



**FORWARD**  
*by faith... a call to holiness*

*Pastoral Illumination*



The Spirit of God never stops His work at SouthCentral and He has been busy this summer. He has been growing us up into the holy people God created us to be. He has been at work changing hearts and impacting lives, and we're learning more how to yield to God's Spirit. How thankful we are for His presence with us daily. What thanksgiving we have to offer because of what He does to and through this

church family.

We have just had the icing on the cake on our year long celebration of 15 years as a congregation. Our anniversary musical was inspiring and well attended. As always the spirit was high. Our guests were thrilled and motivated and were not disappointed, for they have come to expect a special time when they come to the Church at SouthCentral. I thank all who came and participated. Whether you worked behind the scenes (which the majority do) or whether you sang in a choir or served in some other public way, the glory is all God's and the pleasure—all ours!

Now we are on to higher ground, but before we get there we must be readied and prepared. WE need to check up on ourselves as Christians and committed members of the kingdom to make certain that we're giving God our best and our all. For that reason, if God permits, I want to spend some time talking with the church about the basics of why we're here. Until we master these things, attitudes, actions and thoughts, we will never get to the next level God wants to take us to.

2014 is upon us. Plans must be made that challenge us as never before, and I'm not talking about events. I'm referring to service and ministry. Though we have wonderful workers at SouthCentral, we have need for so many more. We cannot overload the ones who are so diligent. Paul says, "We then as workers — *together* with Him!" (II Corinthians 6:1) We cannot serve the Lord in a vacuum. We live out our lives and work out our own soul salvation with others. I hope that we can end this year working, busy, planning —and praying. I also pray that we will become more daring and visionary as the people of God. To our visitors and those wonderful individuals who are not members here at SouthCentral..... I can't say enough about what you mean to us. Firstly we are just touched that you visit and that many of you keep visiting. In fact. I have heard some say that they don't like to be called visitors anymore— and that makes us feel special. Secondly, we want you to know that we invite any questions you may have about this church. In fact, we want you to get to know us and we want to learn you! Please keep attending our classes and services. Know that you are an important part of why we think SouthCentral is blessed.

**Senior Minister**

Darryl B. Bowdre

**Deacons**

Prentice Butler  
Charles Craddock  
Rufus Thompson

**Schedule of Services**

Sundays

Sunday School  
9:00 a.m.

Worship  
10:15 a.m.

Wednesdays

Mid-Week Bible Classes  
6:30 p.m.

**Regular Monthly Meetings**

2nd Sunday

**South CareGroup**

*In Auditorium*

**Central CareGroup**

*In the Intermediate Classroom*

**North CareGroup**

*In the McGowan Center*

Choir Rehearsal

2nd & 3rd Sundays

**Total Praise**

1st & 3rd Sundays

**SouthCentralites**

8:00 a.m.

1st Tuesday

**The GAME**

(Girlfriends Anointed Motivated and Excelling)

Thursdays

*(1st and 3rd)*

Women's Circle Meeting  
6:00 p.m.

4th Sunday

**MENistry**

8:00 a.m.

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