

Central Church of Christ

Schedule of Services

SUNDAY

Bible Class 9:30 am
Worship 10:30 am

*1st & 3rd Sunday each
month, potluck lunch
and afternoon service.*

*2nd & 4th Sunday each
month, evening service
& sandwich supper at
6:00 pm.*

WEDNESDAY

Bible Study 6:00 pm

SHEPHERDS

Toby Brown
Larry Stewart
Daryl Tucker

DEACONS

Brian Bailey
Richard Combest
Ross James
Kevin Leatherman
Bobby Moudy
Danny Tucker

MINISTERS

Stacy McCasland
Delphine Ruiz

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March 12, 2023

The Value of Good Books

Our library continues to grow and should be used. Already it contains many good books in a wide field of subjects. People are gracious to continue to contribute to the library so that it continues to enjoy good growth.

Good books are the repository of the culture and the knowledge of the human race. Many of the great of the past live in their writings. What would the world be today without the writings of Homer and Cicero, Shakespeare and Ibsen, Carlyle and Emerson, and countless others who have left a heritage beyond price!

“As Lowell observed, we can live in the company of the kings of the ages in their books. No one needs to live among the beggars of thought when he can keep company with kings.”

A Persian poet said –

“If of mortal goods thou art bereft,
And from thy slender store two loaves alone to thee are left,
Sell one, and with the dole,
Buy hyacinths to feed the soul.”

“The soul must not alone be sustained by beauty, but by the things one thinks, and one is led to think as he reads. One cannot afford to be without good books, unless he invites poverty and heart and soul...Seek beauty and wisdom, and thus attain to a degree of culture and happiness. Of what value is this human struggle if it is not to bring an enriched understanding and the enjoyment of beauty?”

Even better than the Persian poet’s suggestion, we do not have to buy the good books – they are on loan FREE.

By Harold Kennamer, from *The Tulia Evangel*, March 10, 1983.

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

Song
Song
Song

COMMUNION

Song
Song

Lesson

Song
Closing Prayer

NEWS AND NOTES

- ❖ Virginia Sprawls remains in Swisher Memorial as she recuperates from surgery.
- ❖ Evelyn Rossi was in NWT hospital last weekend with heart issues. She is now at Swisher Memorial hospital and has been doing better.
- ❖ Joshua Moore is back in Tulia and is able to work a few days a week at the pharmacy.
- ❖ Sam Sadler has health issues and is in rehab in Amarillo. Please keep him in your prayers.
- ❖ A heart-shaped charm was found in the floor here in the building. If it's yours, we have it in the office.

Happy Birthday!

14th-Sharla Moudy

ACTIVITIES

- ❖ Today will be our 2nd Sunday evening service and sandwich supper, starting at 6:00. Please join us to welcome Stacy and Lisa McCasland to our church family!
- ❖ Next Sunday, March 19th, is our 3rd Sunday potluck and early service.
- ❖ The ladies of Bell Avenue would like to invite you to attend their Spring Ladies Day, featuring Donna Barbour as speaker, on Saturday, March 25th, with registration at 9 am. Refreshments and a luncheon will be served. If you plan on attending, please let Lanette know by March 18th.

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	Gaye Young
Joshua Moore	Linda Hodges
Bill Huff	Dony House
Margaret Huff	Leland House
Ramona Raymond	Terry Cash
Kandi Stewart	Lanelle Dovel
Jeff Swanson	Nelda Elliff
Service men and women	AIM Mission Teams
	Annette Tracy
	Duane Tracy
	Mike Hale
	Leland House
	College Students

Records for 3-5-2023

Tulia Bible Class: 55
Tulia Worship: 92
Kress Bible Class: 22
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Total Contribution:
\$4,351
Budgeted Contribution:
\$3,595

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