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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.

*"The fruit of the Spirit is in all goodness."
Ephesians 5:9*

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:
MAY 15, "What God Wants for You"
MAY 22, "Thirsting for God"
MAY 29, "Search Me, O God!"
JUNE 5, "Born Again"

LAST WEEK'S RECORD

Bible School	109
Worship Service	172
Sunday Evening	91
Wednesday Evening	86
Contribution	\$4,036.97

SERVING THE CONGREGATION

May 15, 2016

Announcements:	Michael Michener
Scripture Reader:	Dwyane Dennis
Opening Prayer:	Jim Cross
Song Director:	Dale Beard
Sermon:	Jimmy Hyde
Closing Prayer:	Jim Pritchard

SERVING AT THE LORD'S TABLE

NORTH	SOUTH
Brian Nipper	George Mastick
Arthur Henry	Lynn Harmon

AT THE BACK OF AUDITORIUM

Burl Vanlandingham	Tracy Gettle
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USHERS

Steve Kelly	Carl Weeks
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GREETERS

Foyer:	Steve & Mary Kelly
Elevator:	Carl & Yuvonda Weeks

NURSERY ATTENDANT

Louise Perry

ASSISTING OUTSIDE ELEVATOR DOOR

Craig McKnight

PROJECTION & AUDIO CONTROL

Jim Carpenter	Bob Stephens
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EVENING WORSHIP

Opening Prayer:	Cary Leonard
Song Director:	Dale Beard
Scripture Reader:	Chad Beard
Sermon:	Jimmy Hyde
Closing Prayer:	Bob Perry

SERVING AT THE LORD'S TABLE

NORTH	SOUTH
Nathan Kelly	Bob Seikel

VOLUNTEER CLEANING THIS WEEK: TEAM #4

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SERVICE

May 18, 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

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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

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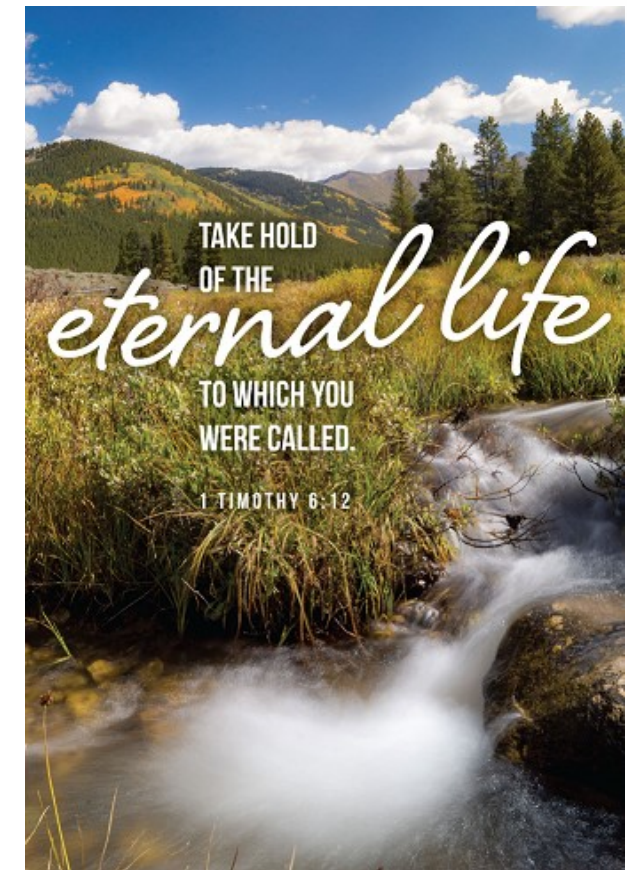
Jimmy Hyde
Nathan Kelly

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

We are so richly blessed here at Central. God is at work in our church family. I see so many good works being done in the name of Christ. The glory of God is being given as we serve and love people. We have most of our congregation signed up and ready for our campaign coming in 3 weeks. We do have some brothers and sisters that haven't signed up yet. I don't know all the reasons why some haven't signed up. But let's pray for those who are physically able and need more encouragement. Let's unite together in love and encouragement as we work to prepare for our campaign. I want to thank all of you that have been involved with the Take a Sack and Bring it Back. We still could use some more sacks filled, but our podium area upfront is beginning to fill up with the fruits of your love for the lost. Thank you for your generosity. As always keep praying for our sick and those struggling spiritually. May we be used by God to show His love.

