Welcome to Central Church of Christ



October 29, 2023

TO OUR GUESTS

We are honored that you are here today. We are a church family who seek to be followers of Jesus and to be true to the Bible. We hope you will find our worship spiritual and uplifting. Our wish is to get to know you and that you feel welcome here.

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 classes at 6:00.

Finally the other disciple, who had reached the tomb first, also went inside. He saw and believed. John 20:8

The Bible Says...

JESUS SAID... "Put your finger here and see my hands" (John 20:27). He said this to Thomas the first time he saw Jesus after the resurrection. The other disciples informed him of the resurrection, but he was hesitant to believe. He said to them, "I won't believe it unless I see the nail wounds in His hands and put my fingers into them."

It is interesting that this is the only passage in all the Gospels that speaks of these nails. In all accounts of Jesus' crucifixion, there was never a mention of them, but that does not mean it did not happen. There is plenty of evidence that it did happen. Obviously, Thomas knew about the nails because he was an eyewitness and seeing those nail marks was the proof he needed. Another piece of reliable evidence is in the amazing prophetical Psalm 22. Here we read the words, "A company of evildoers encircles me; they have pierced my hands and feet." Fulfilled prophecy is the greatest testimony of all. One other passage in the Bible teaches that the Mosaic Law was nailed to the cross (Colossians 2:14).

Though referenced only a few times in the Bible, these nails have become prominent in our minds. For instance, it is common for us to say that our sins are nailed to the cross. Even though the Bible never says these words, is it true? The short answer is yes. Considering that Jesus was made to be our sin (2Corinthians 5:21), Jesus being nailed to the cross is tantamount to our sins being nailed to the cross. Certainly, our sins are part of those things that were symbolically carried to and left on the cross of Jesus.

Cornhole Tournament Tonight, October 29 5:00-7:30

Community Jr. High and High School

Bring cookies! Come and Enjoy the fun!



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THE LORD IS COMING

-Stacy McCasland-

News and Notes

Please keep the family of Denise Gastineau in your prayers. Her funeral services were last Friday.

Connie Moore's pathology report after her thyroid surgery was good news, "nonmalignant." Connie wants to thank everyone for their prayers, cards and support.

Treva Murrell went home from the hospital last Thursday. She enjoys visitors.

Melody Rampley is advancing to State in cross country. Congratulations to Melody!

Daylight Saving Time ends next Sunday, November 5th.



No birthdays this week. Please let us know if we have overlooked anyone.

Activities

Our Jr. High and High School cornhole tournament is this evening, October 29, from 5:00 to 7:30. Please bring cookies and come help us enjoy the fun!

Everyone is invited to a "Tools and Tacos" wedding shower for Micah Bailey this Saturday, November 4th, in the home of Penny Sturgess. Gift selections are at Ed Harris Lumber.

Next Sunday is our 1st Sunday potluck and early service. Join us!

The youth will be going to a youth devotional next Sunday at New Home Church of Christ. Meet here at the building at 3:15.

Children's Bible Class Teachers
Wednesday night, November 1-Vicky C. and Miko
Sunday morning nursery, November 5-Jennifer

Prayers

Our Family: Gaye Young, Ray Jennings, Noe Jackson, Sharla Moudy

Assisted Living: Ramona Raymond, Linda Hodges, Lanelle Dovel, Lou Stephens

Extended Family: Mark James (Ross's brother), Bill Huff, Margaret Huff, Duane Tracy, Randy Tracy (Debi Huff's family), Kandi Stewart (Tommy Stewart's daughter-in-law), Kevin Daniel (Jim Ober's nephew), Dony House (Judy Leatherman's nephew), Nelda Elliff (Becky's sister-in-law), Patsy Baggitt (Calvin's grandmother)

As Always: Our service men and women

Our Missions: Bible Chair, High Plains Children's

Home, AIM, Sunset School of Preaching

Worship **Today Next Week** Leaders Welcome: Brian Bailey **Brian Bailey** Song Leader: Aaron Rog **Toby Brown** Scripture: Rudy Melendrez Calvin Klein Message: Stacy McCasland Stacy McCasland Lord's Supper: Wes Hayhurst **Brian Bailey** Carson Tate Ross James Zach McDaniel Joe Bob Thompson Louis Bevill Hunter Leatherman Closing Prayer: Caleb Boe Wes Hayhurst

Our Shepherds

Toby Brown Larry Stewart Daryl Tucker

Our Deacons

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

Our Minister

Stacy McCasland

Records 10/22/2023

Tulia Bible Class: 67 Tulia Worship: 97 Kress Bible Class: 22 Kress Worship: 22

Total Contribution \$4,061 Budgeted Contribution \$3,595