

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
Danny Tucker

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July 25, 2021

The Playground Fence

Parents who dropped their children off at the Pashosh nursery school in Jerusalem discovered something new -- a wire fence divided the playground in two. There is a sandbox on one side and a slide on the other. The children used to play on either of them but now they will be limited.

The nursery school is in a neighborhood that is divided between secular Jews and the ultra-Orthodox and the nursery school is divided the same way, with one half of the building used by each group.

The playground used to be shared and the children all played together during recess but a group of the ultra-Orthodox parents requested the wire fence so that the secular children would not mingle with their ultra-Orthodox children. Some of the parents say there is a simple solution -- kick out the secular nursery school so the ultra-Orthodox have it all to themselves.

Christians often have their own way of putting up fences. There is always a tension between shutting out the world and its evil influences, and remaining in the world as salt and light. We should always remember that Jesus died on a cross to take down the dividing wall of hostility. We as Christians should always be a fence-removing people rather than fence-building people.

Ephesians 2:14

For he himself is our peace, who has made the two groups one and has destroyed the barrier, the dividing wall of hostility.

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

539

622

"This Little Light of Mine"

Scripture Reading

Message

923

324

COMMUNION

123

Closing Prayer

NEWS AND NOTES

- ❖ Linda Hayhurst is now home from the hospital. She will have home health for a while and physical therapy also.
- ❖ Yogie Jones, Rebecca DeLaRosa's sister from Amarillo, is on hospice. Please pray for comfort for her and the family.
- ❖ Mike Allison got a good report from his tests. He is home and feeling a little better.
- ❖ Glen Waldo Sr. had another surgery on his foot last Monday. He is doing much better and has been moved to a rehab facility in Amarillo.
- ❖ Myrna Dickey is now at Craig Rehab, room #553, but has not been allowed visitors due to covid restrictions.
- ❖ A wedding shower is planned for Gage Waldo and his fiancé Sam on September 18th. If you would like to be a hostess, please let Anna or Nancy know.
- ❖ Patra Howard is feeling really good after her gall bladder surgery. She appreciates so much all of the prayers and concern everyone has shown her.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

26th-Pam McCrary, 27th-Shana Bailey, 31st-Carson McDaniel

ACTIVITIES

- ❖ We are updating the church directory. If you need your information updated, get an information sheet on the back table and return it to the office or to Anna. If you want to update your picture in the directory, please talk to Anna.
- ❖ Remember Movie Night! Part 4 of *The Chosen* will be shown today starting at 5:00, and Part 5 will start at 6:00.
- ❖ The time has come to get Christmas boxes ready for Central America. For those interested, please sign your name on the items you want to bring, or you may fill your own box with all of the requested items. Monetary donations are also welcome. We will work together to get the boxes ready at a sandwich supper on Sunday, August 29th. All of the information is on the activity table. Please talk to Debbie if you have any questions. Thank you for your help!!

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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	Nelda Elliff
Margaret Huff	Butch Moore	Annette Tracy
Linda Magallanes	Terry Cash	Duane Tracy
Noe Jackson	Linda Hayhurst	Theron Culwell
Lena Allison	Myrna Dickey	Carolyn Culwell
Dony House	Yvonne Nevins	Jeff Swanson
Charles McKone	Carolyn Cox	Dony House
Service men and women	AIM Mission Teams	College Students

Records for
7-18-2021

Bible Class: 49
Worship: 97
Kress Worship: 17

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\$3,437.75
Budgeted
Contribution: \$3,595

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