



# Central Church of Christ

515 N. Tibbs Rd. Dalton, GA 30720

February 26, 2017

**2017 Theme: "Making Disciples"**

**March: Devoted to ... "Our Choice: To Leave Everything and Follow after Mercy."**

*...Go and Learn what this means: "I desire MERCY, and not sacrifice. For I came not to call the righteous, but sinners." Matthew 9:12-13*

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**"Now that you know these things, you will be blessed if you do them."**

Jesus – John 13:17

If you have been around Central the last few weeks, you have heard me say this several times: **"If I am a disciple of Jesus, I will be making other disciples of Jesus."** If I read Scripture correctly, it is obvious that disciples make disciples. We have stressed this about discipleship: **BE one and MAKE one!** Today we want to think a bit about the PRACTICE of making disciples. Jesus proclaimed a **MESSAGE** that was inspired (**GOOD NEWS**) – and He also practiced a **METHOD** that I think was inspired (**GOOD PRACTICES**). Jesus was a practitioner of **I.R.D.** – \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_  
**Discipleship.** Often in my own life, I find that I am quite willing to accept Jesus' **LIFE** for mine (He is my SAVIOR), but I am reluctant to accept Jesus' **LIFESTYLE of MAKING DISCIPLES** as my own (He is also my MASTER and TEACHER). Notice with me this morning a snapshot of Jesus' practice of making disciples from John 13. Some of the elements of **I.R.D.** are:

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2017 Christian Men's Leadership Conference

Saturday, March 11, 2017  
Central Church of Christ, Dalton GA.  
For all men and boys. • \$12 per person.

Theme: "Christian Leadership in a Post-Christian Culture"

**9th Annual Christian Men's Leadership Conference**  
**March 11th – 8:00 a.m. – 2:10 p.m.**

All men & young men are invited - \$12 per person  
Please **sign up in the foyer** for registration & to help bring items for the event. **Keynote Speaker:** Gary Massey, Jr.  
**Breakout Sessions:** Fathers: Brad Harrub, Deacons: Aubrey Johnson, Disciples: Kyle Massengale, Teachers: Steve Griggs and Elders: Phil McCormick



## **Boys Leadership Class**

The 1<sup>st</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> grade boys Leadership class begins next Wednesday night at 6:30 p.m. The boys will meet with Ross & his helpers in the hallway behind the offices. Come; bring your bible and a friend!

## **GROW & GLOW FOR GIRLS**

The 1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Grade Grow & Glow Class for Girls begins **Wednesday Night, March 1<sup>st</sup> at 6:30 p.m.** The girls will meet in the Elementary Department with Lanie's Helpers, Mandy Coley & Jennifer Sides. Come; bring a Bible, a canned good or money, and a friend! Watch the mailbox for your information letter!



## **Sympathy**

Our deepest sympathy goes out to **June Langford** in the loss of her sister, Annice Johnson after a long battle with cancer. Visitation was Thursday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> at the Chattanooga Funeral Home with Funeral Services on Friday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> at 1 p.m. at Chattanooga Funeral Home. Please wrap June in your love at this time.



**1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Grade Pizza & Bowling**  
**Sunday, March 5<sup>th</sup>**

Your Bowling will be paid for you, please bring money for Pizza!



## MORNING WORSHIP ASSEMBLY

9:30 a.m.

*"Jesus on Discipleship: It's All about the I.R. D."*

John 13:16-17

Welcome

Song #—The Greatest Command (screen only)—John Cox

Song #874- Jesus is Lord (v.1-3)—John Cox

Prayer: Lyndon Holloway

Song #936- How Beautiful (v1)—Albert Coley

Communion & Contribution Prayer – Ray Moss

Communion Leaders

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| 1. Jack Brown      | 6. Trey Myers      |
| 2. Seth Coley      | 7. Ted Bowers      |
| 3. Joshua Holloway | 8. Lamar Quinn     |
| 4. Eddie Sane      | 9. Justin Shepherd |
| 5. Darrell Edwards | 10. Jim Cook       |

Song #499-O to be Like Thee (v. 1,2&4)-Gene Threet

(Children Dismissed to Wee Worship)

Scripture Reading: Kelly Cherry

Sermon: Steve Griggs

Invitation Song #150- Follow Me (v.1-3)- Gene Threet

Shepherds' Moment, Closing Prayer: Bob Lee

Count on Sunday's during February: Lester Province & Nestor Pozo

Wednesday Night Count: Richard Milburn

Nursery Attendants: Suzanna & Caroline Stanley



## MEALS ON WHEELS VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

If you are interested in helping with the Meals on Wheels program, we need someone to help deliver meals. It's for Friday meals. Please contact Ross or Canitha Jordan.

## THANK YOU

A Big Thank you to Bob Anderson & Joshua Holloway for delivering our items to the Valdosta Children's Home on Wednesday!



Bob's Truck was loaded to the top even in the back seat. They left Wednesday morning at 4:00 a.m. and made it home just before the storm hit Dalton Wednesday afternoon. Thank you for stepping up to help!

