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Project Life Change Baby Bottles Donations will be collected through June 15th.

TOTAL COLLECTED: \$947.00



Xavier Cullars



NEW MEMBER BY Statement of Faith May 25, 2025



Mark Kessler

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NEW MEMBER BY LETTER May 25, 2025 All this is from God, who through Christ reconciled us to himself and gave us the ministry of reconciliation; that is, in Christ God was reconciling the world to himself, not counting their trespasses against them, and entrusting to us the message of reconciliation. Therefore, we are ambassadors for Christ, God making his appeal through us. We implore you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God.

2 CORINTHIANS 5:18-20

Each month, I've been writing about faithful church membership. Being a faithful church member is more than just showing up and having your name on role. Being a faithful church membership is about commitment to Christ and the fellowship and mission of the local church. Faithful church members are committed to gather, connect, grow, serve, build, pray, and give.

This month, we'll see that **faithful church members build**, as in building the Kingdom of God by reaching our community and beyond with the Gospel. I'm sure if I were to ask every church member, "would you like to see our church grow?" or "would you like to see people give their lives to Christ?" the answer would be unanimous: "YES!" But there's a difference between wishing something would happen and actively working toward the goal.

I'm sure that every sports fan wishes their team would win each week. And when that happens, we declare "we won!" But our wishes as fans do little to contribute to the victory. It's members of the team, coaches, and players, who actively contribute to success by studying film, game planning, working out, practicing, even getting the right nutrition, day in and day out. Fans just cheer, watch, and wish.

Faithful church members are not just fans, cheering on the pastor and staff. They are not just spectators showing up each week to watch and wish for good things to happen. Faithful church members are devoted to building the Kingdom, because they know that they are the Body of Christ and the church's mission in their mission.

What are you personally and actively doing to accomplish the church's Kingdom mission and reach this city for Christ? Praying and giving are vital to work and we'll cover those things later. But if we're not personally committed to doing the work we're funding and praying for, we're not faithful and when the members are not faithful the church fails. *(continued, next page)*

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So how can you become a Kingdom-building church member?

- 1. Pray for God to use you to reach the lost and look for opportunities every day to engage.
- 2. Invest in relationships with those who need the Lord or need a church family.
- 3. Regularly invite at least one unbeliever or unchurched friend to come to church on Sunday morning. I share the Gospel and offer an invitation during worship every Sunday! (To invite, you must commit to consistently coming yourself!)
- 4. When your friend comes (and it may take multiple invitations), meet them at the door, show them around, introduce them to others, sit with them in worship and Bible study, and help them fill out a Connect Card. Afterwards, ask follow-up questions, answer any question they might have, and invite them to come back.
- 5. Patiently and lovingly share the Gospel using Scripture and your own story.

Be a better Kingdom-building church member!



Homeless Sleeping Mat Serve Day

Saturday, June 14, 9:00 AM -12:00 NOON



Dalraida Global Methodist 3817 Atlanta Hwy

CALLING ALL TO HELP! Call Karla Groves 334-324-4732





June 8 - Children's Worship Grades: K-3 Please bring your Bible.



IN THE PULPIT SUNDAY, June 8 | 10:30 AM Pastor Dan Harrison "Out On A Limb"

Luke 19:1-10

ATTENDANCE

Sunday, June 1, 2025

SUNDAY SCHOOL	
Total In-Person	221
Remote	28

WORSHIP

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WorshipCare	10
Worship Service	211
Total Worship	.221

Montgomery Whitewater Rafting & Ropes Course



Friday, June 27 | 11:00 AM - 5:00 PM | Cost: \$45 For ages 8 years through 12th grade All minors must have a parent or guardian sign a <u>waiver</u>. You can register online or through the Realm App. You must register & pay by Monday, June 23. Contact Sandy Harmann (334) 398-2250.

We will meet at the church at 11:00 AM & return by 5:00 PM. Eat lunch before you come or bring it to eat before we leave. Please bring your own money for snacks. No outside food or drinks allowed to be brought into the park.
Wear a modest swimsuit with quick dry clothing over it and hair pulled back. Wear water shoes or shoes with a backstrap—no crocs or flip-flops. Bring a towel, fillable water bottle and dry change of clothes.



July 7-11, 2025 | Monday - Friday

Worship Arts Camp is open to students that have completed 2nd grade - 12th grade. Campers are divided by grade levels: 2nd-5th grades, 6th grade, 7th-12th grades.

> **Cost:** • \$350 after May 22

Register & pay \$100 deposit onrealm.org/events or contact Joy, 272-0604 ext. 214. \$100 scholarship available to first 10 students (2nd-6th grade) with perfect attendance in Children's Choir.

BUDGET REPORT

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Budget Requirements	\$662,870.12
Budget Receipts	524,446.19
UNDER BUDGET	138,423.93

2025 - WEEKLY BUDGET REPORT June 1, 2025

Budget Requirements	\$30,130.46
Budget Receipts	25,353.00
UNDER BUDGET	4,777.46

DESIGNATED

Designated

\$2,931.00



Carpenters for Christ will be traveling to Fairburn, GA, June 6-14, 2025. They will be building a sanctuary -Living Word Church Ministries. Please pray for travel mercies, good weather and an effective build.

Sanctuary Howers

The following dates are available for placing flowers in the Sanctuary:

JUNE - 2025 Sunday, June 29 **SEPTEMBER - 2025** Sunday, September 7 Sunday, September 14 **NOVEMBER - 2025** Sunday, November 2 Sunday, November 30

If you would like to provide flowers in the sanctuary in honor or memory of a loved one, please call the church office.

Sanctuary Flowers

June 8, 2025

In Loving Memory of Ron Myers, on the occasion of their anniversary, and Ellen Motisi on the anniversary of her homegoing, given by Sharon Myers

THE MESSENGER

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WEEKLY SCHEDULE

SUNDAY

9:15 AM - Bible Study Groups 10:30 AM - Worship Service 8:30 - 10:15 AM - Library Hours

TUESDAY 6:30 AM - Men's Prayer Meeting in the RR

WEDNESDAY

5:45 PM - Summer Kidz Night (3 years -6th grade) Room 139 6:00 PM - Adult Bible Study - Reception Room 6:00 PM - ONE (7th-12th grades) in the Youth Room 6:00 PM - Adult Choir Rehearsal 7:00 PM - Youth Choir POSTAGE

ADDRESS LABEL