Welcome to Central Church of Christ



February 18, 2024

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.

Worship

Sunday Mornings 10:30 2nd 4th & 5th Sunday evenings 6:00 1st & 3rd Sundays: Noon Meal Provided

Bible Studies & Children's classes

Sunday Mornings 9:30 Tuesday Ladies Class 10:00 Wednesday Evenings 6:00

For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is His love for those who fear Him; as far as the east is from the west, so far has He removed our transgressions from us. Psalm 103:11-12

THE BIBLE SAYS...

JESUS SAID... "Greater love has no one than this, than to lay down one's life for his friends." (John 15:13). I remember celebrating Valentine's Day when I was in the 3rd grade. It started with taking a note home to my parents saying I had to bring a bulk package of valentine cards to school the next day, which cost about \$1.00. We were supposed to give one to everyone in the class. I remember being excited to write their names on the 4¢ cards and put them in everyone's "construction paper" box we had made during craft time the previous day.



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Things have changed drastically. I found these stats from the National Retail Federation, estimating the amount of money that would be spent during the upcoming Valentine's Day. The total spending on cards, flowers, candy, jewelry, and date nights is estimated at \$19 billion. This day reminds us of the love we have for our spouses, families, and friends. Ultimately, on this and every day, we should remember God's love for His people.

If we were to measure the value of love by the price paid to show it, the above estimates are nothing compared to the price God paid to show His love for us. He paid a ransom to save us from our empty lives. The ransom He paid was not mere gold or silver. It was the precious blood of Jesus Christ, the sinless, spotless Lamb of God (1 Peter 1:18-19). The love of God is great, powerful, and priceless! It is incomprehensible and knowable at the same time. There is no other love that compares to the value of God's love. How priceless is your unfailing love, O God (Psalm 36:7)!



THE LORD IS COMING

-Stacy McCasland-

News and Notes

Please keep Jamie Klein and her family in your prayers. Jamie's grandmother, Catherine Colaianni, passed away. A memorial will be planned for a later time. She was 95 and lived in La Verne, California.

Bobby Spear, son of Elmo and Annie Spear, passed away. He lived in Nashville.

We extend our sympathy to Brian Bailey on the passing of his brother, George. His memorial service was last Friday in Garland.

A memorial service for Delores Rowland, sister-in-law of Judy Leatherman, was last Friday at The Colonies in Amarillo. Please keep Judy and her family in your prayers.

Please keep Ashley Pittman in your prayers. She is having heart problems.

Larry Stewart is now home and healing up from his medical procedure. Andy will be checking in on him.

Congratulation to Hayley Klein! Her band ensemble is going to State! She has also been accepted into the AIM program! We are so very proud of you Hayley!

If you need to update your information or your picture in the church directory, please see Anna.

Happy Birthday!

19-Judy McDaniel, 20-Eli Trevino, 21-Judy Leatherman, Rebecca Cobb and Toby Brown

Activities

Today, February 18, is our 3rd Sunday potluck and early service. It will be our last Sunday with this group of AIMers.

The Kleins will be taking the youth to an area wide devo at Crescent Park CofC in Littlefield today, leaving at 3:30.

Next Sunday is our 4th Sunday evening service and sandwich supper, starting at 6:00.

Prayers

Our Family: Gaye Young, Ray Jennings, Sharla Moudy

Assisted Living: Ramona Raymond, Linda Hodges, Lanelle Dovel

Extended Family: Courtney James Carter (Ross James' niece), Duane Tracy, Randy Tracy (Debi Huff's family), Kevin Daniel (Jim Ober's nephew), Dony House (Judy Leatherman's nephew), Nelda Elliff (Becky's sister-in-law), Patsy Baggett (Calvin's grandmother)

As Always: Our AlMers

Our Missions: Bible Chair, High Plains Children's Home, AIM, Sunset School of Preaching

Children's Bible Class Teachers
Wednesday night, February 21 - Lanette
Sunday morning nursery, February 25 - Debbie

Brian Bailey

Worship **Today Next Week** Leaders February 18 February 25 Welcome: **Bobby Moudy** Brian Bailey Song Leader: AIM Toby Brown Scripture: Haygen Lopez Carson McDaniel Message: Stacy McCasland Stacy McCasland Lord's Supper: Bobby Moudy **Bobby Moudy** Danny Tucker Danny Tucker Louis Bevill Louis Bevill AIM Zach McDaniel

Closing Prayer: AIM

Records 2/11/2024

Church canceled due to snow.

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