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GOLDEN RULE AWARD Jim Reese, President and CEO Atlanta Mission

"Ending Homelessness, One Friend at a Time"

Jim Reese is President and CEO of Atlanta Mission, headquartered in Atlanta, Georgia. He joined the organization in August 2008. Before joining Atlanta Mission, he was a member of the Executive Board of Netherlands-based Randstad Holding NV, and the CEO of Randstad North America with oversight for Randstad United Kingdom. Other positions held at Randstad were COO of North America and Managing Director of Operations for North America's Southeast Division.

Prior to joining Randstad, Reese worked for the Honeybaked Ham Company, Frito-Lay and General Food's Maxwell House Coffee Plant, in Jacksonville, Florida – "the world's largest coffee plant." In 1989, Reese co-founded the First Coast Manufacturers Association, which today includes more than 300 Florida manufacturers.

Reese has addressed audiences at Yale University in New Haven, Connecticut and at Western Michigan University, and at various business conferences on a variety of leadership and business ethics topics. He earned his B.B.A. from Western Michigan University in Kalamazoo. He is a board member of several companies including the Chick-fil-A Foundation and D&W Fine Pack, a member of the Downtown Rotary Club and a leader in his church.

Reese lives in North Atlanta with his wife, Dina. They have three daughters, two son-in-laws and four grand-children.

INTRODUCTION— Scott Sikes INVOCATION— Frank Bell

MARCH 22, 2016

Dr. Thomas Frieden, MD, MPH Director, CDC

Tom Frieden, became Director of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention in June 2009. He has worked to control health threats from infectious diseases, respond to emergencies, and battle the leading causes of suffering and death in our nation and around the world.

He is leading our nation's health protection agency to address these challenging health priorities.

- 1. Improving health security at home and around the world by preparing for, detecting, rapidly responding to and preventing health threats 24/7 to save lives and safeguard communities. These include global disease threats, antimicrobial resistance, foodborne illness and health care-acquired infections.
- 2. Reducing the leading causes of death and illness by focusing on reducing disease that sap the quality of life and longevity of Americans, including tobacco, uncontrolled blood pressure, diabetes, obesity, physical inactivity, motor vehicle safety, prescription drug overdoses, and HIV/AIDS.
- 3. Strengthening public health & health care collaboration by aligning, coordinating and integrating public health and health care to improve health outcomes.

A physician with training in internal medicine, infectious diseases, public health, and epidemiology, Dr. Frieden is especially known for his expertise in tuberculosis control. He has received many awards and honors and has published more than 200 scientific articles. He graduated from Oberlin College, received both his medical and master's degrees from Columbia University and completed infectious disease training at Yale.

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UPCOMING PROGRAMS MARCH

29 Alfredo Ortiz, CEO, Job Creators Network **APRIL**

- 5 Dr. Elizabeth Kiss, President, Agnes Scott
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- 19 Easter/Passover Program
- 26 Dr. Meria Carstarphen, Superintendent, APS **MAY**
- 3 LAW DAY—Richard Schneider, King & Spalding

UPCOMING EVENTS:

March 17—Kiwanis Connection Happy Hour, 5:30—7 pm at Sweetwater Brewing Co., 195 Ottley Dr. NE, Atlanta, 30324. Only \$10 for tour, glass and tastes of 6 beers! Come out and join the fun!

March 20—Hockey game with the Atlanta Gladiators, 2 pm, at The Arena at Infinite Energy Center (Gwinnett). Tickets are \$16.50, RSVP by 3/14 to kiwanisclubatlanta@gmail.com.

March 22—Job Shadow Day! Volunteer to mentor a Drew Charter High School Student. Contact wesley-carol@bellsouth.net

May 6—The annual Division One "Spring Fling!" Theme is "Denim and Diamonds," and enjoy appetizers, four course family style dinner, entertainment by the Big Chicken Beatles Band, silent and live auctions. Tickets are \$75 per person, or \$650 for tables of 10. RSVP to gtippin@milner.com.

BIG NEWS!!!

2nd Quarter Statements will be out by March 15th and we are now set up to receive payments online through our website!!! You will receive information soon on how to do this, but in the meantime, make sure you <u>VISIT OUR WEBSITE</u> and set up your password in the Member Area section. Be sure to write down your new username before you log in the next time!

ELECTIONS ARE APRIL 5TH. ALL Members are asked to attend that day to Vote!



INTERCLUBS

Mon, Mar 14, Buckhead, 12:30-Egg Harbor, 1820 Peachtree Rd. Karen Carlisle, kcarlis5@kennesaw.edu Mon, Mar 21, Druid Hills, Noon, Petite Auberge Rest. Chuck Bruce, chucksaudio@mindspring.com Fri, Mar 25, Northside, 12:15 pm at First Presbyterian Church. Mike Halpin, mhalpin@wpba.org Tue., Apr 5, Peachtree, 7:30 am, Landmark Diner, 3652 Roswell Road. Bob Wiggins, 404.552.1707.



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