

Central Church of Christ

Schedule of Services

SUNDAY

Bible Class 9:30 A.M.

Worship 10:30 A.M.
6:00 P.M.

1st & 3rd Sundays each
month potluck lunch &
afternoon service.

WEDNESDAY

Bible Class 9:30 A.M.

Bible Study 7:00 P.M.

SHEPHERDS

Mike Allison
Toby Brown
Larry Stewart
Daryl Tucker

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Teenager Calls 911 To Avoid Vacation

CBC news in Toronto reports,

A Mississauga teenager was cautioned by the Ontario Provincial Police after she called 911 to complain that her parents "forced her" to go on vacation with them at a rental cottage east of Toronto in Trent Hills.

"This appeared to be a case of a teenager being a teenager," Northumberland OPP Const. Steve Bates told CBC News. "Although she perceived this as a real issue, it was not an appropriate use of 911."

Officers attended the rental cottage on Trent River, about 180 kilometers northeast of Toronto, to ensure everyone was safe and that there was no "real" emergency, Bates said.

The 15-year-old girl has been cautioned for misuse of the emergency number. "Calls such as this tie up police resources which could impact the safety of others in the community who are in real need of assistance," said Bates.

Is it possible what we think is an emergency and what God thinks is an emergency are totally different things? This young lady suffered from what is referred to as a case of "first world problems." But you don't have to live in the first world to suffer from this condition.

Whether you're rich or poor, first world or third world, we all suffer from first person problems. This condition is the result of viewing life from a first person perspective. We do this when we become so self-absorbed that we don't appreciate our many blessings, or see the real needs around us. The solution is to shift our focus away from ourselves and on to the genuine needs of others, to choose to take on a third person focus.

"For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve others and to give his life as a ransom for many" Matthew 20:28, NLT.

Try to take the focus off of yourself this week and meet the needs that surround you for God's glory.

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

23

31

54

58

Prayer

429

470

Lesson

943

324

COMMUNION

Announcements and Prayer
"Firm Foundation"

NEWS AND NOTES

- ❖ **Ray Jennings** came home from the hospital last Monday. He is feeling better.
- ❖ Please keep **Paul Montandon**, nephew of **Mary Jennings**, in your prayers. He has serious health issues.
- ❖ **Gaye Young** got a good report on her last P.E.T. scan. Please continue to pray for Gaye.
- ❖ **Ed Workman** had his pacemaker replaced last Wednesday. The procedure went very well.
- ❖ **Yesenia Tovar**, daughter of **Emilia Garza**, wants to thank everyone who helped with her mother's funeral and meal. She misplaced the individual list but wants you to know how much she appreciates all of you and the love we share as fellow Christians. She asks for our continued prayers for all of her family.

Please check the activity table for details on upcoming events.

- ❖ Everyone is invited to stay for **Potluck** and early service today.
- ❖ **The One-Act Play** competed at Area in Seminole yesterday. Cast members are **Tyler** and **Tayleigh Johnson** and **Emily George**.
- ❖ **Family Night** will be this Wednesday, April 5th.
- ❖ **Men's Breakfast** is this Saturday, April 8th, at 7:00 a.m.
- ❖ **Men's Business Meeting** is next Sunday, April 9th, after evening services.
- ❖ On **Easter Sunday**, April 16th, we will have our morning classes and morning worship only. We will not have Potluck that Sunday or evening services.
- ❖ Our **Senior Banquet** is scheduled for Sunday, May 7th, after our morning worship service. We will be congratulating **Justin Brown** and **Jake Waldo** on their graduation. More details will be coming.
- ❖ Please mark your calendar for our annual picnic at **Caprock Canyon** on Sunday, May 21st, after morning services. Our potluck and early service will be at the canyon. More details will be coming.
- ❖ **Crystal Leatherman** will be leaving for Northern Ireland on June 6th. She is very grateful for the love and support her church family has shown her. She does still need some help with her monthly and one time support. For those interested, support sheets are on the back table and activity table.

Please keep the following people in your hearts and prayers:

Our service men and women	Lela Mae Nevins	Darla Young
Linda Hodges	Dwight McCrary	Elmer Weddel
Gaye Young	Angela Thompson	Joe Ruiz
Wynelle Waldo	Jay Weddel	David George
Jimmie Scott	Ann Thompson	Cierra Perkins
Darlene Riley	Mary Ann Garcia	Penny Sturgess
Our college students	Charles McKone	Brent Joy
AIM Mission Teams	Paul Montandon	Mae Brown

Supported Missions

Bible Chair
High Plains
Children's Home
AIM
Sunset School of
Preaching

Records for 3/26/17

Bible Class: 68
Worship: 114
Contribution: \$3,811
Budgeted
Contribution: \$3,955

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