

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 Study 7:00 P.M.

SHEPHERDS

Mike Allison
Toby Brown
Larry Stewart
Daryl Tucker

DEACONS

Richard Combest
Ross James
Kevin Leatherman
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The Perpetual Mouse Trap

Bryan Nelson with Mother Nature Network writes:

"An antique mousetrap displayed at the Museum of English Rural Life (MERL) has proven that it may be old, but it's not obsolete. The 155-year-old contraption was recently found with an unfortunate mouse trapped inside, according to a MERL blog post.

The trap, first patented in 1861, has rusted, warped metal bars and a faded label that reads "Perpetual Mouse Trap," aptly adding that it "will last a lifetime." Apparently it's capable of lasting even longer than that.

The trap, on display, wasn't baited, but that didn't matter. It's designed to work via a seesaw mechanism that uses the pest's own weight to tip it, sealing the mouse inside. It's a simple mechanism, but timelessly effective."

Many people today think of the church, and the Christian way of life, as relics of the past. But just because something has been around a long time doesn't mean it's obsolete. The Gospel is ancient, reaching back to God's determination to save the world through Christ before the foundations of the earth were ever formed, but that doesn't mean it is irrelevant to us today.

Jesus promises that He will be with us always.

Matthew 28:19-20 New International Version (NIV)

¹⁹ Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, ²⁰ and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."

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

718

744

477

Prayer

375

376

COMMUNION

176

180

Lesson

908

Announcements and Prayer

NEWS AND NOTES

- ❖ Ray and Melody Jennings traveled to Dallas last Wednesday to continue treatments for Ray's myasthenia gravis.
- ❖ Treva Murrell continues to improve from hip surgery and has been staying with Dusty and Kim George.
- ❖ Jay Jennings is recovering and doing well after his open-heart surgery.
- ❖ Terry Cash will not be undergoing treatments at this time, but will go back to M.D. Anderson in Nov. for appointments.
- ❖ Brian Bailey is scheduled for back surgery this Thursday, August 9th, in Plano. Please be praying for Brian and Shana.
- ❖ Please continue to pray for Mary Jennings' nephew, Paul Montandon. His condition has worsened.
- ❖ Funeral services for Alice Richardson were last Tuesday here at the building. Please keep her family in your prayers.

Happy Birthday!
5th-Cynthia Yarbrough, 11th-Kelly Hayhurst

Please check the activity table for details on upcoming events.

- ❖ Today is our Potluck Luncheon and early service. Please join us.
- ❖ Everyone is invited to celebrate the marriage of Andrew and Kim Caviness at Potluck today. Desserts are provided by the hostesses. We will be presenting them with a money tree.
- ❖ Please join us this Wed., Aug. 8th, for the final evening of our Summer Series with Bailey Chisum from Dimmitt. Then join us for Wednesday evening Bible classes, starting back up August 15th.
- ❖ Men's Business Meeting is next Sunday, August 12th, following evening services.
- ❖ The church directory will launch August 19th! If you want the app for your phone, we need to have your email address and a password. If you want a paper copy of the directory, please add your name to the list on the activity table.
- ❖ Family Movie Night will be Sunday evening, August 19th, at 5:00, featuring "Woodlawn".
- ❖ Christmas boxes for Nicaraguan children will be filled at our sandwich supper on Sunday evening, August 26th. If you signed up to help fill boxes, you may bring your items to the sandwich supper or drop them by the office. We will also be accepting donations to cover charges for shipping. If you have any questions, please talk to Debbie or call the office.
- ❖ Our new AIM students will be here beginning on August 26th. If you would like to host them for a Sunday meal, please check the sign-up sheet on the activity table.

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 AIM
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 Preaching

Please keep the following people in your hearts and prayers:

Our service men and women	Darla Young	Brent Joy
Linda Hodges	Dwight McCrary	Susan Elliott
Gaye Young	Jessie McKone	Joe Ruiz
Wynelle Waldo	Jay Weddel	David George
Jimmie Scott	Paul Montandon	Cierra Perkins
Darlene Riley	Mary Ann Garcia	Phillip Allison
Connor Brice	Lanelle Dovel	Gary Elliff
Noe Jackson	Charles McKone	Mickey White
Mary Rampley	Gigi Barlow	Terry Cash
Our College Students	AIM Mission Teams	Rebecca Cobb

Records for

7/29/2018

Bible Class: 71
 Worship: 89
 Contribution: \$3,242
 Budgeted
 Contribution: \$3,595

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