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Pastoral Illumination



What a wonderful year 2012 has been for our church family! The growth and retention rate is great. More new members are attending and participating than ever before. Activity like this builds a fire under the rest of us. There is a lot of movement and a lot of meeting and praying going on and we are thankful to God.

These kind of dynamics at the years end set the perfect stage for the year that is upon us. 2013 is a special time because it marks SouthCentral's 15th year. We are going to celebrate and recognize this achievement throughout the year and in various ways. We are planning for it to be one, if not the busiest year in our congregation's history!

The End of the Year service for 2012 will take place on the last Sunday in this month (December 30th — see announcement on page 3). We look forward to hearing from our choruses as well as from some of our program and ministry leaders about their plans for the new year. I will give a "State of the Church" address and challenge all of us about the bright and faith-filled future that is ours at the will of God. Let's pre-challenge one another to be present and accounted for. This is always a good service to invite friends and family to. Who knows what the Holy Spirit will bring in our midst? *"Never Underestimate the God we serve!"*

The Youth Council is back with power-packed plans for our young men and women. This is the ministry that oversees our Children's Ministry and the Youth. There is much to be done in this area and we are always in need of workers. The committee is comprised of a youth coordinator and those who teach and work with the youth in other ministries, but it is my no means limited to these alone. If you are interested in serving by working with our young people, please see Sis. Christina Butler.

One of our crowning accomplishments of this year is the ordination service that will take place during morning worship today. We are proud to welcome Brother Prentice Butler as one of the deacons of the Church of Christ at SouthCentral. Please remain as we receive he and his family after service at a reception in The Annex. We already enjoy the great work Brother Butler does and the talent and spirit that he brings to us. I am confident that God will continue to work through us as we work together!

Servants of the Church

Senior Minister

Darryl B. Bowdre

Deacons/Servants

Charles Craddock

Rufus Thompson

Regular Monthly Meetings

2nd Sunday

South CareGroup

In Auditorium following worship

Central CareGroup

In the Old Kitchen following worship

North CareGroup

In the McGowan Center following worship

Schedule of Services

Sundays

Sunday School
 9:00 a.m.

Worship
 10:15 a.m.

(4th Sunday)

Men-istry 8 a.m.

Choir Rehearsal

2nd & 4th Sundays

Total Praise

(1st & 3rd Sundays)

SouthCentralites

4:00 p.m.

1st Tuesday

The GAME

(Girlfriends Anointed
 Motivated and Excelling)

Wednesdays

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

Thursdays

(1st and 3rd)

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

Sermon Notes

Date:	Date:	Date:
Topic:	Topic:	Topic:
Scripture:	Scripture:	Scripture: