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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.  
**CHILDREN'S BIBLE HR** 5:00 P.M.  
**WEDNESDAY:** 6:30 P.M.  
**BIBLE STUDY**

**IN SEARCH** OF THE LORD'S WAY  
Sundays at 7:30 AM on KOGB—TV34  
October 02, "The Mind of Christ"  
October 09, "Christ's Compassionate Mind"  
October 16, "Christ's Obedient Mind"  
October 23, "Christ's Truthful Mind"  
October 30, "Christ's Loving Mind"

**SERVING THE CONGREGATION**  
October 02, 2022

**AM SERVICE::**  
Announcements: Dalton Path  
Scripture Reader: Keith Lawrence  
Song Director: Larry Markle  
Opening Prayer: Steve Kelly  
Sermon: Logan Edmison  
Closing Prayer: Eric Park

Lord's Supper: Dennis Brodersen  
Elevator Side: Henry Arthur  
Annex Side: Brian Nipper

Projection: Tracy Wilcox  
Video/Audio: Bob Stephens


**PM SERVICE-PRAYERS:**  
Opening Prayer: Jim Walling  
Closing Prayer: Eddie Beard


**WEDNESDAY PM DEVO:**  
Song Leader: Paul Harris


**40** Jesus said to her, "Did I not say to you that if you would believe you would see the glory of God?"  
**41** Then they took away the stone from the place where the dead man was lying. And Jesus lifted up His eyes and said, "Father, I thank You that You have heard Me.

John 11:40-41 NKJV

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

 <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCq8ft4soarDDSYork8ol9xpw?>

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

**Videos will be uploaded later in the day.**



**Elders:**  
Paul Harris  
Steve Kelly  
Bob Stephens

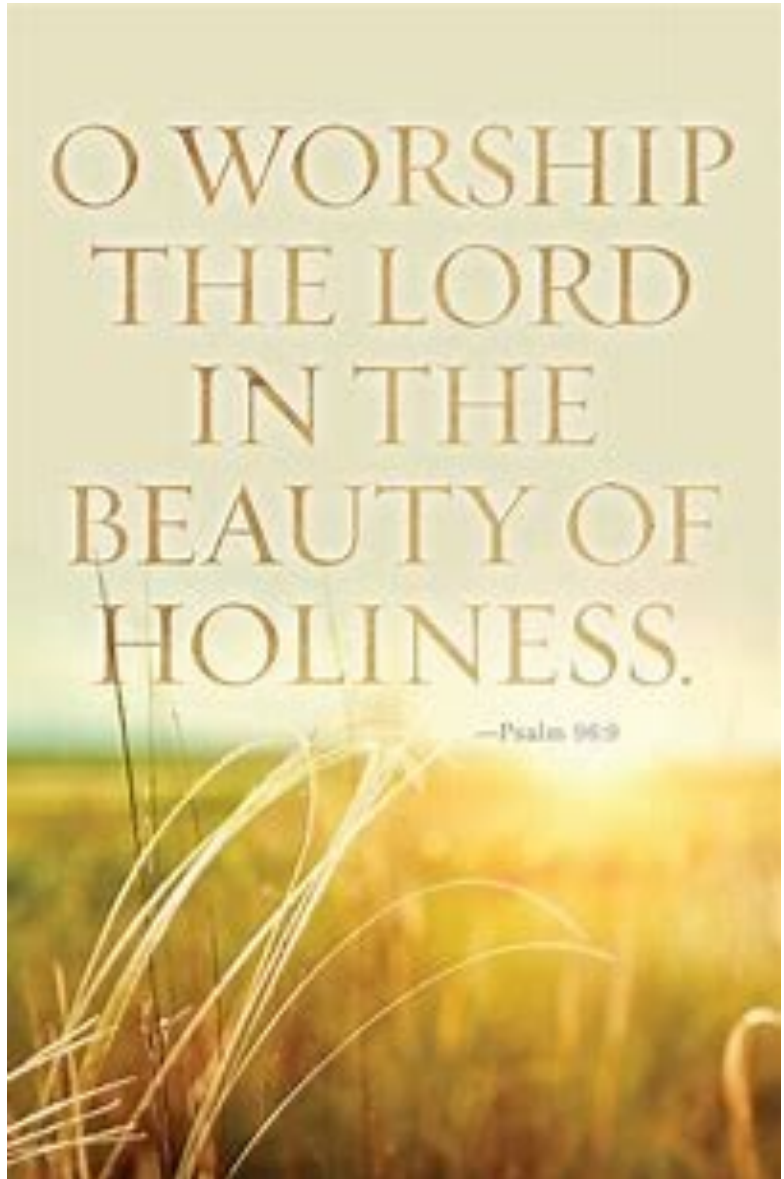
**Deacons:**  
Dale Beard  
Joe Curtis  
Tracy Gettle  
Keith Lawrence  
Dalton Path  
Scott Perry

