



**MARCH 11, 2018**

**2018 Theme: "First Things First"**

**Devoted to... Our Mission: "Seek First the Kingdom of God and His Righteousness..." Matthew 6:33**

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### A Word from Joshua

The Central family never ceases to amaze me. At the beginning of February, I made the announcement that I needed chaperones to go to the Challenge Youth Conference, in Pigeon Forge, with the youth group. At the same time, I made the appeal for your assistance in providing "scholarships" for the kiddos who wanted to go but couldn't afford it. I was not prepared for the response I received. So many people volunteered to go that I had to tell some of you "no" because we wouldn't have had enough space for everyone. In addition to those who volunteered to go, your generosity made it possible for every member of the youth group to attend and only pay \$40/each.

On February 23<sup>rd</sup>, thirty-four of us made to trip to CYC. I'd like to extend a huge "THANK YOU" to the adults who helped chaperone the trip: Matt & Alana Sane, Shay & Doug Bingham, Khris & Chad Downing, Yvonne Coley, April Stanley, Bruce Holloway, & Rhett Stanley. Rhett is my "right-hand" on EVERY trip we make; he pulls a box trailer loaded with everyone's luggage & supplies (thank you Roger Hughes for letting use your trailer every time we need it). I'm so glad Rhett is never allowed to tell me "no" when I ask him to go somewhere with me. Finally, I wouldn't be able to do anything without the love & support of Katie. She is constantly working, often behind the scenes, making sure I don't screw something up & ensuring everything goes according to plan.

Of everything we experienced while in Pigeon Forge, the most impressive thing I witnessed, all weekend, was our young people. After our 1st day in the hotel, I was walking through the lobby and the hotel manager asked to speak with me. My mind instantly started trying to figure out what we broke or what stranger we "accidentally" shot with a Nerf gun. You can imagine the sense of pride I had when the manager proceeded to tell me that, of all the youth groups they have had as guests, ours was, without a doubt, "the best behaved & most respectful group they had seen."

One cannot quantify the unity & "closeness" a youth group experiences on trips like CYC. If it weren't for you, the Central family, these trips would not be possible. Thank you so much for your continued support, encouragement, & prayers for our youth. In a world where Satan is literally throwing everything he can at them, they are a shining example of the love of Christ.

In Him, Joshua S. Holloway

### L2L ANNOUNCEMENTS

L2L 2018 – March 30<sup>th</sup> – April 1<sup>st</sup>

We are right at a month away from Lads to Leaders 2018! All the Lads to Leaders families very much appreciate the generous support of our congregation.

They are asking us to help with the following items:

- Canned Soft Drinks
- Capri Suns
- 8 oz. bottles of water
- Individual snacks i.e. chips, crackers, cookies & candy
- Folding wagons (please label so we can return)
- Totes (please label so we can return)

Please put these items in the totes in the foyer marked for L2L.

→L2L Families please sign up in the lobby to indicate which meals you plan to eat with the group in the Central food room at convention.



Spring Wednesday  
Night Bible Class  
Taught by Steve Griggs  
"In-Betweeners'  
Classroom

Spring Wednesday  
Night Auditorium  
Bible Class  
Taught by Ross Jordan



MORNING WORSHIP ASSEMBLY  
9:30 a.m. Service  
March 11, 2018

9:30 Service: "First Things First: Kingdom Misfits"  
Scripture Reading: Luke 5: 31-32

Welcome & Call to Worship – Doug Bingham  
Song #937 – I Stand in Awe – Joh Cox

Prayer – Dan Sessions

Song #588 – Sinners Jesus Will Receive (v. 1-4) – Albert Coley  
Song – My Eyes Are Dry (Screen Only) – John Cox

Communion & Contribution Prayers – Ray Moss  
Communion & Contribution Leaders

Nestor Pozo	George Brock
Lester Province	Lamar Quinn
Don Kittle	Roger Hughes
Tony Coley	Jim Cook

Song #634 – The Great Physician (v. 1 & 3) – Albert Coley  
(Children dismissed to Wee Worship)

Scripture Reading – Robert Howie  
Sermon – Steve Griggs

Invitation Song # 714 – Trust and Obey (v. 1, 4, & 5) – John Cox

Shepherds' Moment, Closing Prayer – Gary Duke

Count on Sundays during March – Bruce Holloway & Richard Milburn  
Count on Wednesdays during March – Nestor Pozo

Nursery Attendants: Jenny Warnack & Emma Warnack



Dear Central, Thank you for all the warm welcome and kind greetings. Ethan & I are happy to be worshipping with you and have been blessed with your many words of encouragement. The cards and gift basket were an unexpected, but much appreciated surprise. We look forward to getting to know and grow with each of you in Christ. **Heather & Ethan Williams**

**GRADUATION PARTY SUNDAY MARCH 18<sup>TH</sup>**



We are excited to announce that **Jordan Schaeffer**, the young man at the Sheriff's Boys Home. He graduation from the Pleasant Valley Innovative School. He plans to join the military. We are going to have him a **Graduation Party on Sunday, March 18<sup>th</sup>** after Sunday School in the Fellowship Hall. We will provide the Barbeque, please bring sides, drinks and desserts to share. If you can attend, please sign up in the foyer or call the office, so we can buy enough barbeque.

