Church of Christ

Schedule of Services

SUNDAY

Bible Class 9:30 am Worship 10:30 am

1^s & 3^d Sunday each month, potluck lunch and afternoon service.
2^d & 4^h Sunday each month, evening service at 6:00 pm.

WEDNESDAY

Summer Series at 6:00 and meal to follow.

SHEPHERDS

Toby Brown Larry Stewart Daryl Tucker

DEACONS

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

MINISTER

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June 4, 2023

THE BIBLE SAYS...

JESUS SAID... "You know how to interpret the appearance of the sky, but you cannot interpret the signs of the times" (Matthew 16:3). Jesus said this while some Pharisees were testing Him. Many of the Jews were sincere and devout followers of God. Many were hypocrites, only enjoying the power and favor they had as the chosen nation of God. But things were changing. It did not matter if they had failed to see it happening or if they simply refused to change. The new dispensation that began with the coming of Jesus Christ was at hand. Jesus tells them that they are not paying attention. They were not seeing or interpreting the signs.

Jesus said He would not perform a miraculous sign for them. The only sign He would give them was the sign of Jonah (verse 4). The sign of Jonah compares the three days that Jonah was inside of a fish before God rescued him, with the three days Jesus would be in the tomb until God would resurrect Him (Matthew 12:40). It was that moment of resurrection that changed everything. It was the beginning of a new dispensation, a new people, and a new hope.

Let us not be amiss in seeing the signs. Some may just not be paying attention. Some may be misinterpreting the signs. Some, like these Pharisees, are simply not willing to change. We are encouraged to walk in a manner worthy of God, who calls us into His Kingdom and into fellowship with His Son (1Thesalonians 2:12, 1Cointhians 1:9). Listen to the call of God. Let us open our eyes and our minds and our hearts that we might be perceptive toward these signs and receptive to the call of God.

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 COMMUNION Song Song Scripture Reading Lesson Song Closing Prayer

NEWS AND NOTES

- ٠ We are adding Kevin Daniel, Jim Ober's nephew, to our prayer list. He has been diagnosed with Guillain-Barre Syndrome. Kevin is 61 and lives in Stanton, NE. Sadly, his brother died of a heart attack in March. He has been in the hospital in Lincoln.
- * Sue Jennings fell several weeks ago, injuring her pelvis. She will start therapy soon to improve her walking skills.
- * Wednesday Night Ladies Bible Class, thank you for your love and support for my graduation and my leadership camp. Toby and Jennifer, thank you for taking the time to come out and watch me graduate from 8th grade. Stacy and Lisa, thank you for the card that you gave me for graduation and thank you for coming out and watching me graduate. Love, Haygen
- Dear Church Family, Thank you for the prayers, cards and concern you showed toward Caroline and our family after her broken * leg and surgery. You are all blessings in our lives and we appreciate you so much! Love, Caroline, Cale, Richard and Debbie
- Dear Church Family, Thank you once again for your loving generosity! The Lord has truly blessed our physical family with an * amazing spiritual family. We thank you for showering Dylan, Laura and Birdie with support, gifts and money. We love you, Toby and Jennifer
- Happy Birthday to Virginia Sprawls on her 101^e birthday! You may send well wishes to Virginia at Swisher Memorial Residential ÷ Living Center: 539 SE 2nd.

Happy Birthday!

4th-Miko Tucker, Deaune McCrary, 5th-Virginia Sprawls, 7th-Terry Cash, 9th-Nancy Bonds

ACTIVITIES

- Today will be our 1^s Sunday potluck and early service. Please join us. We will be honoring Delphine Ruiz on his retirement. ÷
- * Our Summer Series will begin this Wednesday, June 7th, at 6:00, with Garrett Morado, minister of Ozona Church of Christ, as our guest speaker, followed by a pizza supper. We are changing our suppers from Sundays to Wednesdays this summer. We have wonderful speakers and delicious meals lined up for every week. This week, Garrett's topic will be: "Our Fight with the Power of Sin". Don't miss Wednesday nights!
- \div Our second Sunday evening service will be next Sunday, June 11th, at 6:00. Don't miss it either!
- \div Our Change for Children's Campaign for High Plains Children's Home is starting this month. Please pick up a can from the activity table at the back of the auditorium or in the hallway. The cans are due back on Sunday, August 27th. Thank you so much!!

Supported **Missions**

Bible Chair High Plains Children's Home AIM

> Sunset School of Preaching

Please keep the following people in your hearts and prayers:

Gaye Young Joshua Moore Linda Hodges Dony House Margaret Huff Nelda Elliff Ramona Raymond Terry Cash Kandi Stewart Lanelle Dovel Kevin Daniel Service men and women

Ray Jennings

Jeff Swanson

Bill Huff

Gloria Madden Virginia Sprawls Karen Duvall **D**uane Tracy Annette Tracy George Caldwell

AIM Mission Teams College Students

Records for 5-28-2023 Tulia Bible Class: 53 **Tulia Worship: 76** Kress Bible Class: 24 Kress Worship: 24 Contribution: \$2,932 **Budgeted Contribution:** \$3,595

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