

SERMON NOTES



“The Ministry of the Towel”

- John 13:1-17

Forms of Service

(adapted from Richard Foster’s, “Celebration of Discipline”)

- The service of _____ (cf. Matt. 6:1-3)
- The service of _____ (cf. Acts 9:36)
- The service of guarding the _____ (cf. Titus 3:1-2)
- The service of being _____ (cf. John 13:6-8)
- The service of common _____ (cf. Acts 27:3)
- The service of _____ (cf. 1 Peter 4:9)
- The service of _____ (cf. James 1:19)
- The service of _____ (cf. Gal. 6:2)
- The service of sharing _____ (cf. Rom. 10:15)

FAMILY UPDATES

Members with health issues: Jim & LaFerne Caldwell, Peggy Cardwell, Ernest Dean, John Carter, Harlon and Maerene Hawkins, Terry Howard, Alyssa Layman, Cristin Martin, Sherry Meadors, Marilyn Parnell, Paula Recess, Micheal Robison, Sterling Thomas, Janice West.

Prayer Requests

Charlene Smith: Had a successful surgery.
Nancy Seegren: will be having surgery on August 1st, at 7:30 am at Hillcrest.
Peggy Cardwell: Fell and broke her hip last weekend. She is at Hillcrest #4440.

Prayers for Family & Friends

Becky Jennings: asks for prayers for a new place to live and for jobs for her and her husband, David.

Sympathy

Our hearts and prayers go out to **Cheala Green** and Family, in the loss of her father Sherman Green on July 22. His funeral will be, August 1st, at 1pm, at North Sheridan Church of Christ.

Celebration

You are invited for cake and punch to celebrate Joan Crawford’s 80th birthday with family and friends. August 19th, at Crosstown Room 123, from 2-4pm. Please no gifts.

Thank You

We appreciate your thoughtful gift of flowers in honor of Liliane. Thank you for thinking of and praying for all of us.
 Sincerely, The N’gouan’s, Dirrim’s, Jonka’s, Lane’s and Zanol’s

Address Changes

Helen Troy
 401A East Kenwood St
 Siloam Springs, AR 72761
 479-373-3915

Jeff Krosse
 402 S Jim Davis Blvd Apt 7
 Claremore, OK 74017

All Church Retreat:

Please register now! Forms available at the foyer table. Please return forms to red basket. Fees: Adult \$50.00 per person 12 & under \$40.00 per person, Saturday Only: \$35.00. Registration form and \$20.00 deposit per person due by October 1st. **If you wish to participate specialty activities please complete form by August 30.**

TODAY >

July 30, 2017

PACK THE PULPIT!



JULY 30 – AUGUST 13

Donate Non-Perishable Items for the
 Family 2 Family Care Packages
 Place items around the pulpit

Suggested Items:

Flour	Macaroni & Cheese	Laundry Detergent
Oats	Sugar	Hand Soap
Peanut Butter	Dry Beans or Peas	Dish Soap
Corn	Rice	Diapers/Wipes
Soup	Toilet Tissue (4 Roll)	Jelly (plastic jar)
Spaghetti-O’s	Toothpaste (large)	Canned Tuna-Chicken

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MINISTRY UPDATES



Children's:

Bible Hour — available for 2&3-year old's and 4&5-year old's in our east wing. Children will be dismissed prior to the sermon.
Children's Sermon Notes — Available at the Information Desk.
Today's Volunteers — Nursery: **Debra R. and Mayedna K.**
 2&3's Bible Hour: **Juanita Farmer and Ashton Bentley**
 4&5's Bible Hour: **Terry Baker, Jaiden, Wesley, Mackenzie P.**



Women's:

Women's Bible Study — Walking In the Light Daily. Every Thurs. at 9:30am in Room 122. For more info, see **Mary Parker.**
Crafts & Christ — Will take a break for the Summer, will resume in September.



Small Groups:

Small Group Bible Study — Led by **Keenan Meadors.** Sundays at 4pm in Room 123.
Monday Night for the Master — Will resume September 11.
Life Groups — Connect / Grow / Serve. Contact an elder, a minister, or **Chris Clayton** to join a group.



Singles:

Monthly Activity — August 12: Tulsa Underground Tunnel Tour. Pick up monthly newsletter in Foyer, at bulletin board.

Food Pantry:

You may make a donation using the 'Food Pantry' envelopes in the back of the pew, and placing them in the contribution plate. Or you can donate online from our website, and specify your donation is to go to the Food Pantry.

