

Central Church of Christ

515 N. Tibbs Rd. Dalton, GA 30720

January 3, 2016

2016 Theme: "Simple Devotion"

"I am the vine, you are the branches. He who abides in Me, and I in him, bears much fruit; for without Me you can do nothing."

John 15:5

Visit Our WEBSITE: ccocdalton.org

Jordan's Journal

C.A.R.E. Groups meet this Sunday, January 3:

The purposes of C.A.R.E. groups are several: To help develop eternal relationships with each other. To show personal C.A.R.E. to one another. To enjoy a meal together. To help each other be aware of needs we may have. To provide a means by which our elders can shepherd our church family better. To help each other grow spiritually.

It's not just another "get together". C.A.R.E. stands for Communicate (with each other), Activity (or doing something together), Respond to needs and Report to elders and Encourage. Please plan on attending a C.A.R.E. group meeting this Sunday.

ACTIVITY CARE Group Meeting Sunday, January 3.

We'll meet in Bill Russell's InBetweener's Classroom right after Bible Study, (no 2nd Service this Sunday because of CARE groups.) I want to buy Pizza from Mr. T's for everyone... I got some money for Christmas and I want to spend it on our CARE Group. Ann Abernathy is bringing a large salad for everyone and you can bring desserts and drinks. OK? After lunch, we will discuss our last two projects and what we can do February – May. I have a couple of ideas and you can share yours, too. If you would like to visit our CARE Group or regularly attend, please let me know as soon as you can (706-271-8373). You are welcome to be with us, we are a lot of fun and do fun stuff with each other. See you this Sunday for Worship, Bible Study and CARE Group meetings.

Make-A-Change Report

You may remember that our Activity CARE group displayed collection bottles in the Lobby, labeled, "Make-A-Change". (Thank you to Jane King for labeling and displaying the bottles.) Quite a few bottles were taken home and brought back... I think 29 bottles or tubes were returned right after Thanksgiving. Our Activity CARE group sorted the money at our December CARE group meeting. The official total was \$1401.25. Of the total \$1200 was used to help 5 families during Christmas. We have \$201.25 left over that will be used to help a needy family in some way. Thank you for your generosity and every bit of it will be used as intended.

Ross Jordan

CARE GROUPS MEET

Sunday, January 3 @ 5 p.m.



(Unless planned otherwise!)

Be sure to join your group in this time of fellowship, food & inspiration!

Trail Riding at WindRock

A group is going to take ATV's, Side by Sides, and Dirt motorcycles to WindRock (just outside of Oak

Ridge, TN) for some trail riding January 29-31. WindRock is 72,000 acres and has over 300 miles of marked and cleared trails. Lodging cost will be about \$125 per person - other costs include a \$30-\$40 riding permit, gas, snacks, and our meals (mostly fast food). See Bob Lee with any questions about this fun weekend of fellowship and enjoying the great outdoors.

THANK YOU

I want to thank each and everyone who have visited my mom. Thank you for the many cards, delicious treats, gifts, delightful conversations, and lots of laughter. She has enjoyed each and every visit! You all mean so much to me for the kindness you have shown my precious momma. Thank you for your Christian love.

Elaine Stanton



MARK YOUR CALENDAR

There will be a **planning breakfast** for all **Elders**, **Ministers**, **Deacons & Ministry Leaders** on Saturday,

January 23 at 8:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Connie Shepherd as agreed to cook breakfast! Make plans, NOW, to attend!



THANK YOU

Dear Central Church Family,

Thank you does not see adequate enough to express our deep appreciation for everything done

for our family during daddy's surgery and funeral. Thank you to Mr. and Mrs. Dan Sessions for visiting daddy in the hospital prior to surgery and serving communion to him – that meant a lot to him. Thank you to Ross and Bryan for praying with us and daddy. Thank you to Jim and Cheryl for sitting with us during the surgery...for the "goody" basket and conversations. For all the support we received at the funeral home – the visits, messages, hugs and tears. For the amazing singing at his funeral – it was beautiful. We all felt so much peace when "It Is Well" was sung. It showed on our faces. For the delicious meal prepared and delivered to mama and daddy's house. But mostly for all the prayers sent for daddy and the sisters. Thank you.

Love to all, Lisa, Celeste & Carla

MORNING WORSHIP ASSEMBLY 9:00 A.M.

"Simple Devotion"
Acts 1:4-14

Welcome

Song #892 – The Steadfast Love Of The Lord – Gene Threet

Prayer – Marty Laird

Song #888 – Thank You, Lord (v. 1) – Gene Threet

Song # 444 – Nailed To The Cross (v. 1,3) – Gene Threet Communion & Contribution Prayers – Ted Bowers Communion Leaders

Jeff Ledbetter Melvin Sane Ray Shepherd Tony Coley Mike Stanton Kenny Bryant Dean Baker Walter Brock Alex Foshee Jim Cook

Song #**583** – *Sing To Me Of Heaven* (v. 1-3) – Albert Coley (Children Ages 2-5, dismissed to Wee Worship)

Scripture Reading – Caleb Laird Sermon – Bryan Collins Invitation Song #189 – Grace Greater Than Our Sin (v. 1,3) – Gene Threet

Shepherds' Moment & Closing Prayer - Bob Lee

Count on Sundays (All Services) – Lester Province & Joshua Holloway

Nursery Attendants (9 a.m.) – TBA

2nd WORSHIP ASSEMBLY 11:10 A.M.

