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CENTRAL'S ASSEMBLIES	
BRING A FRIEND AND ATTEND	
SUNDAY	9:30 A.M.
BIBLE STUDY	10:30 A.M.
WORSHIP	5:00 P.M.
SUNDAY EVENING	
WEDNESDAY	
LADIES BIBLE CLASS	10:30 A.M.
MID-WEEK CLASSES	7:00 P.M.

"Thanks be unto God, which always causeth us to triumph in Christ."
2 Corinthians 2:14

IN SEARCH
OF THE LORD'S WAY
"These were more noble... they searched the scriptures daily..." (Acts 17:11)
Sundays at 7:30 AM on KOCB—TV34

SEARCH PROGRAMS:
JANUARY 10, "The Grace of God"
JANUARY 17, "We Need the Church"
JANUARY 24, "The Restoration Plea"
JANUARY 31, "You Can Understand the Bible"

LAST WEEK'S RECORD

Bible School	103
Worship Service	152
Sunday Evening	97
Wednesday Evening	91
Contribution	\$4,691.70

SERVING THE CONGREGATION

January 17, 2016

Announcements:	Michael Michener
Opening Prayer:	Bill Lawrance
Song Director:	Dwyane Dennis
Scripture Reader:	Bob Stephens
Sermon:	Jimmy Hyde
Closing Prayer:	Paul Harris

SERVING AT THE LORD'S TABLE

NORTH	SOUTH
Scott Perry	Carl Weeks
Mark Michener	Henry Arthur

AT THE BACK OF AUDITORIUM

Cary Leonard	Lynn Harmon
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USHERS

Steve Kelly	Nathan Kelly
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GREETERS

Foyer:	Steve & Mary Kelly
Elevator:	Nathan & Kylee Kelly

NURSERY ATTENDANT

Angie Gober

ASSISTING OUTSIDE ELEVATOR DOOR

Craig McKnight

PROJECTION & AUDIO CONTROL

Ken Whittington	Ron Taffe
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EVENING WORSHIP

Opening Prayer:	Jim Cross
Song Director:	Dwyane Dennis
Scripture Reader:	Lucas Simmons
Sermon:	Jimmy Hyde
Closing Prayer:	Clavin Norwood

SERVING AT THE LORD'S TABLE

NORTH	SOUTH
Eric Park	George Mastick

VOLUNTEER CLEANING THIS WEEK: TEAM #3

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SERVICE

January 20, 2016

Classes for All Ages

Devotional:	Jimmy Hyde
Song Director:	Craig McKnight

VAN DRIVER

Tracy Gettle

If you are unable to serve this week, please notify

FRANK ROMBERG 405-481-6500



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IN LOVING MEMORY 2015

- Martha Mae Chaffin—January 31
- Rachel Dunavan O'Neal—February 7
- Robert Lee "Bob" Allen—April 22
- Robert C. "Bob" Bivins—July 10
- William Franklin Horton—July 22
- Joseph G. Scheidt—July 25
- Francis A. Davis—August 1
- Norma Jean Edgmon—August 5
- Kathryn Jo Hutchins—August 5
- Mary Jo Fleming—October 7
- Carol Jane Lynn—October 21
- Mariella Jacobs—December 3
- Ruth Guin—December 12

- ELDERS:**
Dennis Brodersen
Paul Harris
Steve Kelly
Bob Perry
Jim Pettyjohn
Bob Stephens
- DEACONS:**
Dale Beard
Jim Cross
Tracy Gettle
Craig McKnight
Michael Michener
Scott Perry
Frank Romberg
Ron Taffe
- MINISTERS:**
Jimmy Hyde
Nathan Kelly
- SECRETARY:**
Michelle McKnight
- MISSIONS:**
Carpenter Place
Germany
Haiti Children's Home
Hope Harbor Children's Home
Liflyfield Christian & Adoption
Nicaragua
Philippines
Search
Southern Africa Bible College
Tipton Home
Westview Boys Home



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FAMILY NEWS

Our God is so good to us. We have no one in the hospital right now. What a great blessing. We do need to continue praying for those who are healing from sickness and surgery at home. We also want to pray for those who are struggling spiritually. We have a lot going on already in our new year. We have begun a search for new deacons. This past Sunday we passed out forms with scripture qualifications and blanks for you to list the men you feel would be good deacons for our church family. Consider the list of qualifications with the men in our congregation. Talk to those men you think are qualified to find out if they are willing to serve and then turn your form in to one of our shepherd's by Sunday, the 24th. One week from this Sunday, the 24th we'll have our annual chili cook-off. This is a great time of food, fun, and fellowship. Let's all do more to grow closer and encourage one another as we share this Christian life together.

Live Like You're Dying

I was listening to a song on the radio about a man who was diagnosed with a life threatening disease. The lyrics of the song talked about how he responded to the doctor's diagnosis. He went sky diving, mountain climbing, rode a bull, loved deeper, spoke sweeter, and gave forgiveness he'd been denying. Jesus calls us to live a life as if we were dying.

"For whoever wants to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for me will find it."

