



January 21, 2018

# COMMUNICATOR

SUNDAY MORNING | Beginnings: IMAGO DEI | [Genesis 1:26-27](#) | Mickey Rapiere | Seth Primm  
FAMILY CENTER AUDITORIUM | Rogers Community | Beginnings: IMAGO DEI  
[Genesis 1:26-27](#) | Robert Cupp | Pat Anderson

## WEEKLY HIGHLIGHTS

### SANCTITY OF HUMAN LIFE

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.

Return bottles to Booth D by Sunday, February 11.

### COMMUNITY

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#### RE|ENGAGE

#### MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT

Tuesdays | January 23-May 22  
6:30-8:30pm

Family Center Auditorium

A marriage enrichment program examining God's design for marriage through the application of Biblical principles.

Register: myFeed  
Keyword: [Reengage](#)

Contact: Marian at [mabuller@fellowshipnwa.org](mailto:mabuller@fellowshipnwa.org)

#### PRAYER REQUESTS

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[prayerlist@fellowshipnwa.org](mailto:prayerlist@fellowshipnwa.org)

To view online:  
[prayerlist.fellowshipnwa.org](http://prayerlist.fellowshipnwa.org)

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## FELLOWSHIP

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### FELLOWSHIP MINUTE

MICKEY RAPIERE | DIRECTIONAL LEADER

In October of last year, I shared with you that, back in the 80s, Robert Cupp, Gary Harrell, and I would drive to Fellowship's undeveloped property on Pleasant Grove Road and pray for the future of our church. With the recent donation of property in Bentonville and our Elders' decision to proceed with the establishment of a Bentonville campus, WE NEED PRAYER and I hope you are praying for our church every day! But I also thought you might enjoy coming on-site to the Bentonville campus to pray. So our Buildings and Grounds staff prepared a little fenced-in area on the new campus to make it convenient for you, our church family, to come here and ask God to bless the future ministry that will happen on this piece of ground. Feel free to come here to seek God as often as you like. We believe that prayer makes a difference!

### GLOBAL OUTREACH

[GO.FELLOWSHIPNWA.ORG](#)

Contact: Barbara at [go@fellowshipnwa.org](mailto:go@fellowshipnwa.org)

#### KRISTIN HARTNESS RECEPTION

Sunday | January 28 | 10:30am-Noon

Fayetteville Classroom 156

Join us for a reception to honor and encourage our global worker, Kristin Hartness.

#### AMATEUR CHEFS NEEDED

ISCA (International Student Christian Association) is in need of meals for the students that attend their weekly Bible study on Tuesday nights. This would be a fun activity for individuals, families, or Community Groups. Contact Kevin at [kevin.smith@iscanwa.net](mailto:kevin.smith@iscanwa.net) for more information.

### BiLD

[BILD.FELLOWSHIPNWA.ORG](#)

Contact: Terrie at [bild@fellowshipnwa.org](mailto:bild@fellowshipnwa.org)

#### OPEN THE BIBLE

Sundays | January 21-February 4 | 11:00am-Noon

The Lodge | Bart Sego and Nick Roland OR

Wednesdays | January 24-February 7 | 11:45am-12:45pm

Thursdays | January 25-February 8 | 6:15-7:15am

Fellowship Bentonville Offices | Bart Sego and Bill Freeze

Have you struggled reading the Bible? This class offers encouragement, helpful tips, and a daily reading guide.

It is designed to help people begin reading the Bible.

Register: myFeed | Keyword: [Bible](#)

#### THE HEART OF GRANDPARENTING CONFERENCE

Saturday | February 17 | 9:00am-12:30pm

Fellowship NWA Worship Center | Dr. Ken Canfield

Join us for a day that will move your heart, give you vision, and provide fresh ideas to help you shine as a grandparent. For more information and to register, visit [heartofgrandparentingconference.com](http://heartofgrandparentingconference.com).

#### RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

Wednesday | February 21 | 10:00am-3:00pm | The Lodge

Giving blood can make a big difference in the lives of others. Make a blood donation appointment with the American Red Cross today to give at Fellowship. Register at: [redcross.org/give-blood](http://redcross.org/give-blood).

### WOMEN'S MINISTRY

[wm.fellowshipnwa.org](http://wm.fellowshipnwa.org)

Contact: Sarah at [women@fellowshipnwa.org](mailto:women@fellowshipnwa.org)

#### SPRING STUDIES

It's not too late to join! Women's Spring Studies are online and start around the third week in January. Register now at [wm.fellowshipnwa.org](http://wm.fellowshipnwa.org), under the "Studies & Events" tab.

#### LEADERSHIP TRAINING

TODAY | January 21 | 11:00am-12:15pm

Office Annex | Women's Conference Room

Are you interested in growing as a women's leader? Have you thought about serving with Women's Ministry? Are you feeling prompted to take a new step of faith? Join us for Leadership Training 101!