**Bible Reading:**  
March 11<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> Luke Chapters 7-11



**TIMES & ATTENDANCE**  
Week of March 4, 2018

Sunday. Worship.....	279
Sunday BibleClass.....	253
Wednesday 6:30 p.m.....	N/C
<b>Hispanic Congregation</b>	
Sunday Worship.....	N/C
Sunday 10:10 a.m. Bible Class.....	N/C
Wednesday Adult Class .....	N/C
<b>Budget .....</b>	<b>\$ 9,200.00</b>
<b>Contribution last week.....</b>	<b>\$ 15,550.75</b>

**HOSPITAL/SURGERIES:** Renee Mathis- Emory Hospital, brain bleed and blood clots in lungs...

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

Yvonne Abernathy, John Allen, Brecklyn Allgood, Rickey Allmon, Bob Anderson, Sherry Bales, Gwen Barker, Charles & Peggy Bennett, Cindy Bigelow, Allen Bishop, Denny Bramlett, Inez Bramlett, Robert & Betty Brock, Jack & Elizabeth Brown, Sandi Brown, Thomas Brown, Linda Bunch, Valor Burnett, Carman Carrillo, Nelda Carr, Jeff Chadwick, Charlotte Chaney, Lester Chastain, Gina Christiansen, Barbara Cloer, Bill & Rebecca Cofer, Linda Coley, Sherry Coley, Freeman Collins, Evan Connelly, Gabbi Cook, Jim Dalzell, Allie Daniel, Steve Daniel, Titus Davenport, Vanessa Decker, Charles Doler, Marie Dollar, Kent Dotson, Jimmy Duke, Lisa Evans, Joan Foshee, Mark Foshee, Kristin Gaines, James Gantt, Judson Gay, Sonny Gay, Donnie Gilliam, Katherine Green, Jane Griffen, Charlotte Griggs, Jon Griggs, Cora Hackney, Ed & Pat Hall, Lauren Hall, Richard Hall, Debbie Hall, Thelma Hall, Terry Hawkins, Cindy Headrick, Rhonda Hill, Judy Hoffpaur, Benny & Kathy Holloway, Ann Houston, Jean Hughes, Sever Hudson, Lida Hunt, Linda Ivey, Adam Jackson, Barbara Jackson, Curtis Jones, Dennis Jackson, Robert Jarrard, Bill Johnson, Christa Jones, Dale Jones, Ed Jones, Lanie Jones, Barbara Judd, Bob King, Diane Kinsey, Bob Kroll, Harold Land, Debbie Lanning, Gloria Ledbetter, Anne Lee, Carly Lewis, Hannah Locke, Susan Kouassi, Sandra Lowe, Judy Malone, Delpha Mason, Brenda Mathis, Renee Mathis, Helen McIntosh, Mike Mays, Renee Mathis, Betty Melson, Bob Miller, Esme Miller, Doug & Sue Mitchell, David Morris, Melinda Mosteller, Josh Mullins, Virgie Mullinax, Juanita Newman, Edra Nix, Belinda Pack, Sandra Parker, Tina Parker, Rachel Patterson, Greg Pellom, Willa Mae Phillips, Carolyn Powell, Keila Pozo, Nestor Pozo, Yuly Pozo, Virgil & Kathryn Pressnell, James Reece, Yahir Reyes, Bobby Rivers, Gladys Rogers, Garrett Rolen, Layfield Rous, Bill Russell, Lamar Sane, Kara Scott, Duane Scott, Brenda Shepherd, Connie Shepherd, Hazel Shepherd, Martha Shepherd, Ray Shepherd, Adrianna Shireman, Charlotte Silvers, Ray Sinnamon, Wanda Slinger, Brandi Smith, Brinkley Smith, Jerry Smith, Nancy Stamey, Kevin Stanley, Colleen Stevens, Zane Steward, Jimmie Stroud, Jim Stuman, Charlie Swanson, Gaye Tate, Joan Teems, Cayden Tennant, Bill Threet, Reatha, Martin & Jeff Tilley, Sam Vandergriff, Wayne Warnack, Cheryl Welch, Glenda Whitlock, Chris Williams, Teresa Williams, Steve & Barbara Wilson, Cathy Woods, David Wright, Corey Yarbrough, Keith & Sheila Yarbrough, Rick Zeisig



**GROW & GLOW 2018**  
**GOD'S GIRL BEAUTIFUL**  
All Girls 1<sup>st</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> Grade

Starts Wednesday - March 7<sup>th</sup>

We are so excited that Grow & Glow will begin on **Wednesday, March 7<sup>th</sup>**! We would love to see each and every one of you back this year and remember to bring a friend each week! If you have never attended Grow & Glow before, we would love to have you! This year our focus is God's Girl Beautiful! We will have lots of exciting activities, speakers, and we will be learning how special and unique we are because we are created by God! We love you! The Grow & Glow Gang

Our deepest sympathy goes out to Greg Pellom in the loss of his mother, Pat Pellom, on March 8<sup>th</sup>. Her service will be at Peeples Funeral Home on Sunday, March 11, 2018 at 2:00 p.m. with visitation on Saturday, March 10, 2018 also at Peeples Funeral Home from 4:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Please keep the Pellom in your prayers during this difficult time.



**FINANCIAL PEACE CLASS**  
**9 WEEK CLASS STARTING APRIL 4<sup>TH</sup>**

**Wednesday Nights of April & May 6pm-8pm**

Financial Peace Class presents biblical, practical steps on how to get rid of debt, manage your money, spend and save wisely. **Child Care will be provided.** You can order the kit at daveramsey.com or see Bobby King for more information. The kits for the class are \$104. Please sign up in the lobby, so we can plan for the class.