In October we celebrated some birthdays. Our son-in-law, Kiel had one at the the beginning of October and our daughter, Lara, had one at the end of the month. They both turned 37. (How did my baby grow up so fast?)

The Tuesday night "Dub Dub Supper Club" went out to eat! We have gone out to eat a few times over the past few months and we had been going out on Thursday nights. Now with my holistic wellness coaching practice plus WW coaching, my week nights are full. This sweet group graciously agreed to go out on a Friday night so I could go along. They were so sweet to do that! Good food & great friends are an awesome combination. (I forgot to take a pic.)

This year our school district had an entire week off for fall break! It was a fabulous, laid back week. The grand boys and I took walks, had picnic lunches, and enjoyed spending time together.

And a month wouldn't be complete without some baseball!





HOLISTIC WELLNESS JOURNEY

To be the best version of yourself you need to take care of yourself first no matter how busy you get. Here are 30 self care ideas to do this month.



2. look for pretty colored leaves

3. decorate your home for fall

4. buy some candles

5. drink some hot chocolate



6. buy a festive mug

7. go to the pumpkin patch

8. color

9. make s'mores

10. watch a Thanksgiving movie

11. bake

12. doing a morning stretch

outside

13. have a movie marathon

14. make a fall playlist

15. do a puzzle

16.have a spa day

17.go on a hike

18.make candy apples

19.make a pumpkin dessert

20.go on a picnic

21.go camping

22.do some arts and crafts

23.visit a corn maze

24.go thrifting

25.buy a book

26.buy some funky socks

27. look at old photos

28. scrapbook

29. have a bonfire with friends

30. buy a new fall outfit

Hello November

November marks the official begin to our holiday season. Here are a few recipes that I think you will like. Plus they're easy!

Give this delicious "lightened up pecan pie bites" dessert a try at your Thanksgiving meal!

Click on the picture for the link to the recipe.



I made these last Thanksgiving and they were a favorite.

I LOVE cornbread, but it can be more points than I want to spend. This recipe is delish and only 2 points per muffin.



WW members check out this recipe



click the picture for the link to the recipe

Dub Dub Club aka weight watchers

As I shared with you last month, I have embraced a shift in wording. Now I set **intentions**, instead of goals. Sometimes I do new ones each day, other times I keep the same ones for a week. Over the past week or so, I challenged myself to write down what I value, my why, my focus for my body, mind, and soul. Then looking at those core values I set my intentions. I want what I am spending my time doing to align with my values.

My Gore Values

body~ to be physically strong & healthy, to honor my body by eating nutritious food & getting in movement mind~to have a positive mindset, to create new pathways of life-giving thoughts

soul~to grow in my relationship with God, to honor Him with my life, to love & serve others

Intentions

*to enjoy seasonal treats without binging on them by balancing my points budget in a way that allows treats to fit
*to intentionally move 3-5 days a week
*to put my phone away each night and spend some time reading
*to daily spend time with God and in His Word

"Monthly Challenge"

Before the busy holiday season gets into full swing, take some time to write out your core values as far as your health journey is concerned.

What is most important to you?
Keep this in a place you can see it on a daily basis. Then set your intentions or goals based on this list.



Interested in giving WW a try?
Click on the logo and follow link.

One of my favorite products:



So delicious for yogurt bowls or on ice cream. They also sell it in chocolate.

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Big Announcement!

In January, I will launch my new adventure as a holistic wellness coach!

I'm so excited!

Soon pricing and other info will be posted on my website. If you want more information, email me and we can discuss details.