

Central Church of Christ

April 9, 2023

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

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THE BIBLE SAYS...

JOHN THE BAPTIST SAID... "Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!" He said this one day when he was baptizing and saw Jesus coming toward him. John was the prophet, who had been sent to "make straight the way for the Lord," and to reveal Jesus to Israel. Out of the many names and descriptions with which he could have called Jesus, he chose to call him Lamb of God. One reason he might have chosen this name is because the Jews were very familiar with the lamb being the animal of the altar. The lamb was known to them for the many and great instances found in the Old Testament.

The first and most famous of these is the story of Abraham and Isaac. Abraham was told to go up on a mountain and offer Isaac, his only son, as a sacrifice to God (Genesis 22:1-14). This was a test of Abraham's faith. On the way up the mountain, Isaac said to his father, "I see the fire and the wood, but where is the lamb for the offering?" Abraham simply said, "God will provide." And God did just that and told Abraham to not harm the boy and provided a ram for the offering.

Later, the lamb played a large part in the sacrificial system that was designed to make atonement for sins. God has provided for us a sacrificial lamb to take away our sins. Jesus, the Lamb of God, is our sacrificial lamb. He is our provisional lamb. He is our lamb of atonement. Jesus Christ is the Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world. "Worthy is the Lamb who was slain, to receive power and wealth and wisdom and might and honor and glory and blessing (Revelation 5:12)."

THE LORD IS COMING

Stacy McCasland
Central Church of Christ
Tulia, Texas

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
Scripture Reading
Lesson
Song
Closing Prayer

NEWS AND NOTES

- ❖ Zack McCaslin will have heart surgery tomorrow, April 10th, in Houston. Please keep him in your prayers.
- ❖ Dwight Rampley has a consultation in San Angelo this Friday, April 14th, to see if he is eligible for a deep brain implant. Please keep him in your prayers.
- ❖ Please continue to pray for Virginia Sprawls, her daughter Karen Duvall, and Virginia's sister Gloria Madden, all of whom are having health issues.

Happy Birthday!
14th-Maddy Klein

ACTIVITIES

- ❖ Today, April 9th, is our evening service and sandwich supper, starting at 6:00.
- ❖ Amarillo Community Chorale presents the 2023 Spring Southern Gospel Concert on April 14th, 7:00 pm, at the Washington Avenue Christian Church. Tommy Stewart is a member of the chorus.
- ❖ Next Sunday, April 16th, will be our 3rd Sunday potluck and early service.
- ❖ Movie Night will also be next Sunday, featuring episodes 7 and 8 of *The Chosen*.
- ❖ Memphis Church of Christ invites you to a gospel meeting on April 16-19. More information is on the back table.
- ❖ Milwaukee Ave. Church of Christ in Lubbock invites you to a praise music seminar April 14-16. Check on back table.
- ❖ We have gift baskets in the office for Seniors Kelly Hayhurst and Audrey Nobile. Congratulations to these seniors who are graduating from Kress High School.
- ❖ You are invited to a bridal shower in honor of Tayleigh Johnson on Saturday, April 29th, at 1 pm at 46 Travis Road. Tayleigh is registered at Moore Than Medicine and www.TheKnot.com.

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

Records for 4-2-2023

Tulia Bible Class: 73
Tulia Worship: 103
Kress Bible Class: 12
Kress Worship: 13
Total Contribution:
\$4,455
Budgeted Contribution:
\$3,595

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