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**BRING A FRIEND AND ATTEND**

<b>SUNDAY</b>	9:30 A.M.
<b>BIBLE STUDY</b>	10:30 A.M.
<b>WORSHIP</b>	5:00 P.M.
<b>BIBLE STUDY</b>	5:00 P.M.
<b>BIBLE HOUR</b>	5:00 P.M.
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	6:00 P.M.
<b>BIBLE STUDY</b>	6:00 P.M.

ALL AVAILABLE ONLINE

**IN SEARCH OF THE LORD'S WAY**  
Sundays at 7:30 AM on KOGB—TV34

April 03, "What Happens at Death"  
April 10, "The Resurrection"  
April 17, "The Judgment"  
April 24, "Heaven"

Know therefore that the Lord your God is God; he is the faithful God, keeping his covenant of love to a thousand generations of those who love him and keep his commandments. Deuteronomy 7:9

**Reading the Bible in a Year Together**

April 25, 2022  
2 Kings 5-7

April 26, 2022  
2Kings 8-9

April 27, 2022  
2 Kings 10-13


April 28, 2022  
2 Kings 14-16


April 29, 2022  
2 Kings 17-18

April 30, 2022  
2 Kings 19-21

May 01, 2022  
2 Kings 22-25


**You Can Find Our Services On:**

 <https://www.facebook.com/groups/centralchurchofchristshawneeok/>

 <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCq8ft4soarDDSYok8ol9xpw?>

**SUNDAY:**  
Bible Study 9:30 A.M. Worship 10:30 A.M.  
Bible Study 5:00 P.M.

**WEDNESDAY:**  
Bible Study 6:00 P.M.

 <http://www.shawneecentralcofc.org/media.php/t=sermons>

Videos will be uploaded later in the day.

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**Central Church of Christ**  
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If you would like for someone to bring you communion supplies or pick up your contribution please call the Church office at 405-273-3065, or you can contact one of our Elders or Deacons.



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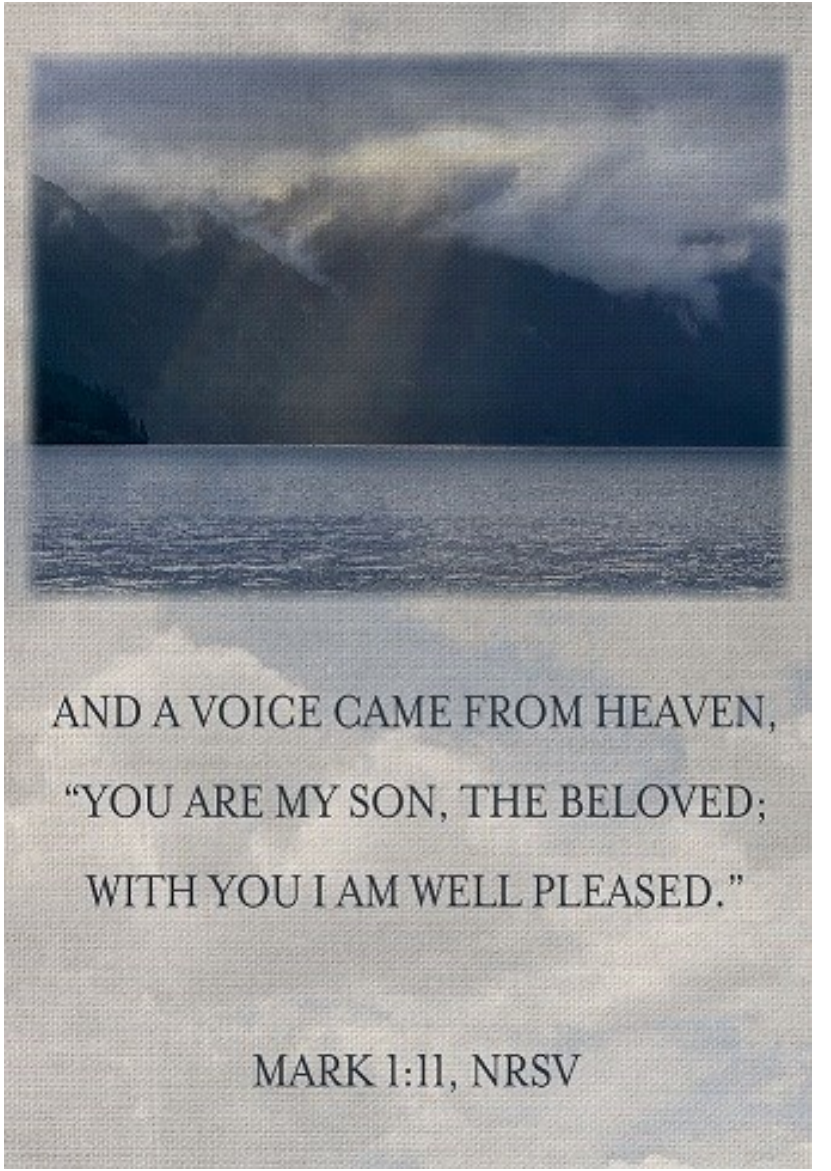
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## Two Houses

Zechariah 5

The angel of the Lord that talks to Zechariah next shows him a scroll that is flying through the sky. This scroll is a curse on those that lie and those that steal. These sins are often glossed over as small or insignificant, but these are the sins that corrupt governments, pervert religious systems, and oppress and ruin lives. These are potentially false accusations that defame or as we say in our culture, “cancel” someone, or theft that takes away someone’s home and way of living. What makes it worse is they are evidently doing these things in the name of God (5:4) or maybe in the place of God. So, what will this curse do? In the same way that wicked people have consumed the lives and livelihoods of the people of God, God will consume the lives and livelihoods of wicked people.

