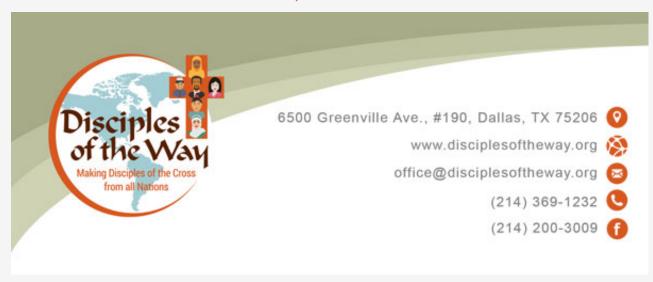
## Come & See, then Go Out & Tell!





St. John's Women's Bible Study Group and the Women of the Sewing Seeds of Faith Class

## Disciples of the Way would like to invite You to come and visit any of our programs!

See the great things God is DOW-ing for DOW!!!

## Come & See!!!

Recently, the Women's Bible Study group from St. John LC, Mansfield, joined DOW's Sewing Seeds of Faith (SSOF) Program for a morning of fellowship, sewing, and food and prayers.

Immediately after a short tour of the new Refugee Sewing Center, Women of the Way students could not wait to show their new American friends from St John their colorful quilts, jackets, and bags. They were very encouraged to make new friends and show their current sewing projects and talked a little bit about themselves, their experiences and background.



Zyian proudly displays her quilt.

Pastor Baidaoui spoke about how God in Rev 7:9-11 gathered people from all nations, from all tribes and languages. God sent His beloved son, Jesus the Lamb to exchange his white robe of righteousness for their dirty clothes and sinful garments and made the world'd cleanest and most colorful quilt on earth.

God the Holy Spirit calls us to come out of the church with joy and gladness into the mission field to show and tell our neighbors about Jesus His beloved Son.



Pastor Karim gaves a devotion about the colorful quilt of people from all nations before the throne of God.

One special and unique feature of our sewing program is the potluck lunches and devotion time shared between the sewing students and the volunteer instructors. The SSOF women welcomed their new friends from St. John's with a traditional Ethiopian Coffee Ceremony with some of their finest Ethiopian coffee and they were so excited to share a potluck of ethnic dishes for lunch. The Coffee experience really beats "Starbuck's".

Following a wonderful and delicious lunch, women from Mansfield, Dallas, Iraq, Ethiopia, and Eritrea joined together in prayer celebrating the name of Jesus Christ.

" Come and see what God has done:

He is awesome in his deeds
toward the children of man."
- Psalm 66:5

Disciples of the Way would like to thank the St. John's Bible Study group for their continuing prayers and their generous donation which will be put toward the purchase of a sewing machine and other sewing supplies as needed.

The SSOF women were all happy to hear that Angel, the white bear in the photo below, has found a home in St. John's library so that she can be enjoyed by all. Angel is one of the bears from Disciples of the Way's recent Hug-a-Bear gratitude project. Her dress and hat were made by SSOF sewers.



Mulu, Suzan, Carlon Cloud and other women from the St.John's Bible Study relax after an Ethnic lunch served with traditional Ethiopian coffee and Arabic tea.

## **Preaching & Teaching**

Disciples of the Way Ministries can also come to you!

Pastor Karim Baidaoui enjoys traveling to churches and Bible Study groups to preach and teach about the heart of God to reach Muslims with the redeeming love of Jesus Christ.

Most recently Pastor Karim was invited to Redeemer Lutheran Church in Cisco, TX where he shared his presentation "Islam in Light of the Cross" and spoke about Disciples of the Way Ministries and Refugee Service Center mission and ministries.

A recently baptized man named Karrar, a former Muslim, accompanied Pastor Karim to Cisco. Karrar continues to study and read scripture daily and seek more knowledge of the Gospel and to grow in faith and understanding of his Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

Karrar is now working at DOW's Refugee Service Center and training to be a disciple-maker according to 2 Tim. 2:2.

"What you have heard from me in the presence of many witnesses entrust to faithful men, who will be able to teach others also."
- 2 Timothy 2:2

Karrar felt embraced by his new family in Christ who live in Cisco. He said "I felt very loved and welcomed. No one has paid attention to me like the people of Redeemer Cisco." He said that he felt important to God because of his reception into God's family.

Thank you, Redeemer Lutheran Church in Cisco for welcoming a new brother as part of your family.

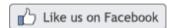
May God continue to add more and more Muslims to his Family and may His Church always be ready to welcome them.



The family of believers at Redeemer Lutheran Church in Cisco. (Karrar center)

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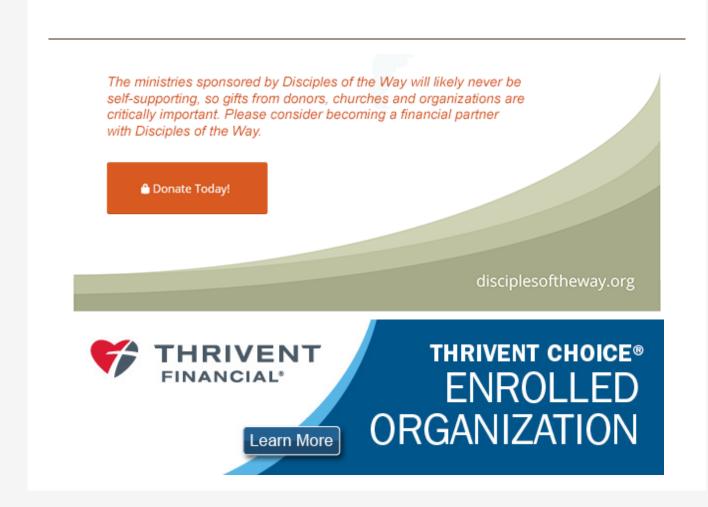




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