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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.

*"Make joyful noise unto the lord,  
all ye lands."  
Psalm 100:1*

**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 KOGB—TV34

**SEARCH PROGRAMS:**  
MARCH 27, "Your Destiny"  
APRIL 3, "Born in Sin?"  
APRIL 10, "Faith Alone?"  
APRIL 17, "Free Will"

**LAST WEEK'S RECORD**

Bible School	112
Worship Service	150
Sunday Evening	105
Wednesday Evening	101
<b>Contribution</b>	<b>\$3,612.27</b>

**SERVING THE CONGREGATION**

March 27, 2016

<b>Announcements:</b>	Ron Taffe
<b>Scripture Reader:</b>	Bob Stephens
<b>Opening Prayer:</b>	Paul Harris
<b>Song Director:</b>	Craig McKnight
<b>Sermon:</b>	Jimmy Hyde
<b>Closing Prayer:</b>	Clavin Norwood

**SERVING AT THE LORD'S TABLE**

NORTH	SOUTH
Cary Leonard	Steve Kelly
Brandon Gober	Chris Nipper

**AT THE BACK OF AUDITORIUM**

Kyle Perry	Justin Dean
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**USHERS**

Bob Perry	Joe Curtis
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**GREETERS**

<b>Foyer:</b>	Bob & Louise Perry
<b>Elevator:</b>	Joe & Amber Curtis

**NURSERY ATTENDANT**

Janet Stephens

**ASSISTING OUTSIDE ELEVATOR DOOR**

Keith Lawrence

**PROJECTION & AUDIO CONTROL**

Jim Carpenter	Ken Whittington
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**EVENING WORSHIP**

<b>Opening Prayer:</b>	Burl Vanlandingham
<b>Song Director:</b>	Craig McKnight
<b>Scripture Reader:</b>	Kolby Shadaram
<b>Sermon:</b>	Jimmy Hyde
<b>Closing Prayer:</b>	Jim Cross

**SERVING AT THE LORD'S TABLE**

NORTH	SOUTH
Eric Park	Jim Walling

**VOLUNTEER CLEANING THIS WEEK: TEAM #5**

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT SERVICE**

March 30, 2016

No Classes—5th Wednesday Singing & Devotional  
Everyone meets in the auditorium

**VAN DRIVER**

Tracy Gettle

If you are unable to serve this week, please notify  
**FRANK ROMBERG 405-481-6500**



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# THE GOSPEL GUIDE

**ELDERS:**

Dennis Brodersen  
Paul Harris  
Steve Kelly  
Bob Perry  
Bob Stephens

**DEACONS:**

Dale Beard  
Jim Cross  
Joe Curtis  
Tracy Gettle  
Keith Lawrence  
Craig McKnight  
Michael Michener  
Scott Perry  
Frank Romberg  
Ron Taffe

**MINISTERS:**

Jimmy Hyde  
Nathan Kelly  
Michelle McKnight

**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

**CENTRAL CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Corner of 10th & Bell, Shawnee  
**Please Join Us for Our Friends & Family Day**  
Sunday, April 3, 2016  
Bible Class 9:30 AM  
Worship 10:30 AM  
with FREE lunch following  
**Speaker: Ben Williams**  
from Glenpool Church of Christ  
*encounters*  
the insider & the outcast  
JOHN 3 & 4  
Please call the church office for any questions at 405-273-3065.  
Hope to see you here!

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## FAMILY NEWS

We rejoice for **Glenda Pinely** who was baptized this past week. Keep her in your prayers for her walk with the Lord and her struggle with cancer. I want to thank the **Parks** for opening their home to the youth group this past Sunday. We had a great time of fellowship and worship. As always be in prayer for all those struggling physically and spiritually. Also make sure you're inviting everyone you know for our annual **Friends and Family Day** coming up on April 3rd. We just have a little over a week. Our guest speaker, **Ben Williams**, is the preacher for the Glenpool church of Christ. He will share a message from God's word on encountering Jesus. We also have our Bible marking workshop coming up on April 9th - 10. This will be for everyone to attend. It will be new for those who missed the first workshop, and a refresher course for those who attended last year. May the Lord bless our work together in His Church.

### The Good News: Resurrection

The Gospel is the death, burial, and resurrection of Jesus. It wouldn't be good news if it ended with death and burial. We get to live again after this life. Jesus has conquered death for us.

