

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
Kevin Leatherman
Bobby Moudy
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October 29, 2017

Daniel and Susan Bakeman

Daniel Bakeman was born on October 9, 1759. He married Susan Brewer on August 29, 1772, though not yet a teenager. Soon after, he joined the American army during the Revolutionary War. Not only did he survive the war, he lived almost another 100 years. When he died on April 5, 1869, he was most likely the last surviving veteran of the war that made us a country. He lived about four years after the end of the Civil War.

As remarkable as that distinction is, he also was part of another world record that still stands to this day. His marriage to Susan lasted until September 10, 1863, when she passed away. That means the Bakeman's were married for 91 years and 12 days. I cannot find anything about the details of that marriage, but they left many descendants who carry, through various spellings of the family name, the names Bachman, Beckman, Bakeman, Bateman, and even Baker.

Various archives indicate that Mr. Bakeman was lively and humorous to the end and that Mrs. Bakeman exhibited needlework she had done without the aid of glasses when she was 102. They lived and died in a town called Freedom, and Mr. Bakeman holds the distinction of having voted in every election from Washington to Grant.

As remarkable as his military distinction is, his marriage distinction deserves higher honor. He fought in and survived a war that lasted less than ten years. He endured hardships and who knows how many ups and downs, and undoubtedly some trying marital moments in almost a century of marriage. They were together to the end, a true example of committed love.

You will most likely fail to break the Bakemans' record for length of marriage, but you might match or exceed what they enjoyed in their marriage. Ask yourself these questions about your marriage. What are you doing to build upon the love we have in Jesus in your relationship with your spouse? What daily investments are you making?

Your marriage will be remembered by those who know you. How it will be remembered is something over which you have full control. Make it a legacy of lasting love.

John 13:34

A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another.

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

569

570

571

337

LORD'S SUPPER

572

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Prayer

162

Message

949

Announcements and Prayer

NEWS AND NOTES

- ❖ Please remember Bettie Lu Herndon in your prayers. She has a doctor's appointment this Thursday.
- ❖ Justin Nash went home from the hospital last Tuesday. He continues to improve.
- ❖ Noe Jackson is now in Covenant Hospital in Lubbock. He is having more health problems.
- ❖ We celebrate with Blake Raymond on his recent baptism. He is the son of Ramona Raymond.
- ❖ Mary and Dwight Rampley say thank you for the prayers. Mary has convinced Dwight to stay away from the bulls and his son, Jeff, will be taking over.

No new birthdays this week.

Please check the activity table for details on upcoming events in our area.

- ❖ We are planning a Trunk or Treat event, weather permitting, at Connor Park on Broadway this evening, October 29th, from 5:00-6:30. We will have a devotional followed by hot dogs and our annual Trunk or Treat. The community is invited, so we need everyone to bring treats to pass out from the pavilion or your trunk. Please bring your lawn chairs.
- ❖ Family Night is this Wednesday, November 1st, at 6:00.
- ❖ Next Sunday, November 5th, is our Potluck Luncheon and early service. Please make plans to stay and join us.
- ❖ The next family movie night will be next Sunday, Nov. 5th, at 5:00 p.m. We will be showing Courageous! Popcorn will be provided, so please bring any other snacks or drinks you want!
- ❖ Our Mission Sunday will be November 19th.
- ❖ Our annual Thanksgiving Meal Delivery will be November 19th after potluck.
- ❖ We are planning to send a Christmas gift box to Crystal Leatherman. More info will be coming next week.
- ❖ Please mark your calendar for our annual talent show on December 3rd.

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Bible Chair
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Preaching

Please keep the following people in your hearts and prayers:

Our service men and women	Susan Elliott	Brent Joy
Linda Hodges	Dwight McCrary	Cabe Lamb
Gaye Young	Angela Thompson	Joe Ruiz
Wynelle Waldo	Jay Weddel	David George
Jimmie Scott	Paul Montandon	Cierra Perkins
Darlene Riley	Mary Ann Garcia	Ann Thompson
Connor Brice	Carol Martin	Darla Young
Our College Students	AIM Mission Teams	

Records for

10/22/17

Bible Class: 65
Worship: 101
Contribution: \$2,680
Budgeted
Contribution: \$3,955

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