



OUR MISSION IS TO BECOME
DISCIPLES WHO MAKE DISCIPLES!

MAY 3, 2020

Today @ Central Church

9:45–10:45 am **Classes Canceled Until June 7, 2020**

10:15-10:45 am **Worship Team**

10:45-11:00 am **Central Connections**

11:00 am–12:00 pm **[Family Worship Online](#)**

Prelude

Welcoming

Announcements and opening prayer

Offering of Praise and Worship

Celebrate Jesus

This Is Amazing Grace

Draw Me Close to You

God Is Good All the Time

Worship in the Word

New Beginnings ~ Strange Steps Joshua 2:1-24

Worship in Commitment

Until Then #637

Closing Prayer

Postlude

Coming Events

Sunday Night Fellowship

May 3rd 6:00-7:00 pm

A time for virtual fellowship! Check your email later today for a link to join this time of fellowship and prayer. You will have to provide your own snacks and drinks! If you don't receive the invitation by 4:00 PM, [send me an email](#) so I can add you to the list!

Advisory Board Meeting ~ Zoom

May 18th 6:00-7:00 pm

The Advisory Board and Deacon Team will meet to review upcoming steps in preparing to re-open for attended services.

New Ministry Opportunity

Central will be opening a clothing pantry to help families in need once the current situation allows us to. If you are interested in helping, or if you have gently used clothing (or new socks/underwear) you'd like to donate, you can speak to Greg or Laura Griffie once we determine when we will be able to open this ministry.

Prayer Requests

Spiritual Needs

Unspoken
Pray for our country!
Unsaved family/friends

Material Needs

Facility needs
Gary Breshears job situation

Our Armed Forces

Landon Koonce
Brock Koonce
Nancy's granddaughter, Alex

Health Needs

Rod & Anne Rule
Margaret Starnes brother-in-law, Gary
June Nolen
Beverly Custer's sister, Phyllis
Shirley & Edwin Bowden
Allene Yeara
Wynona Dodd
Donna Hobbs
Judy Farrow
Nancy Branham's daughter, Kenna
Nancy Branham's granddaughter, Alex
Those affected by COVID-19
Shirley Bowden's sister, Marilyn
Kathy Yokley

Prayer Family of the Week

Donna Hobbs

Advisory Board

Amy Smith ~ Chairman
Gary Breshears ~ Treasurer
Brett Daire ~ Secretary
Laura Griffie
Anna Breshears

Deacon Ministry Team

Larry Starnes ~ 872-6838
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Tim Smith ~ 806-1992
Gary Breshears ~ 518-8691
Brett Daire ~ 778-1786

Facility Board

Tim Smith
Max Breshears
Mathew Williams
Nancy Branham
Larry Starnes

For Prayer Chain requests please contact Pastor Alan at (816) 868-2080
or Nancy Branham at (816) 588-5418

New Beginnings ~ Strange Steps

Joshua 2:1-24

When we make a new beginning we can sometimes get caught off-guard by the seemingly strange twists and turns they can take. When we talk about a new beginning and include God in the mix, the certainty of some strange steps is almost guaranteed.

Understand that just because something seems strange to us that doesn't make it strange. It just means that it is something that we weren't expecting.

Where God Leads

Not where we expect...

The home of a prostitute—it seems

Is there another question we should be asking?

We think:

- Some places are _____
- Some places God _____
- Some places _____

Who God Uses

Not who we expect...

A prostitute—it seems

Is there another question we should be asking?

We think:

- Some _____
- Some _____
- Some _____

How God Works

Not how we expect...

A pagan prostitute—it seems

Is there another question we should be asking?

- God should _____
- God should work _____

Conclusion

Let yourself be surprised...

Joshua 2:24 (ESV) ~ And they said to Joshua, "Truly the Lord has given all the land into our hands..."

God has _____!

That's right, what for us is a new beginning is someplace where God has already been at work. The place, the people, and even the means has already been put in place by the Lord. What will we do next?

Press forward. Do not stop, do not linger in your journey, but strive for the mark set before you.
GEORGE WHITEFIELD

<p><u>Nursery Worker</u> Life Enrichment N/A Community Worship N/A</p> <p><u>Toddler's Church</u> N/A</p>	<p><u>Audio-Visual Technician</u> N/A</p> <p><u>Security</u> N/A</p> <p><u>Greeters/Hosts</u> N/A</p>
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OUR VISION IS TO LABOR IN THE GRANDVIEW AREA TO HELP PEOPLE LOVE GOD, LOVE OTHERS AND SHARE THE TRUTH OF SALVATION THROUGH KNOWING JESUS.

BIRTHDAYS
Rod Rule ~ May 5th
Addyson Walker ~ May 6th
Shirley Bowden ~ May 9th

ANNIVERSARIES

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