#### ROGERS WOMEN'S COFFEEHOUSE

Wednesday | January 24 | 7:00-9:00pm

Julia Lever's Home

Join our informal gathering and develop deeper connections with women. We will also learn more about THE CALL ministry to foster families. Want to lend a hand? Bring a restaurant gift card to bless a foster family.

### CARE

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Contact: Brittany at [brsaunders@fellowshipnwa.org](mailto:brsaunders@fellowshipnwa.org)

#### DIVORCE CARE

Wednesdays | January 10-April 11 | 6:00-8:00pm

Care Conference Room

Divorce Care session is a 13-week curriculum-based national course for those who have gone or are going through divorce. Register: myFeed | Keyword: [Divorce](#)

#### GRIEF SHARE

Tuesdays | January 30-April 24 | 5:45-7:30pm

BiLD Training Center

Grief Share is a national program for families who have lost a loved one. Register: myFeed | Keyword: [Grief](#)

### FSM

Contact: Bekah at [regreer@fellowshipnwa.org](mailto:regreer@fellowshipnwa.org)

#### FSM SPRING BREAK INTERNATIONAL

#### TRIPS PARENT MEETING

Sunday | January 21 | 12:30-2:00pm

Student Center West

For all parents of students going to Guatemala, Costa Rica, or Ecuador.

#### SUMMER CAMPS 2018

Ravencrest | June 24-30 & Timberline | June 24-30

Summer camps for upcoming fall 2018 9th graders from Bentonville, Rogers, and Springdale.

Register at [fsmonline.com](http://fsmonline.com), "Camps & Events" tab.

#### MAD ABOUT YOU

Saturday | February 10 | 8:30am-5:00pm

BiLD Training Center Chapel

Move from anger to intimacy in your marriage. The practical content areas include anger management, empathy and listening, communication, and conflict management skills. Visit [liferelationships.com/event/february-10-2018-mad-about-us-rogers](http://liferelationships.com/event/february-10-2018-mad-about-us-rogers) to register.



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# CONNECT

## THIS WEEK

*Beginnings: IMAGO DEI*

## CONNECT IN WORD

### DAY 1

*Created in His image*

*Genesis 1:26-31*

### DAY 2

*The Institution of Marriage*

*Genesis 2:7, 15-25*

### DAY 3

*The Majesty of Man*

*Psalms 8*

### DAY 4

*Speech and God's Likeness*

*James 3:9-12*

### DAY 5

*Reflecting God's Likeness*

*Leviticus 19:2*

*Philippians 2:5-11*

*Ephesians 5:1-2*

## BELONG

We like to ignore the reality that we resemble our parents in some ways. But we do. In what ways are you like your mom and dad? In what ways are you a lot different than your mom and dad?

## GROW

To be created in the image of God tells us...

- *We are of supreme worth and value.*
- *We have significant responsibility (represent and reflect).*
- *We have a great need (restoration of a marred image).*
- *We possess created dignity and we express to others that dignity.*

- 1) How do you think we are like God? What are some ways we represent God?
- 2) Do you think we have lost our image? Why or why not?
- 3) Think of the most despicable people you know. Do they still have the image of God? If so, how should we treat them?
- 4) Seeing the image of God in other people should affect the way we treat them. For example: The elderly, the handicapped (mentally, socially, physically challenged), the seriously ill, the pre-born, those in poverty, homeless, or of a different race.

How do you see these people being treated?

How does this affect our "prejudice"? The way we view all types of people? The way we treat others?

## Pause to acknowledge this...

*God created everything.*

*God created humanity (image of God).*

*Mankind sinned and distorted the image.*

*God sent Jesus to redeem (restore) humanity.*

*Redeemed humanity conforms to the image of Christ.*

*Glorified humanity will return to the untarnished image of God.*

In response to this "image of God" reality, how will you pray, think, talk, and act differently this week?

## NWA SERVE

**Souls Harbor NWA** is a transitional living program for men. They serve 20 residents ages 18-65 for six months to one year. The program consists of case management, life skills classes, and workforce development.

Souls Harbor NWA has opportunities with meal preparation and serving. They encourage volunteers to use the onsite pantry to prepare the meal.

- Monday-Thursday at 6:00pm, dinner is served.
- The pantry is open daily until 10:00pm to select items to prepare.

To get involved, contact Charlene Fields at [charlene@soulsharbornwa.com](mailto:charlene@soulsharbornwa.com) or sign up at <https://takethemameal.com/meals.php?t=RKKN9649>.



Scan QR Reader for today's teaching slides. For previous services, go to [fellowshipnwa.org](http://fellowshipnwa.org) and click on the Listen icon in the top right corner.

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