There will be NO 2nd Worship Assembly due to CARE Groups meeting at 5:00 p.m.

POINSETTIAS

Be sure to pick up your **POINSETTIA** from the table in the Lobby! The ones that are left will have names removed and will be given away Wednesday night! Some have already been thrown away if needed!





SPECIAL THANKS

Thanks to **Daryl and Teresa Williams** for donating you time in watering the poinsettias each week. This has been such a wonderful help to me. I love

you and appreciate your giving spirits!

Lanie Jones

TIMES & ATTENDANCE

Week of December 27, 2015

Sunday 9:00 a.m. worship	205
Sunday 10:10 a.m. Bible Classes	213
Sunday 11:10 a.m. 2 nd Worship Assembly	142
Wednesday 6:30 p.m. Bible Study	NA
Hispanic Congregation	
Sunday Worship	26
Sunday Adult Bible Class	20
Wednesday Adult Class	NA
Budget \$ 9.	200.00
Contribution\$ 8	,343.00

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

HOSPITAL: Lois Cole - Erlanger...Kenneth Crow - Regency

RECOVERING/HOME/SHUT-IN/ON-GOING ILLNESS:

Yvonne Abernathy, Rickey Allmon, Minnie Anderson, Sherry Bales, Jimmy Ballew, Julie Barton, Jaxon Beavers, Eric Bejar, Charles & Peggy Bennett, Dylan Bigelow, Rufus Bingham, Jason Blaylock, Ruby Bramlett, Garland Brock, Jack & Elizabeth Brown, Sandi Brown, Larry Brunson, Valor Burnett, Glenn Cantrell, Carman Carillo, Nelda Carr, Jeff Chadwick, Charlotte Chaney, Lester Chastain, Myra Chastain, Edith Cherry, Jane Cherry, Ellen Claiborne, Barbara Cloer, Bill & Rebecca Cofer, Tom Cole, Gabbi Cook, Jennifer Cooper, Bill Cornutt, Jim Dalzell, Allie Daniel, Steve Daniel, Helen Dardin, David Davidson, Melissa Dietrich, Charles Doler, Marie Dollar, Gary Earnhart, Terry Ensley, Turner Fordham, Joan Foshee, Mark & Anna Foshee, Glenda Gardner, Judson & Sarah Gay, Katherine Green, Karen Griffus, Jon Griggs, Kandis Guice, Rich Gwyn, Brenda Hall, Ed & Pat Hall, Lauren Hall, Richard Hall, Melinda Harrub, Pat Henderson, Rhonda Hill, Tommy & Judy Hoffpauir, Ben Holloway, Bruce Holloway, Charlene Holloway, Kathy Holloway (treatments start 1/4), Lyndon Holloway, Frances Hopper, Joann Howell, Seaver Hudson, Barbara Jackson, Dennis Jackson, Bill Johnson, Brad Jones, Lanie Jones, Barbara Judd, Craig Kinsey, Diane Kinsey, Debbie Lanning, Anne Lee, Carly Lewis, Hannah Locke, Judy Malone, Hubert Marsh, Renee Mathis, Mike Mays, Betty Melson, Bob Miller, Esme Miller, Gayle Miller, Doug & Sue Mitchell, Lynn Moss, Josh Mullins, Barry & Juanita Newman, Edra Nix, Keith Parker, Sandra Parker, Tina Parker, Willa Mae Phillips, Kathryn Pressnell, Nancy Province, Brodie Quinn, Ed Riddle, Jasper & Gladys Rogers, Layfield Rous, Bill Russell, Eddie Sane, Dan Sessions, Alwilda Shepherd, Brenda & Harold Shepherd, Hazel Shepherd, Martha Shepherd, Mike Shepherd, Adrianna Shireman, Charlotte Silvers, Brandi & Greg Smith, Emy Smith, James Smith, Jerry Smith, Laura Smith, Colleen Stevens, Tommy & Jimmie Stroud, Jim Stuman, Charlie Swanson, Jack & Eva Taylor, Tom Taylor, Cayden Tennant, Azeala Thompson, Bill Threet, Martin, Reatha & Jeff Tilley, Sam Vandergriff, Crystal Williams, Patsy Williams, Teresa Williams, Steve & Barbara Wilson, Cathy Woods, Claudell Woods, Kim Woods, David Wright

Please notify Lanie when someone needs to be added or taken off the prayer list!