Matthew 16:25-26 NIV

Jesus calls us to lose our lives for His sake and find our lives in Him. What exactly does that mean and how do you lose your life?

Let's join together this Lord's day and consider what it means to lose your life for Christ and find it at the same time.

Your brother
Jimmy Hyde



PRAYER CONCERNS

Your prayers are requested for the family of **Loretta**, a young girl that **Ken** and **Hillary Whittington** fostered for awhile. Loretta's baby brother passed away last week with RSV. Please pray for God's comfort and the knowledge of Him for this family.



MEET & GREET

A meet & greet for baby girl **Peyton Stephens**, daughter of **Matt** and **Megan**, granddaughter of **Bob** and **Janet**, great-granddaughter of **Boyd** and **Joann Cheney**, is scheduled for Saturday, January 30th, 2:00 PM at the home of **Mary Gettle**. After a difficult beginning, Peyton is now thriving and outgrowing her 0—3 month clothing and could use some larger sizes. Megan will be registering at Target and Wal-Mart.

BIBLE MARKING WORKSHOP

A Bible marking workshop has been scheduled for Sunday, February 21st from 2:00—4:45 PM in the fellowship room. This is for those that have already been to the original workshop but need time and help in finishing marking their Bibles. We will be having another time for the Lawton folks to come do another workshop scheduled tentatively March 12th & 13th.



Our annual chili cook-off is scheduled for Sunday, January 24th after our PM service. Put on your culinary creativity hats and join in the fun and competition. Bring a pot of your best homemade chili and a side or dessert to go along with it. Our hostess for this fun time is **Jennifer Lawrence**.

"The Lord bless thee, and keep thee: The Lord make His face shine upon thee, and be gracious unto thee."
Numbers 6:24-25

YOUTH NEWS

By **NATHAN KELLY**

I'm excited that that we are starting up Sunday night dinner and devos. Our first hosts are the Hydés. Jennifer has a sign up list for what you can bring. So please look that over and sign up. As we gear up for EPIC, try to make it to Wednesday night class, as we are using that time to study the book of Joshua and the theme of Courageous.

Words can have a huge effect on our lives. We all know that they can really have a negative effect, but their positive effect is also amazing. I was driving to work and heard a song that I haven't heard much since I was in high school. It's words weren't even that uplifting, but the familiar words and tune helped me begin my day with a smile, and some laughter as I tried to sing along and realized I don't know the words. This was a meaningless song with meaningless words that I couldn't remember. How much more special and uplifting is it when we actually mean them and it comes from someone we know. Whether you're sitting at home or in a pew, look around you or think about someone that means a lot to you or someone that you haven't talked to in a while and give them a message that will make them smile.



GOD GIVES ENOUGH

Enough happiness to keep you sweet
Enough trials to keep you strong
Enough sorrows to keep you human
Enough hope to keep you happy
Enough failure to keep you humble
Enough success to keep you eager
Enough friends to give you comfort
Enough wealth to meet your needs
Enough enthusiasm to make you look forward
Enough determination to make each day a better day than the last.

"Commit thy works unto the Lord, and thy thoughts shall be established." Proverbs 16:3

CONTINUING PRAYER CONCERNS

Kyrian Anderson (young friend of the Hyde's with Leukemia), Chad Beard, Allan Brodersen, Carol Brodersen, Nancy Burlison, Betty Caldwell (sister of Linda Carpenter), Harold Carothers, Blake Carter (great grandson of Sue Merritt), Sherri Collins, Norma Cowden, Thelma Divine, Babe Doyle, Fredith Hanifan, Leslie Hawkins (mother of Amber Curtis), John Johnston, Larry Kelly, Aubrey McNutt, Patti Morgan (niece of Burl Vanlandingham), Thearlene Morris, Andy Peerson (brother to Royce Peerson), Glenda Pinely, Sue Riedel, Katie Carter Rose (niece of Denise Beard), Naomi Rutledge, Rhetta Smith, Sarah Smith, Lou Jean Stephens (mother of Bob Stephens), Dorothy Strickland, John Sullivan, Emma White, Iva Williams (mother of Cathy Rose) and Selene Williams (daughter of Craig & Michelle McKnight).

All these members and friends have continuing health concerns or other special circumstances.

They appreciate your interest and prayers.

DEACON SEARCH

Our elders have decided that we are in need of more men to serve as deacons. Please pick up a selection form and prayerfully consider men in the congregation that you know would meet the qualifications set forth in the Bible (scriptures are listed on the form). Speak with the men you feel are qualified to determine if they are willing to serve in this way, write their name on the form and give it to one of our elders. Thank you.



TIPTON HOME

Our **January** collection for the Tipton Home will be **toothpaste**. Please place them in the barrel in the foyer. Thank you.

LOOKING AHEAD

JANUARY 17— Youth Devo at Hyde's

JANUARY 24—Chili Cook-off

JANUARY 30—Meet & Greet Peyton Stephens

FEBRUARY 21—Bible Marking Workshop, 2—4:45

APRIL 3—Friends & Family Day

JUNE 3—11—Evangelism Campaign