

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

DEACONS

Richard Combest
Ross James
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Here Lies Ben Franklin

Legend has it that Ben Franklin's tombstone is engraved with his own self-written epitaph, when in fact, it is not. As a young man in 1728, Franklin had composed his own 'mock' epitaph of what he hoped his life's summary would be. It read:

"The body of B. Franklin, printer. Like the cover of an old book, its contents torn out, and stripped of its lettering and gilding, lies here, food for worms. But the work shall not be wholly lost; for it will, as he believed, appear once more in a new and more perfect edition, corrected and amended by the Author."

In actuality, upon his death in 1790, his tombstone simply read, "BENJAMIN and DEBORAH FRANKLIN 1790."

While Benjamin Franklin was not a Christian, he had a deep sense of the resurrection. In the end, though, there were no grand words of resurrection. Rather, only a matter-of-fact statement of death. You see, it is not enough to "know about" the resurrection. One must "know" the One Who rose and promises to raise us up together with Him.

1 Corinthians 15:1-4

"Now, brothers and sisters, I want to remind you of the gospel I preached to you, which you received and on which you have taken your stand. By this gospel you are saved, if you hold firmly to the word I preached to you. Otherwise, you have believed in vain. For what I received I passed on to you as of first importance: that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day according to the Scriptures".

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

3
111
179
332

COMMUNION

162
185
Prayer
230
Lesson
917

Announcements and Prayer

NEWS AND NOTES

- ❖ Please keep **Carol Martin** in your prayers. She has health issues that prevent her from attending worship.
- ❖ **Jane Burson** of Silverton has been diagnosed with cancer. Please keep her in your prayers.
- ❖ **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 still needs some help with her monthly and one time support. For those interested, support sheets are on the back table and activity table.

Please check the activity table for details on upcoming events.

- ❖ **Family Night** is this Wednesday, May 3rd.
- ❖ **Everyone** is invited to our Senior Banquet immediately following morning service next Sunday, May 7th. The meal will be provided. Graduating seniors are **Justin Brown** and **Jake Waldo**. Baskets for gifts to Justin and Jake are on the activity table. Congratulations to Justin and Jake!
- ❖ **Men's Breakfast** is Saturday, May 13th. This will be our last breakfast until fall.
- ❖ Mark your calendar for our annual picnic at **Caprock Canyon** on Sunday, May 21st, after morning service. Our potluck and early service will be at the canyon. More details will be coming.
- ❖ May 24th will be our last **Wednesday Morning Bible Class** until fall.
- ❖ **Vacation Bible School** is scheduled for Sunday, June 4th through Wednesday, June 7th.

Supported Missions

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

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	Brent Joy	Mae Brown
AIM Mission Teams	Paul Montandon	

Records for 4/23/17

Bible Class: 72
Worship: 111
Contribution: not posted
Budgeted
Contribution: \$3,955

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