star batter for their archrivals, The Stonecutters. It felt good. One of her best. She'd practiced all year for this opportunity to vanquish Sara after Sara's winning home run last year. The ball was low, and Katie saw it break inside. Perfect! This last strike for the last out of the last inning of the last game in the series, would clinch it for the Abbey Rug, her team for 3 three years. Sara swung.

**Your What's Next?**

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## Tuesday, May 26<sup>th</sup> - Coping with Covid - Supper

**Laugh it off:** Esther goes to the post office to buy 50 stamps for her Hanukkah cards. “What denomination?” asks the postal clerk. Esther thought and then said, “Give me six Orthodox, 12 Conservative, and 32 Reform.” -- I dressed my dog up as a cat for Halloween. Now he won't come when I call him. -- Halloween is the beginning of the holiday shopping season. That is ... for women. The beginning of the holiday shopping season for men is Christmas Eve.

**God’s Comfort: Genesis 4:6-12** 6 Then the Lord said to Cain, “Why are you angry? Why is your face downcast? 7 If you do what is right, will you not be accepted? But if you do not do what is right, sin is crouching at your door; it desires to have you, but you must rule over it.” 8 Now Cain said to his brother Abel, “Let’s go out to the field.” While they were in the field, Cain attacked his brother Abel and killed him. 9 Then the Lord said to Cain, “Where is your brother Abel?” “I don’t know,” he replied. “Am I my brother’s keeper?” 10 The Lord said, “What have you done? Listen! Your brother’s blood cries out to me from the ground. 11 Now you are under a curse and driven from the ground, which opened its mouth to receive your brother’s blood from your hand. 12 When you work the ground, it will no longer yield its crops for you. You will be a restless wanderer on the earth.”

### **Quotes/Other Wisdom:**

“Whoever is happy will make others happy too.” - Anne Frank

“The fact that I can plant a seed and it becomes a flower, share a bit of knowledge and it becomes another's, smile at someone and receive a smile in return, are to me continual spiritual exercises.” - Leo Buscaglia

### **Games: Renaissance Art Word**

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