

Announcements – Bulletin News December 25th, 2016



Happy Holidays

Thank You!

Ladies Education

Committee: we would like to thank all the sisters and youth that attended the Year End Ladies Seminar. It was a great success “**Not Looking Back, Looking Forward.**” Follow-up scriptures Job 1, 3:6,31,32. 2 Cor. 2:10:5, Phil. 13:13-14.



The church expresses sincere sympathy to the family of Carolyn McGee Cornelius. The funeral was this past Friday.

Sympathy is also expressed to Sis. Geraldine Hervey & Sis. Shine in the loss of their nephew / cousin, Byron Moore. Services are pending.

December Schedule

Ladies Baptism: Billye Hamilton, Janice Atkinson

Bereavement: Teresa & Kim Pelton

Medical Staff: Willie Alford

Brothers; the Order of Worship is available on line on Fridays after 3pm @ www.chisholmtrailcofc.org

Blood Pressure Check

First Sunday of the month

Open Pantry; Thursday January 19th, 2017 4-6pm.

Membership 2016

Baptized 12/ Placed Membership 6

The Greatest Gift, Continued

However, the fireman requested nothing. With love and wonder, the fireman declared, “You left you palace and your glory to sit with me in this dark place, to partake of my coarse fare and to care whether my heart was glad or sad. On others, you may bestow rich presents, but to me you have given yourself.”

Of course, we know a ruler far more benevolent than this Persian monarch. We know a ruler who left the ivory palaces of heaven to come and to live among us (Psalm 45:8). We know a ruler who was clothed with flesh and took upon himself the form of a servant (Philippians 2:5-8). We know a ruler who became poor that we might be made rich (2 Corinthians 8:9). We know a ruler who was such a friend to us that He gave His life for us (John 15:12-13). Of course, the King is Jesus Christ. www.housetohouse.com



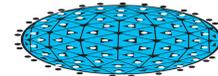
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Up Coming Events

Today we will have 9am Bible Study and 10am Morning Worship Service. **There will be no Evening Service.**



New Year's Eve Fellowship

The Fellowship Committee is hosting a New Year Eve's Fellowship on Saturday December 31st from 6-8pm. Members Are asked to bring their favorite Finger Food Dish.

There is a sign-up sheet in the foyer for those who would like to be on the program. Bro. LaVance Adkins.

Annual Corporation Meeting

The meeting will be held for all members Saturday, January 7th at 9:00am.



The Open Pantry will be open one time a month for January and February, 2017 from 4-6pm. January 19th and February 16th. Bro. Willie Wade



Other Events

45th Ministers' Institute; January 14-19th, 2017 Ft. Lauderdale, FL. Info on the table.

Church of Christ Ladies

Lectureship Retreat; “Diamonds In The Rough” Rosen Shingle Creek Hotel, Orlando, Florida, April 13-16th, 2017. Info on the table, on line

www.ladieslectureshipretreat.org

High School Students;

There is information on table in the foyer regarding a Free City Wide College Information for Seniors.

The Greatest Gift

A long time ago in Persia, a benevolent ruler named Shah Abbas reigned. To get to know people better, he wore disguises to mingle among them.

One day, he went as a poor man to the public baths, and sat by the fireman attending the furnace. At mealtime, he shared his food and talked to the poor man as to a friend. Again, and again he visited the fireman until the man grew to love him. Finally, the emperor revealed his identity to the fireman. The emperor expected the fireman to request a gift from him.