

# **ORDER OF SERVICE**

August 13, 2023

Welcome & Announcements	Chris Baker
<b>Celebration of Baptism</b> Maggie Patton	Jerry Patton
Scriptural Call to Worship	Chuck Burton
Worshipping Together Through Song	We Believe O What a Savior
Deacon Devotion & Offertory Prayer	Nathan Martin
Worshipping Together Through Song	Only There
Pastoral Prayer	Jerry Patton
Receiving God's Word Together	Chris Baker Mark 16:1-16
Responding to God's Word Together	Blessed Assurance
Benediction	Chuck Burton
Closing Song	Blessed Assurance - chorus

# **WHY WE GATHER**

Whether you're a first-time guest or a longtime member, we're glad you're here! We believe that there are many ingredients involved in making a healthy Christian, and the Sunday morning gathering is definitely one of them. Each week we live our lives being bombarded by lies; we are told that we are so bad that we are beyond hope or so good that we are beyond need. Throughout our week we are tempted to put our hope in and stake our joy on things and people that will inevitably fail us. A gospel-centered, Jesus-exulting weekly gathering is a major defense against these errors. We need to be reminded by others and need to remind others of the wonders purchased for us by the person and work of Jesus Christ. Gathering with other Christians is a God-ordained means to do this.

## **WEEKLY VOLUNTEERS**

	This Week	Next Week
Ushers	Terry Carlyle, Mike Coggins, Stuart Cox, Tyler Hawkins	Harold Deckerd, Steve Gordon, Kenny Griggs, Noah Kropf
Nursery	Joey, Kelly, & Tyler Hawkins, Carol Rodgers	Seth & Sadie Foster, Mollie Wheeler, Sheri Deckerd
Children's Church	Michael, Rebekah, & Noah Kropf, Gary Dorr, Greg Hedberg	Sandra Dorr & Kelly Hawkins
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Deacon Prayer	Nathan Martin	Tom Nelson
Stuart House	Duane Farmer	Kendrick Ross
Breakfast: B=Bakers S=Servers	<b>B:</b> A Ferguson, A Carlyle, M Sydow, D Cox, B Lewis <b>S:</b> A Ferguson, T/A Carlyle, M Sydow	<b>B:</b> P Hunter, C Burton, L Griggs, N Rhoades <b>S:</b> P Hunter, C/R Burton, D Farmer, N Rhoades
Monday Tellers	Pam Gordon & Jeri Ward	Chuck & Rita Burton

### **OUR TEAM**

## **Ministerial Staff**

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## **Administrative & Support Staff**

Jacki Stelzer, Secretary John Luttrell, Custodian

#### **Deacons**

Larry Bryson Stuart Cox Seth Foster Steve Gordon Greg Hedberg Dylan Kempker John Malloy Nathan Martin Tom Nelson Randy Power Dan Rhoades Kendrick Ross,

Kendrick Ross, Chairman Gary Dorr, Vice Chairman Harold Deckerd, Secretary

# **CONTACT US**

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# **FBC THIS WEEK**

Sunday, Aug 13

8:30am

Breakfast

9:00am

Sunday School

10:15am

Worship

3:00pm

Fellowship Hall usage

5:30pm

Pickup and Pray

Monday, Aug 14

10:00am

Children to Bonkers

Tuesday, Aug 15

12:00pm

Teachers' Appreciation Dinner

Wednesday, Aug 16

1:00pm

Community Pantry

Open

6:00pm

FBC Students

Friday, August 18

10:00am

Game Day

**Upcoming FBC Events** 

Friday, Aug 25 at 12:00pm: JOY Group Friday, Aug 25: Tailgate Party at CHS Wednesday, Aug 30 at 5:00pm: FBC Kids

Kickoff

Monday, Sept 4: Office Closed

Wednesday, Sept 6 at 6:00pm: FBC Kids

begins

#### **NEWS**

**Pickup & Pray:** Join us tonight at 5:30pm at Centralia High School as we pick up trash and pray for the upcoming school year.

