LEGACIES

This month let’s take a look at LEGACIES.

1. What kind of LEGACY did the following people leave for history and eternity? (Ask members to choose one of the following people and give a short synopsis of their legacy to the group.) You don’t need to do them all. Just choose three or four from the list below.

   a. Cain – Genesis 4:3-15
   d. Hannah – 1 Samuel 1:5; 1:10-11; 1:19-20, 26-28; 2:21
   f. David – 1 Samuel 16:13; 17:34-37; 17:45-51; 24:4-7; (2 Samuel 11:1-17, 26-7; Psalm 51; Acts 13:2, 22-23)
   h. Judas – Mark 3:19; John 12:4-6; (Luke 22:3-6; Matthew 26:14-16; 27:3-5)
   j. Lois – 2 Timothy 1:3-7

2. If you were to die today, what would your legacy be?
   a. What kind of eulogy could be shared at your funeral?
   b. What would you want on your tombstone?

3. Talk about your legacy in terms of:
   a. Physical (family)
   b. Social (community/national)
   c. Spiritual (eternal)

4. What can you do, starting today, to improve your legacy for the future?
   a. What kind of changes can you make?
   b. Think about your priorities, your moral/ethical base, your spiritual relationship with God through Jesus Christ, and your relationships with family, friends, and even strangers.
   c. Consider missions, ministries, evangelism, charities, and volunteerism.
   d. Consider how you could get more involved in the ministries and missions of CMA, furthering our legacy of changing the world, one heart at a time.