

# Welcome to Central Church of Christ



September 8, 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  
2<sup>nd</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday evenings 6:00  
1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays: potluck lunch, afternoon service

## Bible Studies & Children's classes

Sunday Mornings 9:30  
Ladies Bible Class Tuesdays 10am  
Wednesday Evenings 6:00



## Friends & Neighbors

Friends and Neighbors Day, September 15



For it is declared: "You are a priest forever, in the order of Melchizedek." Hebrews 7:17

## The Bible Says... God Is Faithful To His Covenants

God said, "I will not violate my covenant or alter what My lips have uttered." (Psalm 89:34. We can find several covenants in the Bible. Maybe the most familiar is when God made a covenant with every living creature on earth. He said in Genesis 9:11, "I establish My covenant with you: Never again will all life be cut off by the waters of a flood; never again will there be a flood to destroy the earth." He then put a rainbow in the sky to ever be a sign and reminder of this covenant. We may experience some profoundly serious rain events, but we can be certain that God will never again destroy the world by water, because He is faithful to His covenants.

The Mosaic Covenant, sometimes called the Old Covenant, required strict obedience to the Law of Moses. There were serious repercussions for disobedience. Though punishments for disobedience were certain, there was still an underlying assurance that God would always be faithful to the covenant and fulfill all His promises. Moses, in one of his final addresses to the nation of Israel, anticipated a New Covenant. He predicted that Israel would fail in keeping the Old Covenant but looked forward to a time of restoration. That time of restoration was brought about by a New Covenant.

The Old Covenant served its [purpose](#), and it has been replaced by "a better covenant" ([Hebrews 7:22](#)). Under the New Covenant, we are given the opportunity to have our sins forgiven and to receive salvation. Our responsibility is then to exercise faith in Christ and live a life that is pleasing to God. We now can enjoy this New Covenant and its promises. Through the life-giving Holy Spirit who lives in all believers, we can share in the inheritance of Christ and enjoy a permanent, unbroken relationship with God. And just like the covenants that have come before, we can know that God will be faithful to this better, more favorable, New Covenant.



**AIM Schedule**  
**Fall Semester**  
**September 8**  
**September 15**  
**September 22**  
**September 29**  
**October 6**  
**October 27**  
**November 3**  
**November 10**  
**November 17**  
**December 8**  
**December 15**

## News

Sawyer Combest, Chance and Gina's son, is having some health issues and continues to need prayers.

Jacob Liles, Britt and Amanda's son, is awaiting news on his upcoming surgery and would appreciate prayers.

Becky Moreno had eye surgery Wednesday, and it went well. She has other health issues as well and could use our prayers.

Brian Bailey will have shoulder surgery September 11<sup>th</sup>. Please keep him & Shana in your prayers.

Dwight Rampley is recovering from his recent falls and appreciates the prayers.



## Activities

WELCOME to our new AIMers! We are so happy you are here! We look forward to getting to know each of you as you work with us this semester.

If you'd like to help with meals for the AIMers please check the sign-up sheets in the foyer.

Ladies Bible Class is at 10:00 on Tuesday at the building. Sharla Moudy will lead the class. Bring a friend!

Friends and Neighbors Day is *NEXT WEEK*, September 15, followed by potluck. Take some cards and invite everyone you can!



OUR CORNHOLE YOUTH OUTREACH WILL BE SEPTEMBER 29.  
MORE DETAILS TO COME!

### Children's Bible Class Teachers:

Wednesday night, September 11-Vickie C.  
Nursery, Sept.8-Jennifer, Sept.15-Debbie

### Worship Leaders

Welcome:

Song Leader:

Scripture:

Message:

Lord's Supper:

Closing Prayer:

### Today

September 8

Brian Bailey

Toby Brown

Matthew Orr

Stacy McCasland

Bob Colson

Don Young

Haygen Lopez

David Leatherman

Dwight Rampley

### Next Week

September 15

Brian Bailey

Toby Brown

Zach McDaniel

Stacy McCasland

Bob Colson

Don Young

Haygen Lopez

David Leatherman

Wes Hayhurst

## Prayers

**Our Family:** Ray Jennings, Kenneth Littlefield

**Assisted Living:** Ramona Raymond, Lanelle Dovel

**Extended Family:** Courtney James Carter (Ross James' niece), Duane 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) Yvonne Nevins, Ashley Darnall (Buttons & Kathy's granddaughter).

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

## Happy Birthday!

11-Kadi Jai & 15-Anthony McDaniel

### Records

9/1/2024

Tulia Bible Class: 49

Tulia Worship: 88

Kress Bible Class: 11

Kress Worship: 11

Total Contribution:

\$3023

Budgeted

Contribution:

\$3,595

### Our Shepherds

Toby Brown

Larry Stewart

Daryl Tucker

### Our Deacons

Brian Bailey

Richard Combest

Kevin Leatherman

Bobby Moudy

Danny Tucker

### Our Minister

Stacy McCasland

**If you would like to donate to the work of the Lord's church, please locate the contribution basket at the back of the auditorium.**