



July 19, 2016

2nd Quarter Report

Dear CFC Family,

Exciting things are in motion as we head into the heat of summer! Thank you for your continued faithful prayers, financial support, Kingdom service, and commitment to the work of the Lord at Community! Our 2nd Quarter Report includes so much information. Place this report on your frig and read it more than once—you'll be encouraged every time you read it to know you're a vital part of what's happening right here in the tri-state!

- Tithes for April-June were consistently up (as much as 23%), and we exceeded our tithe goal this quarter by \$11,080.59. We strategically invest God's money into *His storehouse* to achieve our Core Value *Missions* to serve the spiritually lost, the hurting, and the poor (Malachi 3:10-11).
- WOW (Winning Our World, our mission's ministry) hosted a "Night to Honor Israel" banquet featuring Avi Mizrachi from Tel Aviv, Israel. Pastor Avi heads Dugit Ministries in Tel Aviv, reaching out to all people groups with the Gospel of Jesus Christ. He said, "Israel is the Holy Land, but is filled with unholy people." Through your generous giving, WOW was able to send over \$7,500 to this ministry. In May, WOW Missions sent an offering to Indian Ministries of North America for their Impact Warrior summer tour. This ministry is radically changing Indian youth with the Gospel, empowering them to live for Christ, teaching them life principles, and training them to be future leaders. In June, WOW Missions raised over \$5,300 through your generous giving to buy an aluminum boat to reach the isolated tribes in the Amazon jungles of northern Peru with the Gospel. This is a land with no roads—only the river—from village to village.
- In May and June, 114 people took *The Journey* (CFC's connection experience) and 30 people volunteered to serve in different ministries! Sign up for *The Journey* in the main lobby (or call/email the church office).
- Over 20 states (from California to Maryland) were represented in our Spring Revival and Partners & Friends Conference and tens of thousands of people watched our services online. Services were powerful!
- CFC Kids continues to grow! Leadership and development teams have begun. We had record attendances at the Spring Revival and Kids Camp, with many children giving their hearts to Christ, chains broken, and several filled with the Holy Spirit. Kids ministry evangelistic teams traveled to Ohio and South Carolina to minister to others.

- Faithful CFC volunteers fed over 450 people at the Ida Spence Mission project and the Hosea House. CFC Kids pitched in and provided the children in the area with a Gospel presentation. Another outreach delivered “Power-Pals” (bags of kid-friendly foods) and the love of Christ to the community of Taylor Ridge.
- Through the Young Family Fellowship, CFC families had the opportunity to attend a grill-out and participate in incredible testimonial services, classes designed for families with special speakers, social events, family movie nights, prayer meetings, and much more.
- Prayer Ministry Teams went to the State of Kentucky Capitol for the Decision America Tour with Franklin Graham for a day of prayer for our nation.
- Compassion Care Bereavement Card Ministry has sent over 100 cards this year. The Benevolence team provided over 500 meals and prayerful support for those who experienced a loss in their family.
- Caring Touch (our card ministry team) added two team members and sent over 311 cards this quarter to encourage our church family members.
- Man Enough Ministry hosted their annual Men’s Conference in May and a daddy/daughter breakfast. Man Enough Academy (Men’s Sunday School) continues to challenge men of God to become more like Him with messages from some of CFC’s own gifted men speakers.
- Iron Sharpens Iron, CFC’s motorcycle ministry, led their first ride with 16 participants.
- In recognition of Mother’s Day, Women’s Ministries hosted a mother/daughter brunch with over 175 mothers/daughters in attendance. They also organized prayer and fasting sessions in preparation for their annual Ladies Gatlinburg Retreat, which was a wonderful time filled with the Glory of the Lord. Women of all ages were touched including two healing miracles. The Women’s Sunday School class has been focused on prayer strategies through pressure, patience, and persistence.
- Helping Hands (supported by Women’s Ministry) made 50 quilts for orphans and 180 sachets for the mother/daughter brunch, premie beanie hats for Children’s Hospital, and fleece blankets for kids at Homeward Bound. They are currently working on Butterfly Hanky quilts for the Ladies Tea and plastic sleeping mats, scarves, and hats for the homeless.
- Celebrate Recovery and Divorce Care ministries offered spiritual encouragement and support to help members of our local community as they face challenges and rebuild lives. Topics include depression, loneliness, forgiveness, anger, reconciliation, financial survival, and more. Fall classes for Divorce Care begin October 1.
- CFC’s Internship Experience finished its first year. Our interns served in many different areas and are now serving our church. Interested in being an intern? Connect with us.

- Our newest ministry, First Faces (at the Guest Services Desk), has officially been up and running for over 6 months now! The team is receiving amazing feedback from both regular attenders and first-time guests. Thanks to all our new team members for your commitment to excellence and Kingdom service. If you are people-centered and would like to volunteer, connect with us.
- Impact (our youth ministry) honored 22 high school and college graduates. Impact also sent 108 students and staff to Youth Camp. Many were saved and filled with the Holy Spirit.
- United (our young adult ministry) launched Wednesday Night Life Group and started a summer series studying the book of Ephesians. They've seen growth and discipleship through study and Kingdom service.
- Community Christian Academy hired Dr. Lisa Hamm as its Director of Development. She is actively focused on establishing partnerships with businesses, a strong fundraising program, and ways to support other CFC ministries by sharing resources and scheduling.
- Planning continued for our new building project: a 36,000 square-foot facility connected to our existing church which will house a state-of-the-art children's facility, additional classrooms for our adult classes and small groups, a large lobby area, and so much more!
- We added four more teams of which you can be a part: baptism team, kitchen team, social media team, and photography team. Want to help? Connect with us.
- We are thrilled to launch CFC Small Groups this September! A talented team of volunteers has been working diligently behind the scenes to create a small group experience for everyone. The mission of CFC Small Groups supports our Core Values *Family* and *Growth* as we create an environment for all to learn, grow and mature in relationship with Jesus, family, and each other. For more info, see our groups on the back of this page.

Thank you again for all you do to make Community the best church in the Tri-State! Let's continue to work together to achieve CFC's mission: Living God's Word, Loving Like Jesus, Being Led by the Holy Spirit.

We love you all,



Pastor Tommy Bates



COMING THIS FALL!
LOOK WHAT WE HAVE IN STORE FOR YOU

MEN'S GROUP

The End of Me

WOMEN'S GROUPS

Crash the Chatterbox

Heart Made Whole

James: Mercy Triumphs

Made To Crave

MARRIED GROUP

Marriage is a Partnership

FAMILY GROUP

Manhood Journey

SUPPORT GROUPS

Divorcecare

Griefshare

Living Free

NEXT GEN GROUPS

Crash the Chatterbox

Next Level

Spiritual Growth for Young Women

PURPOSE GROUPS

Financial Peace

Foundation Truth

Heritage Senior Saints

Horsing Around

*Unfolding the Mystery of God's Plan of
Redemption*

M2 Developer's

MASTERMIND STUDY AND BUSINESS

PLANNING GROUP

Put Your Dreams to the Test

Not a Fan

Runner's Journey

SERVICE GROUP

Unqualified

eGROUPS

Israel Insights with Pastor Tommy Bates

Miracle of Highway 16

Walking Through Fire