Are You In or Out?

How do you feel when you've made a huge mistake and someone in authority is chewing you out because you failed? This happens with parents and children, bosses and employees, and with God and His creation. We know we've all messed up and sinned against God. But there's a powerful passage that brings us great hope and joy.

"Therefore, there is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus, because through Christ Jesus the law of the Spirit of life set me free from the law of sin and death." Romans 8:1-3 NIV

Of course there's one very important qualifier in this statement; "in Christ". If you are "in Christ" God will not condemn you. That's a powerful truth we need to share.

Come to worship this Lord's day as we study the scriptures and look to answer the questions: What does it mean to be in Christ? And can you be out of Christ?

Your brother
Jimmy Hyde

PRAYER CONCERNS

Joe Akins' brother-in-law, **Joe Curtis** in Tennessee, is doing much better and has been able to return home. Joe will stay with him until later in this month.



Your prayers are requested for **Brandon Burchette**, the grandson of **Jim** and **Vivian Cross** and his wife. They are both in the military and will both be deployed to the Middle East.

THANK YOU NOTE

To the Central congregation, Thank you so-o-o much for the cards and all the concern you have shown for me while I was going through my cancer treatment.



I have made it through all the sessions and just trying to spend time healing. I really appreciate everyone asking my mon about me and how I was doing. Your love and thoughtfulness towards me will never be forgotten and I hope to visit all of you soon there at church. Thanks again, **Pam Baskin**

SODIUM

Sodium is an extremely active element found naturally only in combined form; it always links itself to another element. Chlorine, on the other hand, is the poisonous gas that gives bleach its offensive odor.

When sodium and chlorine are combined, the result is sodium chloride—common table salt—a substance to preserve meat and bring out its flavor.

Love and truth can be like sodium and chloride. Love without truth is flighty, sometimes blind, willing to combine with various doctrines. On the other hand, truth by itself can be offensive. Spoken without love, it can turn people away from the gospel.

When faith and love are combined in an individual or a church, then we have what Jesus called "the salt of the earth" (Matthew 5:13) and we're able to preserve and bring out the beauty of our faith (Ephesians 4:15).

— author unknown

"Let your speech be always with grace, seasoned with salt, that ye may know how ye ought to answer every man." Colossians 4:6

YOUTH NEWS

By **NATHAN KELLY**

This Sunday is our dinner-n-devo at the Curtis'. I just talked to Amber, and she says that the kids and parents, can bring chips or desserts. I'm looking forward to another great meal and devo. Also, I totally lied about that list of drivers for the summer AWTG. I definitely didn't get that made like I said. I'm going to try for this week, but I'm not going to promise anything, because I don't want to be a liar.

I don't know if this applies to you now, but at some point in all of our lives we've all felt like we've kind of bottomed out. We look back and see our faithfulness, but we also see weariness and maybe a little bit of frustration. When you look at Noah's life, he spent years and years building an ark, then spent months trapped on his brand new ark. I'm sure Noah was tired of gopher wood and might have felt a little discouraged, but in Genesis 8, we see that God remembered Noah. As someone once told me, "This world is awful." It's hard and Satan uses it to discourage you. Remember God hasn't forgotten you just like he never forgot about Noah.



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, Thearlene Morris, Andy Peerson (brother to Royce Peerson), Glenda Pinely, Sue Riedel, Katie Carter Rose (niece of Denise Beard), Rhett Smith, Dorothy Strickland, John Sullivan, Howard Vanlandingham, 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.

EVANGELISM WORKSHOP

We will have one more evangelism workshop day on Sunday, May 15 at 2:00 in the basement. We will mark Bibles, practice teaching and taking notes and have opportunities to ask questions. It would be beneficial for all those signed up or thinking of signing up to knock doors and teach to be there.



TIPTON HOME



Our **May** collection for the Tipton Home will be **toilet tissue** Please place them in the barrel in the foyer. Thank you.

LOOKING AHEAD

MAY 15—Evangelism Workshop, 2:00

MAY 15—Dinner & Devo @ Curtis' Home

MAY 29—Bring Back Your Sack

JUNE 4—10—Evangelism Campaign

JUNE 12—18 Burnt Cabin Camp Church Camp

JUNE 25—Family Day with the Dodgers