



# BOWMAN-FRANCIS MINISTRY PROJECT NEWSLETTER – EASTER 2017



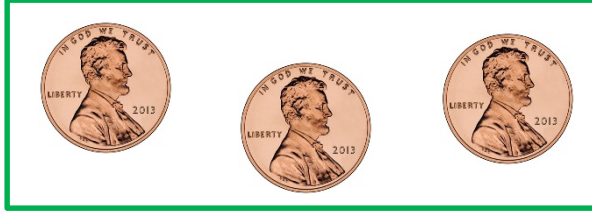
**HAPPY EASTER!**

Dear Friends of Bowman Francis Ministry,  
Easter is the Church's Super Bowl. It's when more people come to church than any other time of the year. Most Churches make the season a time of outreach and have many evangelization events throughout the Easter season. It's also when many attendees experience spiritual highs and think about getting involved with the church. Reflecting on this time of year, I'm reminded of the questions that comes up in relation to the Bowman Francis Team ministry: How many youths are going on the Ambassadors of the Word Cultural Exchange? Are there any scholarships for men and young boys attending the men's conference. Will the Bowman team bring the Sankofa and Youth Jams to the West Indies and Africa? The Answer is yes. Yes the BFMT is going to have Sankofa's and Youth Jams in Grenada, Trinidad, Belize, and Africa one day. In addition we are going to have women retreats in Atlanta, Chicago, Bay St.Louis, and Indianapolis. Finally, we will have three Kwanzaa programs in Gary, Indiana, Chicago, and Memphis, Tn.

We need you, our supporters, to be connected to the Bowman Francis team financially and spiritually for the ministry to be successful and fruitful. We invite you to be connected. We do not take such a connected relationship lightly. It's your commitment and donations that ensure we are able to take the Divine word of Jesus Christ to the utmost parts of the world. We are most grateful for our relationship with you our supporters and friends of Bowman Francis Ministry. Connection isn't a one time event. It is a growing and thriving commitment where we both share in the benefits promised to us when we come together and spread the good news of Jesus Christ. Connected together we can change the world and accomplish many things to the glory of God. Remember there is power, purpose, passion, prayer and peace in connectedness to Bowman Francis Ministry and as this ministry grows so will you become the best you can be. Prayerfully, you will be able to declare with us, God is good all the time and all the time God is good!

Towards a Higher Vision,

*Rev. Chester P. Smith, SVD*



.Remember to collect pennies and any monies for the Mae Ruth Smith Penny Drive for Ambassadors of the Word youth by May 14, 2017. Make all checks to Ambassadors of The Word, please. Mail to: Fr. Chester Smith, 815 E. 58 St Indianapolis, IN 46220. Your financial support has really shown us how amazing people can truly be in the face of tragedy, and we are elated to be part of this amazing ministry with truly caring people. Let's make this year's penny drive more successful than 2016.

## Upcoming Events

Montego Bay, Jamaica  
 Techny, IL (SVD Ordination)  
 NBC Congress

April 11-19, 2017  
 May 19-21, 2017  
 July 6-9, 2017

Memphis, TN  
 Belize  
 NBCCC

April 22-23, 2017  
 June 22-27, 2017  
 July 9-13, 2017

## Bowman-Francis Members Out & About



**BOWMAN-FRANCIS MINISTRY PROJECT**

We appreciate any donation that you can give to support our ministry programs.

\_\_\_ \$10 \_\_\_ \$25 \_\_\_ \$50 \_\_\_ \$100 \_\_\_ \$500 \_\_\_ \$1000 \$ \_\_\_ Other

Please make your check payable to: Bowman Francis Ministry

Please mail your check to: 815 E. 58th Street, Indianapolis, IN 46220

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR PRAYERS AND FINANCIAL SUPPORT!**

# Upcoming Fundraising Trips

## Ambassadors of the Word and Cruise Options Present:

### *Carnival Splendor*

Sailing for 7 nights

Departing June 16, 2018 and Returning June 23, 2018

### Cruise Itinerary

| Day | Port of Call                 | Arrival Time | Depart Time |
|-----|------------------------------|--------------|-------------|
| Sat | Los Angeles (Long Beach), CA |              | 04:30 PM    |
| Sun | Fun Day At Sea               |              |             |
| Mon | Cabo San Lucas, Mexico       | 10:00 AM     | 07:00 PM    |
| Tue | Mazatlan, Mexico             | 08:00 AM     | 05:00 PM    |
| Wed | Puerto Vallarta, Mexico      | 08:00 AM     | 08:00 PM    |
| Thu | Fun Day At Sea               |              |             |
| Fri | Fun Day At Sea               |              |             |
| Sat | Los Angeles (Long Beach), CA | 09:00 AM     |             |

### Cabin Pricing

|   |                      |
|---|----------------------|
| Category 4B Inside cabin (Deck 1 mid-ship, Deck 2 forward/aft)  | \$892.94 per person  |
| Category 4C Inside cabin (Deck 2 mid ship)                      | \$902.94 per person  |
| Category 4E Inside cabin (Deck 6 mid-ship, Deck 7 forward/aft)  | \$917.94 per person  |
| Category 6B Outside cabin (Deck 1 mid-ship, Deck 2 forward/aft) | \$992.94 per person  |
| Category 6C Outside cabin (Deck 2 mid-ship)                     | \$1002.94 per person |
| Category 8B Balcony cabin (Deck 6 mid-ship, Deck 7 forward/aft) | \$1132.94 per person |

\*Prices are per person and based on double occupancy. Prices include port fees and taxes. Lower fares may be available based on certain qualifiers. Please call for more information. Have your past guest number available if you have one. Prices are first come, first serve. Call for triple/quad pricing.

### Payment Schedule

May 1, 2017 \$25.00 per person  
Dec. 1, 2017 \$250.00 per person  
March 1, 2018 Final Balance Due (Cancellation penalties begin)

\*All payments must be made with credit/debit cards

\*Ask about trip insurance to protect your investment

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