Security:

Today — Class: **Louis Robison.** Worship: **Louis Robison**

Miscellaneous:

Campaign Training Class: July 30, immediately following services. Class will finish about 1:30pm.
Area Wide Singing Worship: July 30. Park Plaza invites all churches to a singing worship at 6pm.
Baby Shower: for Vivian Carson Sunday, August 13, immediately after worship Room 123. We will have a light lunch. To contribute to a group gift, see Maggie Prater, Charlotte Schellhorn or Michelle Clayton. Vivian is registered at Target, Buy Buy Baby, and Amazon.
Crosstown Summer Series: Wednesday, August 2. **Guest Speaker: Mike Smith (Muskogee) "Why Can't We Talk? Identifying Harmful Talk in Our Marriages (and Other Relationships)"**
Come Early on Wednesday @ 6:30 p.m. in the auditorium, we will be having a special time of congregational prayer leading up to the Family 2 Family neighborhood campaign. Come pray with us about the campaign, the neighborhoods, the lost and hurting, the teams and special prayer requests related to this outreach effort. We believe an intense prayer effort can change the mood of our congregation.

UPCOMING EVENTS

July:
 30 **Today:** Campaign Training Class
 30 **Tonight:** Area Wide Singing— Park Plaza

BIRTHDAYS

This Week
 30 Michael Robison
 5 Harlon Hawkins
 5 Terry West

Student Movement (6th - 12th Grade)

Transportation ~ If you need rides to YAE/BOB or workdays see Sean.
Backyard Cookout and Swim Devo @ Babitzke's: Tonight. 5pm-7pm. Guys bring chips and Girls bring desserts. Bring swimwear and towel. 25306 E 63rd St, Broken Arrow, OK 74014.
Wed. Night Hang Out ~ August 2. 6pm-6:45pm in Youth Room. Bible Class will follow at 7pm.
YAE & BOB August 1, & August 8. 10am-1pm. Meet in the Activity Center. Bring a sack lunch.
Youth Group Girls Day ~ August 5. The theme is "Love Your #Selfie." 9am-5pm. Breakfast and lunch provided. **RSVP to Mary, Michelle or Amanda so we estimate food quantities.**
Youth Group Guys Day ~ August 5. Hang out in youth room. 12:00pm-4pm. Eat before you come.
Wed. Night Farewell to Interns. August 9. 6pm-6:45pm in Youth Room. Bible Class will follow at 7pm.
Area Wide Event ~ August 27 @ Sky Ranch~ Cost \$15.00 includes dinner. Bring swimwear.

FAMILY 2 FAMILY CAMPAIGN:

Neighborhood Campaign Door to Door: Sign Up ~ Join Us!
Sunday ~ August 20, 6-8pm
Monday-Friday ~ August 21-25 AM-Afternoon-Early Evening Shifts.
Saturday ~ August 26, AM & Afternoon Shifts.
 Pick up and return "Count Me In" forms at the Family 2 Family Bulletin Board in the foyer.

FAMILY SEMINAR

Friday, August 25th 7:00pm

- Session 1—What does a Healthy Marriage look like?
- Session 2—Blended Family

Neighborhood Cook Out: Saturday, August 26th 5:00pm
Saturday, August 26th 7:00pm

- Session 1—Parenting the Love and Logic Way
- Session 2—Discover your colors (a temperament test)

Sunday, August 27

- 9:15 am—Bible Class//**Healthy Family Practice**
- 10:15am—Am Worship// **Holiness: The Plan, Example and Practice**
- Noon—**All Church Fellowship Lunch**
- 5:00pm—Afternoon Session//**Marriage & Family Q & A with Bob.**

MEETING SCHEDULE

Sunday
 Bible Class 9:15 a.m.
 Worship 10:15 a.m.
Wednesday
 Bible Class 7:00 p.m.

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 > www.crosstownfamily.org/donate

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WHERE YOU WILL FIND:

- Info on events & ministries
- Our roster of elders & staff
- Sermon audio & other resources

CHURCH INFORMATION

3400 East Admiral Place
 Tulsa, OK 74115-8227
 Phone: 918-834-1395

CHURCH STATS

Sunday, July 23
 Bible Class Total 100
 Worship Total 185

Wednesday, July 26
 Bible Class Total 83

Statistics: Week of July 23
 Weekly Budget \$9,100
 Contribution \$8,839
 Contribution YTD \$263,683
 Budget YTD \$273,000
 Under YTD (\$9,316)