The next thing the angel of the Lord shows Zechariah is a basket with a “lead disc” or a cover on top of it. There was a woman standing in the basket, and the angel pushed her down and covered the basket with the lead disc (5:7). The woman was “wickedness”. Two “women” with wings carried the basket through the sky. Zechariah asked the angel where they were taking the basket, and the answer was “Shinar” (5:11). Shinar was in Mesopotamia and was where the tower of Babel was built (Genesis 11). The flying women were going to build a “house” (same word for temple) for the basket, and “when it was ready, the basket will be set there on its base” (5:11 NKJV; “on her own pedestal” NASB). Babylon was not the current empire at the time of Zechariah (Darius was a Persian king Zechariah 1:1) but often “Babylon” can refer to the current world power.

While God was watching the “house” be built in Jerusalem (4:9-10), another “house” was being built in “Shinar” or “Babylon”. God will not allow wickedness to exist in His house and the curses will make sure of this, but the empire that “rules the world” will literally be built on wickedness. Even though the world seems as though it is at peace, “resting quietly” (1:11), do not be fooled. There are two things that are undoubtedly true: the world is not done with her wickedness, and

God will put an end to the evil-doers. This is good news for the righteous who are oppressed by wickedness day and night and are desperate for justice and peace. The curse will “consume” every house that is constructed on “wickedness”. In this broader sense, There are really only two "houses", God's and the world's. Which house are we in?

Logan Edmison

### May Birthdays

- 1-Brandon Gober
- 1-Jason Perry
- 3-Lysa Park
- 7-Janet Stephens
- 8-Abbie Cross
- 13-Alex Beard
- 13-Geraldine Outlaw
- 13-Rita Romberg
- 19-Clavin Norwood
- 19-Kaci Shadaram
- 22-Louise Perry
- 24-Andrew Harmon
- 26-Angela Farris
- 26-Jeff Lawerance
- 29-Lindsey Borcharding
- 29-Jennifer Harmon
- 30-Amanda Edmison
- 31-Zander Holland

### May Anniversaries

- 22-Boyd & Joann Cheney
- 30-Bill & Diane Lawerance

## IN OUR Thoughts and Prayers

We have no members in the hospital at this time.

**Vonda Weeks** is now home but needs assistance with walking. She has a long road ahead of her but **Carl** says she’s getting stronger every day.

**Stephen Romberg**, the son of **Frank & Rita Romberg** is having kidney problems and has been put on the transplant list. **Rita** left on Tuesday to go to Tennessee to stay for awhile to care for him. Please keep all of them in your prayers.

**Doris Phillips** has some health concerns that she is experiencing. She had a medical procedure and is now home. Prayers are appreciated as she heals.

**Fear thou not; for I am with thee: be not dismayed; for I am thy God: I will strengthen thee; yea, I will help thee; yea, I will uphold thee with the right hand of my righteousness**

Isaiah 41:10

### TIPTON HOME

Our Tipton Home collection for the months of **April - June** will be: **HE Laundry soap, dryer sheets, and bleach.** Please place these items in the barrel in the foyer.



### RECORD FOR April 17, 2022

<b>Bible Study</b>	65
<b>Worship Service</b>	119
<b>Sunday Evening</b>	31
<b>Wednesday Evening</b>	36
<b>Contribution</b>	\$4,207.36

### SERVING THE CONGREGATION April 24, 2022

<b>Announcements:</b>	Ron Taffe
<b>Scripture Reader:</b>	Steve Kelly
<b>Song Director:</b>	Larry Markle
<b>Opening Prayer:</b>	Clavin Norwood
<b>Sermon:</b>	Logan Edmison
<b>Closing Prayer:</b>	Clay Markle
<b>Lord’s Supper:</b>	Dennis Brodersen
<b>Elevator Side:</b>	<b>Annex Side:</b>
Tracy Wilcox	Austin Beard
<b>Projection:</b>	<b>Video/Audio:</b>
Keith Lawrence	Bob Stephens

### CONTINUING PRAYER CONCERNS

Don Mack	Chad Beard
Carla Dame	Carl Weeks
Boyd Cheney	Lola Mullinax
John Rampey	John Sullivan
Winona Seikel	Frank Romberg
Debra Campbell	Diane Lawerance
Fredith Hanifan	Selene Williams
Sandon Hilditch	Dorothy Strickland
Thearlene Morris	Gary Knoles
Dwyane Dennis	Marcia Dennis

### LOOKING AHEAD

**Sunday PM Bible Study at 5:00 pm**  
**Sunday PM Children’s Bible Hour at 5:00 pm**  
**Wednesday Bible Study at 6:00 pm**