



# WHAT'S GOING ON IN THE MEDIA MINISTRY AT CFBC?

Welcome to our inaugural edition of the CFBC Media Ministry newsletter! This monthly publication will help to educate and inform you as well as bring you closer to Christ through your service. With special features each month including articles about Media in Worship, Technology Updates, Ministry News and Media Devotionals, we hope this newsletter will be a resource for you and help grow your talents, skills and passion for the ministry.

### **MEDIA UPGRADE & CONSTRUCTION**

Construction is almost complete in the the new Media Control Room and offices with carpet installation having been completed this past week. Next on task will be the installation of the actual technology and "guts" of the equipment, followed very soon by the move of the Media Staff in to the new space. With this move, much change will come regarding our crew positions, equipment use and normal Sunday Worship procedures. But, rest assured, we will have multiple training sessions in the coming weeks to help acclimate you to new equipment, methods and practices. Not only will we concentrate on the operation of new technology, but we will also make an emphasis on continued training for positions and equipment that does not change with this upgrade.

### MEDIA MINISTRY WEBSITE

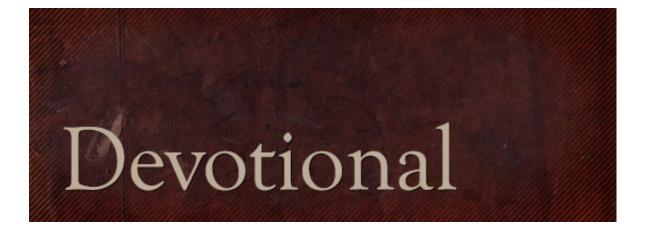
In the coming weeks, we will also be rolling out our new "Media Ministry Website!" This dedicated section of the CFBC website will be full of resources for both new volunteers and seasoned veterans. From an easy sign-up system for new crew members to equipment manuals, checklists and crew guides, this website will be your "one stop shop" for all things Media at CFBC! This is also where you will be able to view current and past newsletters as well as log in to your Planning Center account. In addition to all of this, future roll-outs on the site will add even more functionality, materials and resources for your use.

### RECRUITMENT

With the addition of new equipment and the media upgrade also comes the addition of new crew positions being added to the Sunday service schedule. With this in mind, we will be pushing recruitment even more in the coming weeks. From recruiting postcards to hand out in the Worship Center to a Media Ministry video (featuring many of you!), we have a lot of ideas ready to help with this project. That being said, we still need your help...you are our ministry's best assets when it comes to recruitment. If you know someone who would benefit from having a ministry to serve in, who enjoys technology, music and creativity, or who just seems like they would be a "good fit" for our crews, send them our way! Until the launch of the new Media website (where you will be able to send future recruits to), ask them to stop by the Media booth in the LE Atrium for more information or contact Josh Harbour at jharbour@cfbc.org. Our goal is to increase our Media Ministry volunteers by at least 25 new recruits in the next two months!

### MEDIA SUITE PRAYER RALLY

Join us on **Sunday, September 16th at 4:00pm** in the new Media Suite/Control Room for a special time of prayer as we dedicate our new facilities. Come be a part of CFBC Media Ministry history!



# SEPTEMBER DEVOTIONAL

If someone were asked what is one of the most basic principles of Christianity, he would probably answer, "love". It appears over 700 times in the pages of the Bible. In Matthew 22:36-40, Jesus used the word "love" to sum up the Ten Commandments. When He was asked what is the greatest commandment in the Law, Jesus said, "LOVE the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the first and greatest commandment. And the second is like it: 'LOVE your neighbor as yourself.' All the Law and the Prophets hang on these two commandments." (emphasis mine). Here, Jesus shows that love is associated with two of the greatest things in life.

In these two commandments, Jesus instructed Christians to love in this order: God, others and self. The Champion Forest Next Generation Ministries model it in their "I'm Third" slogan that reminds students to put God first, others second and themselves third. This is the way God expects us to love...<u>Continue Reading</u>



# BAROQUE CHURCH TRANSFORMED INTO A VIRTUAL MUSICAL INSTRUMENT!

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An interesting 3D projection and music installation by projection mapping collective Macula transformed a Baroque church in the Czech Republic into a virtual musical instrument that could be interacted with using laser pointers. The virtual surface of the Olomouc Baroque de-baptized chapel's interior was mapped and parts of the architecture reinterpreted by virtual visual elements via projection and sound.

Up to ten visitors could interact with the "Archifon" installation at a time, by directing laser pointers at over 100 elements to trigger different audiovisual actions. Angel statues sing when the laser points at them, window parts represent tones of the different instruments, elements of the paintings play different soundscapes, and sliding up and down the pillars creates a range of visual effects. <u>Click here</u> to see Archifon in action!



## **MEDIA MINISTRY TWITTER**

The Media Ministry will begin actively using our Twitter account (@cfbcmediatech) to keep you up to date throughout the week on what's going on in and around the ministry! From video shoots, to media equipment installs, you can stay current on your ministry and be a part of the action...follow us today!



# MONTHLY MEDIA MINISTRY TIPS & TRICKS

Each newsletter will include a helpful pointer for using "Planning Center" as well as a useful tip for one of our crew areas to help you better succeed at your assigned

position.

### **PLANNING CENTER**

*Frequency Preferences:* Planning Center Online (PCO) has a "Frequency of Service" preference in your account settings! This lets you restrict how often you are scheduled on a weekly or monthly basis. Simply go to your account settings (accessed by clicking on your name at the top of any PCO page) and then click on the "Assignments" tab above your personal information. In this new screen, you can tell PCO your scheduling preferences for how many times a month you wish to be scheduled. When using this option, don't forget it includes Sunday AND Wednesday services (for those of you who work both). If you do not have a preference, simply leave this option as "Any."

#### **CREW TIP**

FOR THOSE OF YOU WHO BRAVE THE HEIGHTS OF THE MAIN WORSHIP CENTER TO MAN OUR SPOTLIGHTS...WE HAVE A HELPFUL TIP FOR YOU THIS MONTH!

**Following Your Subject:** The easiest way to follow or "track" a person who is moving frequently around the stage is to watch their FEET. Don't watch their face or head...instead, make sure your spot is properly framed on them and then concentrate on their feet. You will be able to know when and where they are moving to since a person's feet generally start to lead in the direction they are about to walk...giving you a much-needed heads up so you can follow their every move!



## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

September 9 @ 5:15pm (FLWC) - FAITH Training Begins

September 16 @ 9:30am (FL102) - Membership Class

September 16 @ 4:00pm (Media Suite) - Media Suite Prayer Rally

September 21 @ 7:00pm (FLWC) - Family Movie Night: "Fireproof"

October 5 @ 7:00pm (WC) - "Love Worth Fighting For" Event, Hosted by KSBJ w/ special guest: Kirk Cameron, \*\*Full Crew Needed\*\*\*

December 14-16 (WC) - CFBC 2012 Christmas Production, \*\*Full Crew Needed\*\*\*

Well, looks like we've got a great month ahead of us! Exciting things are happening here at CFBC and we are so excited that you are a part of this ministry! We look forward to seeing you this Sunday. God Bless!

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