



### **Compassionate Hearts at Work 2016-2017**

During the Christmas and Easter Celebrations our Compassionate Hearts Ministry Team worked hard to bring some comfort and encouragement to a family in need. The family in need had suffered the sudden loss of a mother of 6 and a great grandma. The grandma now is taking care of her 6 grandchildren and together with her disabled husband care for children ages 4 through 16. We were able to help with food and gifts during these two holiday seasons. One of the Thank You notes read...thank you so much ...because of you my grandchildren will have a wonderful Christmas. You are very special people.

**We want to thank each of you who donated money and gift items to these folks. May the Lord bless each of you for your kindness and love.**

### **The Titus Church – A New Study opportunity**

During the past 12 months Sandy has been in the process of studying the Book of Titus. She has now formulated a Bible Study for women. This Spring she began to teach the study in her Tuesday Women's Bible Study Class. When the Apostle Paul wrote to Titus he instructed him to appoint Elders in the Churches on the island of Crete. He went on to share specifically the qualifications for Elders in the Church. The main concern was that these be godly men who were to Guard the Word and preserve the Sound Doctrine of the Gospel of Jesus Christ, and that was just in the first Chapter of Titus. In Titus Chapter 2 we begin to see that the rest of the folks in the Church are also held to a high standard....thus we see the Titus 2 woman. And in Chapter three Paul concludes the Epistle with how the Church is to function in a world that is corrupt. It is a Book worthy of true examination. If you are interested in a copy of the study you can contact Sandy at [sandydaviswid@earthlink.net](mailto:sandydaviswid@earthlink.net). These studies are available just for the asking. We would like to hear from you. You can call us at: 407-325-2986 or at the ministry center at 407-365-5167.

***For the grace of God has appeared, bringing salvation to all men, instructing us to deny ungodliness and worldly desires and to live sensibly, righteously and godly in the present age, looking for the glory of our Great God and Savior, Christ Jesus, who gave Himself for us to redeem us from every lawless deed, and to purify for Himself a people for His own possession, zealous for good deeds. Titus 2:11-14***

### **Prayer and Praise**

- Praise to God for so many blessing through Women in Discipleship Ministry
  - Praise for such a delightful Women's Retreat this Spring
  - Praise for God's goodness in teaching us from His Holy Word
  - Prayer for Sandy to be refreshed during the Summer Holiday
- Pray for Compassionate Hearts Team to be guided and blessed by God
- Pray for women who participate in classes/ ministry teams to honor God daily
  - Pray for ministry to meet all obligations financially
  - Thanks to God for those of you who pray and give
  - That God would be Glorified in all our activities