**Secretary:**  
Lois Carter

**Minister:**  
Logan Edmison

**Missions:**  
Haiti Children's Home  
Hope Harbor Children's Home  
Lilyfield Adoption  
Nicaragua  
In Search of the Lord's Way  
Southern Africa Bible College  
Westview Boys Home

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## Coffins in Water

Genesis 6-7; Exodus 2; and 1 Peter 3:20

The dictionary defines an Ark as a vessel that serves as protection against extinction. The Hebrew Lexicon suggests that it is a chest or box, possibly borrowed from an Egyptian word which means "coffin". The only two times that the word for "ark" in this sense is used in the Old Testament is in reference to the Ark of Noah, and the Ark of bulrushes in Exodus 2. If in both of these accounts Moses is borrowing from an Egyptian word for coffin, then the symbolism is fascinating.

When God tells Noah to build an Ark, it is as if He is telling him to build a coffin. This coffin was not that Noah and his family would die, but, though they should die in an event such as a global flood, they will live. It is as though they figuratively die and are buried, but God resurrects them to life.

Moses was doomed to death in the river, just as the world was doomed to death by flood in the time of Noah. Moses' mother had determined that this was the only way that he had a chance for survival. Therefore, being placed into the baby's coffin, he floats downstream to his unavoidable death. We know, however, that Moses does not die in this coffin.

In both of these events, though doomed to death in a coffin by water, God saves them through the water. It does not feel like a stretch to suggest that both events have "resurrection-like" themes.

The New Testament corresponding act is baptism; salvation through water. Not

that we should go into the water to die physically, but from a spiritual death, rise to a new life. In the Ark, one could only appeal to God for any hope of life. Without an act from God, no one that enters the coffin ever returns. Jesus entered death and returned. Therefore, through His resurrection, we can, through water, appeal to God for salvation from our otherwise unavoidable death.

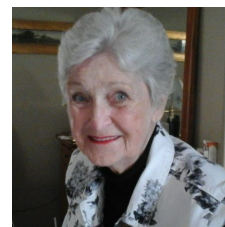
-- Logan Edmison

**But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To Him be the glory both now and forever. Amen.**

**2 Peter 3:18 NKJV:**

**Lillian Sullivan Nealeigh  
August 23, 1937-September 26, 2022**

**Lillian Alice Sullivan Nealeigh, passed away on Tuesday September 26, 2022 at the age of 85. Lillian was a former member here at Central, her husband Don Sullivan was the minister here from 1992-2002. Don passed away August 21, 2003. Lillian would later remarry and move to Wyoming where she lived until Mr. Nealeigh passed away. She then moved back to Oklahoma to be closer to her children. At publication, the time of the funeral had not been determined.**



## IN OUR Thoughts and Prayers

**We have no members currently in the hospital.**

**Denise Beard** had knee replacement surgery and is improving daily, she is doing PT and was given a good report from the doctor.

**Blake Carter** seen the doctor on Monday the 26th and the MRI showed that the tumors are stable. His blood count was low so they are doing some follow up testing.

Let's remember all our shut-ins, those recovering from recent procedures and those that will have upcoming procedures.



TIPTON HOME

Our Tipton Home collection for the months of **September, October, and November** will be **Paper towel, Toilet Tissue, and Kleenex.**

Thank you for your generosity.



## RECORD FOR SEPTEMBER 25, 2022

Bible Study	50
AM Worship Service	82
PM Worship Service	41
Wednesday PM Classes	50
Contribution	\$2,818.76

## Reading the Bible in a Year Together

October 03, 2022  
Matthew 5-6

October 04, 2022  
Matthew 7-9

October 05, 2022  
Matthew 10-11

October 06, 2022  
Matthew 12-13

October 07, 2022  
Matthew 14-15

October 08, 2022  
Matthew 16-18

October 09, 2022  
Matthew 19-21

## CONTINUING PRAYER CONCERNS

Chad Beard,	Blake Carter
Boyd Cheney	Carla Dame
Marcia Dennis	Dwyane Dennis
Fredith Hanifan	Sandon Hilditch
Kevin Lafoon	Diane Lawerance
Don Mack	Clay Markle
Lola Mullinax	Winona Seikel
Lynn Stephens	Dorothy Strickland
Carl Weeks	Yuavonda Weeks

## LOOKING AHEAD

**Sunday AM Bible School at 9:30 am**  
**Sunday AM Worship at 10:30 am**  
**Sunday PM Worship at 5:00 pm**  
**Sunday PM Children's Bible Hour at 5:00 pm**  
**Wednesday Bible Study at 6:30 pm**