**"When the perishable has been clothed with the imperishable, and the mortal with immortality, then the saying that is written will come true: "Death has been swallowed up in victory."**

**1 Corinthians 15:54-57**

Life can be filled with pain and struggle. What can help us overcome difficulties in life? The hope of heaven gives us what we need to overcome. We look forward to a new body and a new home with God for all eternity. This is what we long for in this life. That's the power of the Gospel.

See you this Sunday.

Your brother  
Jimmy Hyde

## PRAYER CONCERNS

We rejoice in the baptism of **Glenda Pinely** last week, however we need to keep her in our prayers. Glenda has been struggling with cancer for some time now and has decided to forgo anymore chemo therapy treatments. Please remember her and find out what we can do to make her life easier at this time.

We are very thankful to God for **Haydn Truelove** being able to return home. She seems to be making a full recovery however her insulin levels will need to be closely monitored.



## OUR FRIENDS & FAMILY DAY SPEAKER



**BENJAMIN J. WILLIAMS**

Ben began preaching as a teenager and continued through college. For his undergraduate education, he attended the University of Oklahoma. Upon graduating from college with a B.S. in Astrophysics, he began full-time work as a minister. As of December 2015, Ben received his Master of Divinity from Oklahoma Christian Graduate School of Theology.

Ben has been working at the Glenpool Church of Christ since the summer of 2010. He is also the director of the "Faith Week" session at Frog Road Christian Camp near Lake Keystone and serves on the Board of Trustees for the camp.

Ben and his wife, Selene (formerly McKnight), have two sons, Lucas and Calvin.

(Yes, he is Craig & Michelle McKnight's son-in-law. They are very proud of him and are excited for him to be speaking at our congregation's Friends and Family Day. Please join us!)

## YOUTH NEWS

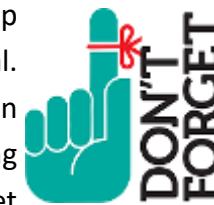
By **NATHAN KELLY**

I wanted to thank the Park family again, for hosting our dinner-n-devo last Sunday night. **Eric and Adam** both delivered excellent devotionals. I wanted to make you aware that we are planning a service project in a couple of weekends. The details are being finalized and Kylee and I will hopefully have it all panned out by Wednesday night.

A song that likes to get itself stuck in my head a lot is "Feed the Birds" from Mary Poppins. You should look up the lyrics when you get a chance, or better yet, watch the movie. The song is about a woman who sells bread crumbs for the birds because we should show them that we care. The song ends with "Though her words are simple and few, listen, listen, she's calling to you." It's our calling to go and reach all that we can. We are to "feed the birds," we're to show them we are here and we care, because it's our job. Sometimes we feel like we're the bird though, and not the feeder. We feel like we are just lost in the flock, hungry and forgotten. In that case, refer to Matthew 6:26, in which Jesus reminds us that we are more important than the birds and that he cares for us. He knows us and will provide for us. So care for others like God cares for you.

Please don't forget to sign up to help with our Friends and Family Day meal.

The sign up sheet is on the board in the foyer. We need people to bring side dishes, desserts and to help set up, serve and clean up. When we all pitch in it makes it fun and the work gets done quickly.



Dear church family, Thank you for all your prayers, cards and concern for our family in our time of sorrow. It is such a comfort to know that we have such a loving and caring church family. Love, **Keith Lawrence and family.**

## CONTINUING PRAYER CONCERNS

Kyrian Anderson (young friend of the Hyde's with Leukemia), Pam Baskins, Chad Beard, 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, 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.**



**BEN, SELENE, LUCAS & CALVIN WILLIAMS**



### TIPTON HOME

Our **March** collection for the Tipton Home will be **toilet bowl cleaner**. Please place them in the barrel in the foyer. Thank you.

### LOOKING AHEAD

- MARCH 30**—5th Wednesday Singing—No Classes
- APRIL 3**—Friends & Family Day
- APRIL 9—10**—Bible Marking Workshop with NW
- APRIL 17**—Corporation Meeting after PM service
- APRIL 13**—Youth Led Wed. Devotional—No Classes
- APRIL 15—16**—EPIC @ Moore
- JUNE 4—10**—Evangelism Campaign