# Church of Christ

#### Schedule of Services

#### **SUNDAY**

Bible Class 9:30 A.M. Worship 10:30 A.M. Life Groups 6:00 P.M. I" & 3" 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

#### **MINISTERS**

Tim Johnson Delphine Ruiz

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#### June 6, 2021

#### **Squeeze More Joy Out of Every Day Happiness**

Time magazine once ran an article titled "14 Ways to Squeeze More Joy out of Every Day." The author, Ellen Seidman, said this:

"Sometime this morning, during your shower or at work, you probably did a mental runthrough of your day. You decided when you'd tackle various tasks and errands. Perhaps you vowed to hit the gym at lunchtime. Maybe you plotted to get out of something (apologies, PTA meeting). The one thing you forgot to plan for: happiness."

The author then gives a list of 14 ways to be happy suggested by Barbara Fredrickson, a social psychologist at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. The list, among other things, includes the following suggestions about how to be happy: "Make happiness your goal, know what makes you happy, prioritize it, and think happy thoughts."

A man, living in the third century, was dying when he wrote these last words to a friend:

"It's a bad world, an incredibly bad world. But I have discovered in the midst of it a quiet and holy people who have learned a great secret. They have found a joy which is a thousand times better than any pleasure of our sinful life. They are despised and persecuted, but they care not. They are masters of their souls. They have overcome the world. They are truly a joyful people. These people are the Christians ... and I am one of them" (Riding the Joy Train by Wanda Jo Pence).

Christians have learned a great secret: Jesus is the reason for the joy of joys. His presence in our life and the promise of eternal life in heaven with Him brings a transforming joy to any set of circumstances. So if you want to squeeze more joy out of everyday life, fit more of Jesus into it.

John 15:11 Jesus said, "I have told you this so that my joy may be in you and that your joy may be complete".

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

23

589 590

77

Scripture Reading Message

947

367

COMMUNION

781 Closing Prayer

#### **NEWS AND NOTES**

- \* Hayley Klein was given a very good medical report after her recent consultations and tests in Ft. Worth.
- ❖ Laura Brown left for Nicaragua last Friday, June 4<sup>th</sup>, to serve an internship for college credits with LCU. Please keep her in your prayers as she works with Mision Para Cristo the next six weeks.
- ❖ You are all invited to a bridal shower for Ben Cooper and Ranie Borchardt, granddaughter of Kenneth and Vicki Littlefield, this Sat., June 12<sup>th</sup>, from 10-11:30, in the home of Sharon Brown, 1107 14<sup>th</sup> St. in Canyon.
- ❖ Jennifer Brown is scheduled for back surgery in Plano on Tuesday, June 15th. Remember her in prayer.

Happy Birthday! 9<sup>th</sup>-Nancy Bonds

#### **ACTIVITIES**

- The annual "Change for Children" campaign for the High Plains Children's Home has begun. Cans are available on the activity table.
- ❖ Everyone is invited to our next potluck on June 20<sup>th</sup>. That is also Father's Day.

### Supported Missions

Bible Chair High Plains Children's Home

AIM

Sunset School of Preaching

#### Please keep the following people in your hearts and prayers:

Ray Jennings Darla Young Melody Jennings Linda Hodges Bill Huff Wynelle Waldo Margaret Huff **Butch Moore** Eva Castillo Terry Cash Linda Havhurst Noe Jackson Lena Allison Gigi Barlow Jessie McKone Yvonne Nevins Charles McKone Carolyn Cox AIM Mission Teams Service men and women

Gaye Young
Lanelle Dovel
Nelda Elliff
Annette Tracy

Records for
5-30-2021

Bible Class: 39
Worship: 71

**Duane Tracy** 

Theron Culwell

Carolyn Culwell

College Students

Jeff Swanson

Dony House

Worship: 71
Worship at Kress: 26
Total Contribution:
\$3,567
Budgeted
Contribution: \$3,595

## Central Church of Christ