The Messenger



May 10, 2017

WEEK OF COMPASSION



WEEK OF COMPASSION is the relief, refugee and development mission fund of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) in the United States and Canada. They seek to equip and empower disciples to alleviate the suffering of others through disaster response, humanitarian aid, sustainable development and the promotion of mission opportunities.

FCCG OUTREACH EMPHASIS continues.

WEEK OF COMPASSION speaker for May 14th is FCCGs Rev. Dr. Larry Ross, and FCCG member Don Smith will speak on Sunday, May 28th.

* Flease Give *





Front row (from left): Ann Marie Price, Sophia Olalde, Brenna McMillan, Addison Walker, and Cole Henderson

Back row (from left): Austin Smith and Ashlyn Smith

FCCG YOUTH GROUP ACTIVITIES

NO YOUTH ACTIVITIES

This Evening, Sunday, May 14th



CONGRATULATIONS to **Erich Womack**, senior at Lakeview Centennial High School, for being named the **2017 SkillsUSA State Champion in Radio/Audio Production**. Next month, Erich will travel to Louisville, KY to represent the great state of Texas in the National Competition. Please lift your voices in prayer for safe travel and a successful competition!

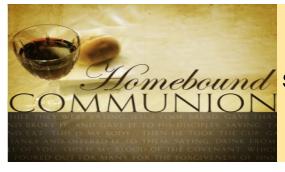


NTA-DWM GENERAL GATHERING

Installation of 2017-2018 NTA-DWM Executive Board Officers

Saturday, May 20, 2017
Registration at 10am—Program Begins at 10:30am

Cedar Grove Christian Church 4601 Sunny Brook Drive Rowlett. TX 75088



HOMEBOUND COMMUNION

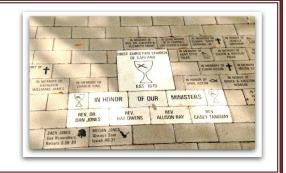
Served on the first Sunday of each month by an Elder. If you would like to be served, please contact the church office.

Buy A Brick

Contact Kathleen Yant; kyant1@aol.com; 972.496.0534

or

Eva McKannan; patevamck@verizon.net; 972.414.1737



ALL CHURCH FAMILY MISSION TRIP

July 26-29, 2017 (Wednesday—Saturday)



- o We will be going to Fort Worth, TX and staying at Ridglea Christian Church to work with Connect FW. We arrive Wednesday evening, work Thursday, Friday, Saturday and return home Saturday evening.
- o All ages are welcome to attend. All children/youth under 18 years must have an adult or adult sponsor attend with them.
- o Costs will be about \$150/person. Scholarships available. Don't let money be a reason for not participating!
- O Connect FW "empowers people to put faith into action in ways that are relational, sustainable and dignity-giving through justice and service". We will be working to connect with, serve and learn more about children experiencing poverty in Fort Worth. Time will be spent serving, learning from experts (both experts in the field and people who are deeply invested in the lives of these kids and the neighborhood), praying, and dreaming about how we can continue to live out faith in action after this trip.

TALK TO REV. CASEY BY JUNE 25th TO SIGN UP



Families and Professionals

MARRIAGE RETREAT
June 2-4, 2017
(new date)



Mark your calendars for 2017 VBS

June 18th—June 22nd

PRAYER REQUESTS

Circle of Fellowship

Martha Ferrell
Tricia Harrison

Les & Sondra Perry

Shepherds

Hands of Faith

Denny Lee

Pat Spradley

Fishers of Families

Jaletta Cooley Gail Greene The Grapevine

Joyce Witt Boyd Bettye Davenport

God's Messengers

Dan Jones JoAnne Terry DISCIPLES
MEN's
70th Tri-Area
Men's Retreat

at Disciples Crossing in Athens, TX



May 19-May 21, 2017

Registration forms in the church office.

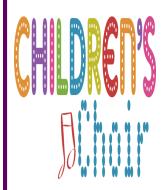
CHANCEL CHOIR

Rehearsals are held on Wednesdays at 7pm. Contact Stan McGill for more information.



Rehearsals are held on Wednesdays at 6:30pm. Contact Virginia McBee for more information.





CHILDREN'S CHOIR

(4 yrs-3rd grade)

Rehearsals on Sunday evenings, 5:30pm-6:30pm. Contact Tammy Holcomb.



YOUTH CHOIR

(3rd grade and up)

Rehearsals on Sunday evenings, 4:00-5:00pm. Contact Judy Grasham.

* Children's and Youth Choirs On Summer Hiatus *

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