

Welcome to Central Church of Christ



December 14, 2025

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.

...that all of them may be one, Father, just as you are in me and I am in you. John 17:21

THE BIBLE SAYS

Apostle Paul said, "Then make my joy complete by being likeminded, having the same love, being one in spirit and of one mind" (Philippians 2:2). The New Testament letters written by Paul the apostle are filled with references to unity among Christians. He encourages those in the church to love each other, have a like mind, and share purpose and belief as they experienced persecution and bore the weight of external pressures. A great example of early church unity is when the believers "devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer" (Acts 2:42). This was a time when all the believers had everything in common and learned the Christian doctrine together. Psalm 133:1 says, "How good and pleasant it is when God's people live together in unity."

Deuteronomy 6:4 says, "Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one." There is unity within the Godhead, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. Later, when Jesus said, "I and the Father are one" (John 10:30), He further emphasized unity in the Godhead. The church is to reflect the unity of the Godhead, making every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace.

Unity spurs the believers on to glorify Christ. Ephesians 4:15 states, "Speaking the truth in love, we will grow to become in every respect the mature body of Him who is the head, that is, Christ. From Him the whole body, joined and held together by every supporting ligament, grows and builds itself up in love, as each part does its work." Nothing captures unity quite like the picture of Christ being the head and believers being parts of a single body. This unity with Christ and other believers is essential for the success in our service and glory to God.

THE LORD IS COMING

Worship
Sunday Mornings 10:30
2nd 4th & 5th Sunday evenings 6:00
1st & 3rd Sundays: potluck lunch, afternoon service
Bible Studies & Children's classes
Sunday Mornings 9:30
Ladies Bible Class Wednesdays 9:30
Wednesday Evenings 6:00



Christmas Open House
Sunday, 12/21 @ 1:00-3:00
(come & go)
At the home of Stacy and Lisa



**God bless you
go with God!**

Stacy McCasland

News and Notes

Gary Gruben, former Tulia resident, is in hospice care with blood cancer. He lives in El Dorado. Sam and Lynn Matlock need our prayers. They both have health problems. Sam is in ICU in Amarillo. Dear Church family, Thank you for all the calls, texts and prayers during this difficult time, with the passing of our grandma. Special thanks to the ladies and Brian for the wonderful family meal for the funeral. You all have a special place in our hearts.

With Love, the Kleins



Activities

Today is our Christmas party, beginning at 5:00. Please bring soup, stew, chili and extras like cornbread or crackers, plus desserts. Today will be our last Sunday with these AIMers. We will miss you and wish you the best! This Wed. Dec. 17, will be the last ladies' class for the year. Next week, December 21, is our 3rd Sunday potluck and early service. Please join us! Everyone is also invited to a Christmas Open House next Sunday from 1:00-3:00 at the home of Stacy and Lisa.

Prayers

Assisted Living: Ramona Raymond, Lanelle Dovel, Herb and Sue Jennings
Extended Family: Duane Tracy (Debi Huff's family), Kevin Daniel (Jim Ober's nephew), Dony House, (Judy L. nephew), Nelda Elliff (Becky's sister-in-law).
Community: Velen Benavidez
Our Missions: Bible Chair, High Plains Children's Home, AIM, Sunset School of Preaching

Children's Bible Class Teachers:

Wed night, December 17-Ross and Tonya Nursery, December 21-Debbie



Happy
Birthday!
18-Anna Kate
Nobile

Worship Leaders

Welcome:
Song Leader:
Scripture:
Message:
Lord's Supper:

Closing Prayer:

Today

December 14
Bob Colson
Grayson Riggles
Matthew Orr
Stacy McCasland
Bobby Moudy
Louis Bevill
Zion Reyes
Andrew Gidden
Lucas McKinney

Next Week

December 21
Bryan Tole
Toby Brown
Haygen Lopez
Stacy McCasland
David Leatherman
Bobby Moudy
Louis Bevill
Danny Tucker
JD Rampley

Records 12/7/2025

Tulia Bible Class: 56
Tulia Worship: 107
Kress Bible Class: 21
Kress Worship: 21
Total Contribution:
\$4,365
Budgeted
Contribution:
\$3,595

Our Shepherds

Toby Brown
Larry Stewart
Daryl Tucker

Our Deacons
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.