



## Encounter Jesus in January

Memory Passage:  
John 8:58

Meditation  
Passage:  
*John 8*

### TNIV Bible (Community's 2010 Textbook)

will be on sale in the  
foyer for the next  
two weeks. Be sure  
to stop by to get  
yours or purchase  
one in memory  
or in honor  
of a loved one.

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## Welcome Jessie Dunn

What a blessing to introduce *Jessie Dunn* as our newest staff member at Community! Last Sunday, we affirmed our belief that Jessie was set apart by the Holy Spirit and called to minister within our Community family. However, this is not her first experience with us. Four years ago after completing her freshmen year at Lee University, she came to us as a summer intern. Being so impressed with her giftedness and impact upon our students, the leadership teams unanimously invited her back the following summer. When we believed God was leading us to expand to our present Family Ministry, after much prayer, Jessie's name was the first and only one that came to us. Upon contacting her we discovered that she was praying, seeking and being led in that same direction. Jessie recently graduated from Lee University with an emphasis in Church Media and Religious Studies. Originally from Richmond, Virginia, she felt a call to ministry at fourteen years of age. Jessie has two brothers, 'loves Community Church' and has hit the ground running. If you've not met this wonderful young lady, take every opportunity to do so. If you'd like to send her a note to welcome, please contact the office to obtain her address.



ENCOUNTER *Jesus*

## Room in the Inn Hosts

January 16:  
McMullen/Brown  
Life Group



Currently in Session  
Wednesday nights  
6:30-8:00 p.m.

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information.



### Wednesday Night Meals Menu for January 13:

Poppyseed Chicken  
over Buttered  
Noodles, Green  
Beans, Salad &  
Dessert.

We're off to a great beginning with our 2010 Theme – *Encounter Jesus*. Your response was overwhelming and so affirming. God's personal name I AM is so enormous that at times we fail to boil it down to **"What does this mean for me?"** How does this amazing gift flesh itself out in the most practical sense. We ended Sunday's teaching with these four points:

- To be in relationship with someone, I must know them By NAME. This holds true with Jesus above all. To be in relationship with Him, I must know Him by His names.
- I should acknowledge the difference between knowing Jesus by name and knowing another person by name. His name(s) is HOLY. When I encounter Him, like Moses, I am on Holy Ground.
- To encounter Him, I must be willing to SLOW MY PACE, to be still and know, to slow down, "stop and look" as Moses did and truly drink in all that He wants me to see!
- The message of I AM is that He is present tense and in the present tense ALL THAT I NEED. He is FATHER, MOTHER, TEACHER, PROVIDER, FRIEND . . . He is—The Ground of Our Being.

Plan to be here this Sunday morning. The choir will introduce an amazing song entitled I AM and we will look at Jesus as the I AM in *John 8*. Bring your Community Text Book (the TNIV Bible) and join us on this journey as we Encounter Jesus!

## CHANGE FOR LIFE

How exciting that the small gift of our extra change can mean life to someone in need! This Sunday, Jan. 17, you'll find baby bottles available as you enter the sanctuary. Take a bottle and fill it with loose change; then return it to the basket at the FRIENDS booth on Jan. 24 or 31. Crisis Pregnancy Center is an amazing advocate for the born and unborn. Prizing life it provides pre and post natal counseling, medical screening, abstinence education to over 25,000 Sumner County students every year. Reflecting the heart of the Father, there is a commitment to walk with young men and women through a time in life when often the alternative is abandonment—even by family members. Your gift will be a blessing during these cold winter months through your partnership in Change for Life with Crisis Pregnancy Center!





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## Men's Monthly Bible Study

Attention men -- our study of Francis Chan's book, *Crazy Love*, will continue on Friday, Jan. 15 at 6:30 am in the Stadium Room. Mark Williams will be leading us as we look at chapter four, but don't worry if you haven't attended before. Each lesson stands on its own as a great study so everyone can benefit.

## Father/Daughter Banquet

Our second annual Father/Daughter Banquet is scheduled for Friday, February 12. The cost is \$15 per couple with a \$20 maximum if you have more than one daughter. The price includes one picture of you and your date and you can purchase additional photos that night. The banquet is scheduled for 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm with the doors opening at 6:00 pm for pictures. For more information contact David McIllwain at 826-0790 or [dhmcillwain@yahoo.com](mailto:dhmcillwain@yahoo.com).



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