



**Women in Discipleship, Inc.**  
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**New Format-** We will present a new look for our newsletter.

The flyer will present an updated news page.

We will share the daily working of the Discipleship ministry team.

We have a vibrant outreach and are encouraged by many responses to our Outreach ministries. They include:

**1. Women's Bible study group-** Tuesday (time 10:30-12:30) in the ministry center. We are in the 1 and 2 Peter study and continue with in depth discussion and life applications. Sandy Davis wrote the study outline and is the teacher. All are welcome.

**2. Weekly Devotionals-** We conclude Why Genesis? in December. Biblical Creation Doctrine is essential to understanding how time, space and history developed. God Created and we are His people. The inerrant Holy Word of God clearly outlines His divine plan for us/

In January we will be looking at **Psalm 19 and 119** and the profound LOVE David and his counterpart had for **God's Word**. Can we love the Word like they did? (Weekly devotionals sent over the web).

**3. Compassionate Hearts.**

**WIC program.** We continue to provide 50 gift bags to pregnant women thru Seminole County WIC program every other month. The women receive items of personal hygiene, baby items, fun gifts, brochure on care of baby and wordless book with our phone number to text and explain the colors. (sample enclosed)

**Homeless Gift Bags.** On the bike and hiking trails of Central Florida (distributed weekly). The gift bags have a Bible and snack food, hygiene items and booklet for Christian living. The VA clinic receives 5 large gift bags (each worth \$15 monthly) for homeless vets!

**Gift Card Outreach.** Quarterly we send out homemade greeting cards to ladies to encourage them in the Faith. We are hearing from many of them and are excited to see such delightful responses.

**Snail Mail Ministry.** We have a new staff person on board. Lisa is putting together a variety of items in a gift box. This gift will include items for personal Devotion, for encouragement, hope and sharing with others. We will be mailing our first batch out soon. It will include delightful items of devotion and inspiration to encourage ladies to walk with hope and faith in these different days.

If you would like to receive a packet: Call, email or write to our ministry. Give your name and address and we will be delighted to send you one. You can use the envelope enclosed to request your free sample.

Christmas  
begins with  
Christ



**Prayer requests:** Pray for Ministry to keep the focus on Christ alone.  
For Jesus to keep our hearts focused on Him and His will for all aspects of our lives daily  
To remember to be continually thankful for Messiah Jesus and the joy of our Salvation in Him alone.  
Keep Christ the focus of our hearts always.

## Prepare for Christmas with this Brief Bible Study Devotional

At Christmas time we often reference Isaiah 7:14  
*Therefore, the Lord Himself will give you a sign  
“Behold, a virgin will be with child and bear a son,  
and she will call His name Immanuel.*

**Look up the following Bible reference and give the meaning of Immanuel (Matt 1:23). Write it below.**

**Isaiah referred to Immanuel several more times in Isaiah 8:8 and 9:6 write out Isaiah 9:6 below.**



***A child will be born to us.* Look up Luke 2:1 and John 3:16. Was this prophesy fulfilled?**

**Look up Isaiah 11:1-5. Who is Isaiah speaking of?**

**Look up Matthew 3:16, John 1:32-33 and Acts 13:32 and confirm that Isaiah’s prophesy was fulfilled in Jesus Christ.**

**Isaiah the prophet was called to prophecy in 739B.C. His work yielded many prophecies of Messiah-Jesus. He was called the “evangelical prophet”. Chapter 53 of Isaiah is portrayed as *Christ the slain lamb of God*. Isaiah is the one Bible Book that was found fully in-tact and dating back to the first century!**

**Christmas ushers in the Messiah Jesus. The Lamb of God to us. Are you Thankful for such an awesome gift? Show it today!**

**Let’s rejoice and share this Good News with the world...**