## TIMES & ATTENDANCE

Week of February 26, 2017

Sunday 9:00 a.m. Worship .....	281
Sunday 10:10 a.m. Bible Class.....	222
Wednesday 6:30 p.m. ....	no service
<b>Hispanic Congregation</b>	
Sunday Worship.....	19
Sunday 10:10 a.m. Bible Class.....	n/c
Wednesday Adult Class .....	no service
<b>Budget</b> .....	<b>\$9,200.00</b>
<b>Contribution (2/26)</b> .....	<b>\$ 8,762.58</b>

**HOSPITAL:** Glenn Bromblett –The Gowan's daughter-in-law father) still in Hamilton going to Siskin soon.... **Bob Croll (Katie Holloway's dad)**- had a stroke last Sunday, will be hospital/rehab for 2-4 weeks....**Sonny Gay**- (Delores Toney's Brother) has Leukemia(CLL) and will be starting chemo treatments on Monday, March 6<sup>th</sup>.... **Donnie Gilliam(Yvonne Coley's cousin)** neuromuscular disease that is untreatable....**Linda Ivey**- (Delores Toney's sister) has been diagnosed with a malignant tumor in the Parotid gland(this is the salivary gland). She is being scheduled for a petscan and surgery will be 3/15.... **Yahir Reyes- a 3<sup>rd</sup> grade student** of Jennifer Crane's at Westside Elementary, has cancer, starting chemo at T.C. Thompson...**Connie Shepherd**- knee replacement surgery March 1<sup>st</sup>....

**RECOVERING/HOME/SHUT-IN/ON-GOING ILLNESS:** Yvonne Abernathy, John Allen, Brecklynn Allgood, Rickey Allmon, Minnie Anderson, Sherry Bales, Cindy Bigelo, Julie Barton, Charles & Peggy Bennett, Cindy Bigelow, Allan Bishop, Debbie Bolton, Jack & Elizabeth Brown, Sandi Brown, Thomas Brown, Alan Bishop, Valor Burnett, Carman Carillo, Nelda Carr, Jeff Chadwick, Charlotte Chaney, Lester Chastain, Barbara Cloer, Bill & Rebecca Cofer, Linda Coley, Sherry Coley, Evan Connelly, Gabbi Cook, Bill Cornutt, Kenneth Crow, Jim Dalzell, Allie Daniel, Steve Daniel, Helen Dardin, Titus Davenport, Vanessa Decker, Charles Doler, Marie Dollar, Kent Dotson, Demar Elam, Terry Ensley, Joan Foshee, Mark & Anna Foshee, Sonny Gay, Judson & Sarah Gay, Donnie Gilliam, Katherine Green, Jane Griffen, Jon Griggs, Kandis Guice, Cora Hackney, Ed & Pat Hall, Lauren Hall, Richard Hall, Pat Headrick, Morris Hill, Rhonda Hill, Burt Hinton, Judy Hoffpauir, Bruce Holloway, Kathy Holloway, Seaver Hudson, Lida Hunt, Linda Ivey, Adam Jackson, Barbara Jackson, Dennis Jackson, Harrison Jackson, Annice & Carol Johnson, Bill Johnson, Lanie Jones, Barbara Judd, Diane Kinsey, Cindy Langford, Debbie Lanning, Anne Lee, Carly Lewis, Hannah Locke, Sandra Lowe, Judy Malone, Levelle Marcus, Delpha Mason, Brenda Mathis, Renee Mathis, Mike Mays, Betty Melson (Royal Oaks), Esme Miller, Doug & Sue Mitchell, David Morris, Josh Mullins, Barry & Juanita Newman, Edra Nix, Belinda Pack, Sandra Parker, Tina Parker, Willa Mae Phillips, Virgil & Kathryn Pressnell, Brodie Quinn, Bobby Rivers, Gladys Rogers, Layfield Rous, Bill Russell, Lamar Sane, Harold & Brenda Shepherd, Hazel Shepherd, Martha Shepherd, Adrianna Shireman, Charlotte Silvers, Wanda Sliker, Brandi Smith, Jerry Smith, Lauren Smith, Karen Stanley, Colleen Stevens, Zane Steward, Tommy & Jimmie Stroud, Jim Stuman, Charlie Swanson, Cayden Tennant, Bill Threet, Reatha & Jeff Tilley, Sam Vandergriff, Wayne Warnack, Chris Williams, Teresa Williams, Steve & Barbara Wilson, Cathy Woods, David Wright

Please notify Lanie or the office if someone needs to be added or removed from this list. You can also make a note on your attendance card.

## UPCOMING YOUTH VENTS:

3/5- Elementary Pizza & Bowling

3/25- Elementary Kite Flying Day

## Lads to Leaders/Leaderettes

**Bible Bowl:** Bible Bowl Practice will continue be at 9:00 a.m. There is still a lot of material study before we go to Nashville.

**Speech:** Practice Sunday after Bible Class

**Song Leading:** Practice at 12:30 p.m.

**Puppets:** Practice at 1:00 p.m.



## RESPONSE LAST SUNDAY:

Carol Griggs responded Sunday morning to ask our church family to pray for her brother, Jim. Carol has a burden for her brother as he is not a Christian and has repeatedly been non-responsive to attempts to talk about his spiritual situation. Please pray for Jim that God will bring someone into his life that will invest in a relationship that will lead him to Jesus. Pray for Carol as she carries this burden for her brother.