### **connect** IN COMMUNITY

### BELONG

As you think back over the years, what makes it so hard for most of us to keep New Year's resolutions?

#### GROW

What is something that has stood out to you thus far in the "CR Takeover" Series?

### CR Principle 7 says to "Reserve a daily time with God for self-examination, Bible reading, and prayer in order to know God and His will for my life and to gain the power to follow His will."

The focus of spending time daily with God is to increase our ability to fight relapse into destructive thinking and behaviors. Which of these four main causes of relapse do you have to guard against: 1) reverting to your own willpower, 2) ignoring the principles of recovery, 3) trying to recover without support, or 4) becoming prideful?

How can daily self-examination, Bible reading, and prayer help to avoid relapsing into undesirable habits?

CR Principle 8 says, "Yield myself to God to be used to bring this Good News to others, both by my example and by my words."

Based on the following verses, identify three ways that God can use our pain for good:

### • Proverbs 13:24 –

• 2 Corinthians 1:8-9 –

### • 2 Corinthians 1:3-4 -

How have you benefited when others have told you about a difficult experience that God has helped heal in their life?

How can other people benefit from hearing your story of trusting in God through something that has caused you pain?

What can you put into practice this week from this study or this week's teaching?

#### SERVE: NWA LOVING CHOICES

Loving Choices is looking for volunteers. One way to serve is through the Baby Bottle Campaign! For more information, call 479-631-6677.

#### **CONNECT IN WORD**

DAY 1	The Beatitudes Matthew 5:1-12
DAY 2	Story of Mephibosheth 2 Samuel 4:4; 9:1-13
DAY 3	God of Comfort 2 Corinthians 1:3-11
DAY 4	Time with God in Prayer Matthew 6:5-18
DAY 5	Workmen Approved by God 2 Timothy 2:14-25

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# this week

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### CR SERIES:

Can I Live a Life of Freedom?

Rodney Holmstrom David Attebery | Pat Anderson

FAMILY CENTER AUDITORIUM: Rogers

**CR SERIES:** Can I Live a Life of Freedom? 2 Samuel 9:1-13

Andy Petry | Rocky Favia

### prayer

to view or submit: prayerlist.fellowshipnwa.org

### **Thank You From**

*The family of Tom Herring*—Barbara Herring would like to express her thanks to the Fellowship family for their love and support on the sudden death of her husband, Tom.

#### The family of Jim Simmons—The

Simmons Family would like to say thank you for the kindness and compassion shown to our family during the grieving and remembrance of our beloved husband, father, and grandfather, Jim.

### Pray for

**Scott (Cheryl) Williams**—Scott is recovering from back surgery.

You may send a message of encouragement to the Care ministry for those mentioned above; it will be forwarded to the intended recipient(s):

#### Email | care@fellowshipnwa.org

Mail | Fellowship Bible Church

Attn: Care Ministry 1051 West Pleasant Grove Road Rogers | Arkansas 72758



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### **Women's Ministry Spring Studies**

wmevents.fellowshipnwa.org Women's Spring studies are online and will be starting in January.

### **Rogers Women's Coffeehouse**

Wednesday, January 23 | 7:00-9:00pm Rogers Community Office Great Room Come make a new friend and enjoy a lively discussion on "The Wonder of Discovering Your Best You."

### Women's Discipleship Training

Wednesday, January 23 | 6:30-8:30pm Annex Early Childhood Conference Room *Register.fellowshipnwa.org* 

Has God put someone in your sphere of influence that needs help growing in Christ? Let us help you get started by providing you tools for this incredible journey of discipleship! Contact Sarah at saernst@fellowshipnwa.org for more information.

## fsm

fsmonline.com fsmnwa@fellowshipnwa.org

### Spring Break International Trips Parent Meeting

Today, January 20 | 12:30-2:00pm Student Center West For all parents of students going to Guatemala, Costa Rica, or Ecuador. For more information, contact Bekah at regreer@fellowshipnwa.org.

### Spring Break International Trips Training

Sunday, January 27 | 12:30-2:00pm Student Center West For all participants going to Guatemala, Costa Rica, or Ecuador. Contact Bekah at regreer@fellowshipnwa.org for more information.

## care

fellowshipnwa.org/care care@fellowshipnwa.org

#### Grief Share Spring 2019 Tuesdays, January 15-April 9

5:45-7:30pm | The Training Center register.fellowshipnwa.org Grief Share is for those who have lost a loved one due to death. Cost is \$15 for

# family

materials.

