

Central Church of Christ

Schedule of Services

SUNDAY

Bible Class 9:30 A.M.
Worship 10:30 A.M.
Life Groups 6:00 P.M.
*1st & 3rd Sundays each
month potluck lunch &
afternoon service.*

WEDNESDAY

Bible Study 6:00 P.M.

SHEPHERDS

Mike Allison
Toby Brown
Larry Stewart
Daryl Tucker

DEACONS

Brian Bailey
Richard Combest
Ross James
Kevin Leatherman
Bobby Moudy
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A Brother's Sacrifice

An eight-year-old boy had a younger sister who was dying of leukemia, and he was told that without a blood transfusion, she would die. His parents explained to him that his blood was probably compatible with hers, and if so, he could be the blood donor.

They asked him if they could test his blood. He said sure. So they did and it was a good match. Then they asked if he would give his sister a pint of blood, that it could be her only chance of living. He said he would have to think about it overnight. His parents were a little puzzled by his response, but agreed to give him the night to think about it.

The next day he went to his parents and said he was willing to donate the blood. So they took him to the hospital where he was put on a gurney beside his six-year-old sister. Both of them were hooked up to IVs.

A nurse withdrew a pint of blood from the boy, which was then put in the girl's IV. The boy lay on his gurney in silence while the blood dripped into his sister, until the doctor came over to see how he was doing. Then the boy opened his eyes and asked, "How soon until I start to die?"

Selfless sacrifice is always a difficult decision, because often times we only want to see what it is going to cost us. Aren't you glad that Jesus decided that you were worth His sacrifice? Do you know Him today?

I love you all,
Tim

WELCOME TO CENTRAL CHURCH OF CHRIST!!!

If you are visiting us today, we are honored you have chosen us. We hope that today's time together will help deepen your relationship with God and widen your circle of friends. We are a church family who seek to follow Jesus and be true to the Bible.

Please stay around after our assembly so that we might get to know you better. Thank you again for worshipping with us today.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Announcements, Prayer

587
538
155
123
167

Scripture Reading Message

924
382

COMMUNION

Closing Prayer

NEWS AND NOTES

- ❖ Due to complications, Jeff Swanson needed a second liver transplant last weekend. It is functioning well so far. His mom, Linda Swanson, is able to be with him for several hours every day. Jeff is in the Cleveland Clinic.
- ❖ Sue Jennings had thyroid surgery last Wednesday in Lubbock. Her surgery went very well. She should be home this weekend.
- ❖ Ray Jennings would like to thank everyone for their prayers, visits, and acts of concern during his recent visit to Dallas to undergo tests. He was given a good report on his heart.
- ❖ A memorial service for Isabel Moreno, mother of Avreelynn Moreno, will be this Saturday, April 17th, at the Life in the Word Church at 12:00 noon. We will serve a meal prepared by their members and brought to our fellowship hall. After the meal, they will meet at the VFW for family visitation.

Happy Birthday!

9th-Wayne Nevins, 14th-Maddy Klein, 15th-Brandy Hayhurst, 17th-Lanette Roach, Ross James

ACTIVITIES

- ❖ We will have potluck next Sunday, April 18th, after morning services. Join us for good food and fellowship.
- ❖ Family Day is Sunday, May 2nd, at Caprock Canyons near Quitaque. We will meet at Group Picnic Pavilion #1 for a potluck luncheon of sandwiches, chips, dips, and desserts. Tea and water will be provided. You may bring a cooler with soft drinks and juices for your family. Please make plans to join us for a day of food, fun and fellowship.
- ❖ The Children's Home in Lubbock is asking us to collect boys' pajamas for this year's Big Heart campaign. Any size or style will be appreciated. Please bring those pajamas to the office by **May 23rd**. Thank you!

Supported

Missions

Bible Chair
High Plains
Children's Home
AIM
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Preaching

Please keep the following people in your hearts and prayers:

Ray Jennings	Darla Young	Gaye Young
Melody Jennings	Linda Hodges	Lanelle Dovel
Bill Huff	Wynelle Waldo	Tony Brooks
Margaret Huff	Butch Moore	Annette Tracy
Janet Wright	Terry Cash	Duane Tracy
Noe Jackson	Linda Hayhurst	Theron Culwell
Lena Allison	Gigi Barlow	Carolyn Culwell
Jessie McKone	Yvonne Nevins	Jeff Swanson
Charles McKone	Carolyn Cox	Nelda Elliff
Service men and women	AIM Mission Teams	College Students

Records for 4-4-2021

Bible Class: 56
Worship: 112
Online Views: 536
Total Contribution:
\$4,064
Budgeted
Contribution: \$3,595

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