



CENTRAL CHURCH SEEKS TO HELP YOU LOVE GOD,
LOVE OTHERS AND SHARE THE TRUTH OF SALVATION
THROUGH JESUS.

Today @ Central Church

December 23, 2018

9:45—10:45 am **Life Enrichment Groups ~ All Ages**

11:00 am—12:15 pm **Family Worship**

Offering of Praise
Joy To The World #118

Welcoming

Worship and Prayer
O Little Town of Bethlehem #128
Hark! The Herald Angels Sing #137

Worship in Giving
Love Divine, All Loves Excelling #34

Worship in the Word
Forgiveness ~ Advent 2018 Luke 5:17-26

Worship in Commitment
Jesus, What A Friend For Sinners #36

Closing Prayer

Coming Events

Candlelight Service
December 24th 7:00-8:00 pm
Join us for a time of song, reflection,
and sharing of the Lord's Supper.

No Mid-week Services
December 26th
In order to allow families to spend
time together there will be no mid-
week services on December 26th

Deacon Ministry Team Meeting
January 20th 12:30-1:00 pm

Advisory Board Meeting
January 22nd 6:30-8:30 pm

Annual Business Meeting
January 27th 12:30-2:00 pm



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iTunes.

Prayer Requests

Spiritual Needs

Unspoken
Victory FWB Church pastor search
Wooten Family
McCarty Family

Material Needs

Those traveling

Our Armed Forces

Brandon Koonce
Landon Koonce

Health Needs

Martin Family
Haley Family
Joyce Terry
Linda Johnson Family

Health Needs

Edwin Bowden
Joyce Noah
Mike Smith
Janet Rule
Brandi Beckerle's baby, Stevi
Kathy Yokley
Bob Farwell
June Nolen
Greg & Laura Griffie
Margaret Starnes
Greg Griffie's dad, William
Mark McMinn's nephew, Chase
Wynona Dodd
Brian Machal

Prayer Family of the Week

Brian & Jennifer Machal, Abby

Advisory Board

Amy Smith ~ Chairman
Gary Breshears ~ Treasurer
Bill Weeks ~ Secretary
Brett Daire
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Facility Board

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For Prayer Chain requests please contact Pastor Alan at (816) 868-2080
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Forgiveness ~ Advent 2018

Luke 5:17-26

Forgiveness is one of those concepts with Christian circles that is sometimes misunderstood. When we do misunderstand forgiveness, we also will misunderstand salvation. You see, without forgiveness there can be no salvation. So, as we bring this Advent season to a conclusion, it is vitally important that we have a solid understanding of forgiveness. Jesus brought forgiveness...

What Is Forgiveness?

It isn't ignorant of what happened...

Who can forgive—

What is forgiveness—

When Is Forgiveness Justified?

Well, this gets a little tricky...

God forgives when—

How Can I Receive Forgiveness?

Make a choice...

Make a choice:

Ask for help:

Receive forgiveness:

A Closing Thought

Being forgiven is the greatest feeling in the world—for a guilty person...

This is what Jesus is offering you—

All of the messages of Christmas miss the point when they fail to mention that the point of Jesus' Advent was to bring forgiveness. The message that family matters most is important, but incorrect. What matters most is whether or not you choose to receive forgiveness. We are all guilty and in need of what Jesus offers us—total forgiveness and eternal acceptance into God's family.

There is more grace in God's heart than there is sin in your past.

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Nursery Worker

Life Enrichment Gary Breshears
Community Worship Nicole Breshears

Toddler's Church

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Greeters/Hosts

Greg & Laura Griffie

Central's Statistics

<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Yearly Average</u>
Life Enrichment	36	26
Community Worship	85	45

Our mission is to glorify God by bringing others to faith in Jesus Christ and seeing lives changed by teaching and living God's truth.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

BIRTHDAYS

Abby Schmedding ~ December 24th
Krystal Williams ~ December 26th

ANNIVERSARIES

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