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### **Parent Child Dedication**

Sundays, February 10-24 Family Center Auditorium *R*register.fellowshipnwa.org

Registration is open for Parent/Child Dedication that will take place in February during Community Worship. Register by January 28 to participate. There will be a mandatory informational class in the Training Center Classroom 161 on Sunday, January 27, during the 11:00am service.

### **MERGE** Premarital Series

Sundays, February 10-April 7 6:30-8:30pm | Fayetteville Student Center register.fellowshipnwa.org

MERGE is an 8-week, premarital class offered three times a year only on the Fellowship Fayetteville campus. It is designed to provide engaged and seriously dating couples a unique opportunity to learn, seek wisdom, and receive counsel on marriage from a Biblical perspective.

Sundays, February 3-April 7 | 9:30-10:30am The Training Center Chapel Cost: \$5 (at registration) *R*register.fellowshipnwa.org

A six-week study on the 10th movement of

We will explore in greater detail the narrative

Panorama of the Bible, The Life of Christ.

of Jesus' life found in the four Gospels.

training

9:30-10:30am

of view.

we believe it.

**Our Faith** 

training.fellowshipnwa.org

training@fellowshipnwa.org

Sundays, January 13-February 17

The Training Center Classroom 161

Tired of financial hassles? Join this discussion

on how to move from frustration to freedom

in dealing with finances from a Biblical point

We Believe: Survey of Theology

A 12-week survey of the basic doctrines of

the Scriptures following an outline approach

doctrine. This experience helps people know

what we believe at Fellowship NWA and why

The Training Center Classroom 166

to systematic theology or basic Bible

Sundays, January 20-February 24

Sundays, January 13-April 14 | 8:00-9:00am

Align... Your Finances

with the Heart of God

Cost: \$5 (at registration)

Cost: \$5 (at registration)

Panorama Plus 10:

9:30-10:30am | The Lodge

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Cost: \$5 (at registration)

The Life of Christ

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*Register.fellowshipnwa.org* 

Who is God and how can I know Him? What's wrong with the world and what is God doing about it? This course explores the Scriptures for an overview of the core doctrine of the Christian faith by answering eight key questions.

# global

go.fellowshipnwa.org go@fellowshipnwa.org

### Spring International Hosting Opportunities

In February, Spring International Language Center has scheduled three hospitality opportunities to connect Americans with international students. Two of these are Hospitality Days and the third is a fourday hosting opportunity. For details and to participate, contact Bethany Peevy at bypeevy@uark.edu or 479-575-7600.

# local

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### NWA March for Life

TODAY, January 20 | 2:00-5:00pm Mission Boulevard Baptist Church You are invited to join others from NWA as they peacefully March For Life along a 2.9 mile route that will end at Planned Parenthood, 3729 N Crossover Road in Fayetteville with a short rally. Choose from two different starting and parking points this year. Limited bus and car service will be available for return rides. Visit nwarespectlife.org and click on "Upcoming Events" for more information.

### Loving Choices Baby Bottles

Return to Booth D by Sunday, February 10 Loving Choices ministers to women in our community who find themselves in unplanned pregnancies. Support their efforts by filling a baby bottle with change, checks, or cash. Bottles are available today at Booth D.



teachina slides from today.

## **FELLOWSHIP** MINUTE

Mickey Rapier | Directional Leader

### Sign Up for Community Groups

Do you ever feel like you just can't add one more thing to your busy schedule? There's a concept called tyranny of the urgent... It's when we skip important things in order to deal with urgent things. Before we know it, those urgent things are running our lives! Don't let busyness keep you from participating in a small group. When we gather in Christ-centered community we find truth, relationships, and accountability. Your community pastors would love to help you find a group that is the right fit for you. Visit with them at the Community Booth in The Foyer or sign up online at community.fellowshipnwa.org. Don't let something as important as your spiritual health get squeezed out of your schedule by busyness. Make time to be in community, you will be glad you did.

## SPECTRA art ministry

spectra.fellowshipnwa.org spectra@fellowshipnwa.org

### Spectra Artists Gallery

Sunday, January 20 Worship Center Foyer Spectra artists will be in The Foyer today sharing original pieces that reflect story as told through art. This is a great time to learn more about Spectra, get involved, or just celebrate God's creativity!

### Are You New?

Text #new to 479-282-2406 Visit with us at the Community Booth in the Worship Center Foyer.



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