**You Are Invited:** Please join us to celebrate the 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration honoring Wayne & Carolyn Rice. Dessert and Punch Open House. Saturday, August 26, from 2:00pm-4:00pm; Centralia East Annex, 801 E. Switzler, Centralia. RSVP Paula Moore at 573-682-4954

**Needs in the Community Pantry**: toilet papers, trash bags, and laundry soap. You may put your donations in the wooden basket in the fellowship hall foyer.

**Operation Christmas Child:** This year our goal is 400 boxes. The emphasis for <u>August is school supplies</u>. Please keep your eyes open for deals at local stores or visit our Amazon wish list.

#### **FBC Kids Leadership Team Needs**

Are you passionate about making a difference in the lives of children? We have an exciting opportunity for you to get involved in FBC Kids on Wednesdays this fall. We need adult volunteers to help disciple and guide the next generation. Joining the FBC Kids team isn't just an act of service; it's a great way to grow your own faith.

No Experience Necessary! Whether you are a seasoned teacher, a parent, a young adult, or a grandparent, your unique gifts and experiences are valuable in shaping the future of our FBC Family. No prior experience in teaching or ministry is necessary. We provide training and resources to equip you for this fulfilling role. FBC Kids meet Wednesdays from 6-7:30pm. If you feel called to serve, contact Nicole Rhoades at nicole@centraliafbc.org, call the office at (573) 682.2148, or fill out the connect card. "...but Jesus said, 'Let the little children come to me and do not hinder them, for to such belongs the kingdom of heaven.'" - Matthew 19:14

### Serving Myanmar Christian Fellowship

The Heart of Missouri Baptist Association and Missouri Baptist Convention have presented FBC with the opportunity to partner with Myanmar Christian Fellowship (11171 N Hwy VV, Columbia, MO 65202). MCF is a growing community of like-minded Burmese (Myanmar is the nation formerly known as Burma) Christians drawn from parts of Columbia and Boone County. As the Burmese families in their congregation continue to grow, a need has arisen for English-speaking leaders in their children and youth ministries. They're looking for volunteers to serve from roughly noon-2pm on Sundays to help teach the Bible to the next generation. If you're interested, please fill out the connect card or contact the church office at office@centraliafbc.org or (573) 682.2148.



#### **MOBILE GIVING**

Scan the QR Code with your mobile device to be directed to our mobile giving platform or visit centraliafbc.org/give.

#### LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE & GIVING

Sunday School 79
Morning Worship 164

#### Giving

Weekly Need \$7,328.00

Total Received \$15,345.21 (includes online offerings)

## **SERMON NOTES**

Mark 16:1-16 | Chris Baker

## **PRAYER LIST**

To add a prayer request, complete a Connect Card from the pew rack and place it in the offering plate, or email office@centraliafbc.org

Name	Need	Name	Need
Travis Barr	Treatment/healing/God's guidance for drs	Duane Farmer	Test
Melinda Morrow	Cancer	Carrie Million	Breast Cancer
Darlene Boswell	Recovery from pneumonia	Rhonda McMillen	Cancer and Dementia
Janelle Ross	Strength and mobility, healing	Sandra Dorr	Leg and foot injury, surgery recovery
Carol Buck	Recovery from broken back	David James	Cancer
Rita Burton	Breathing problems & tests	Terry James	Rehab
Unbelievers	Lost souls	Mom & 3 children	All have cancer
Howard Davenport	COPD	Students & Teachers	School starting
Creda Lewis	Broken back	Families of:	Loraine Sukalski
Beverly Atkinson	Cancer, Hospice		
Katie Bealler	Cancer, chemo		
Mary Dunbar	Broken arm, Stroke		
Twin Gibson boys	Premature, abdominal hole, lung problems		
Nancy Wheeler	Blood clot recovery		
David & Lynn Daffern	David's Alzheimer's and Cancer		

**Nursery** is available during our worship gathering for children from birth through age three. The nursery is located up the stairs from the family entrance. Ushers are available to help with the nursery check-in process.

**Children's Church** is available for children ages four through second grade on the first three Sundays of each month. Children's Church is dismissed from the Sanctuary before the sermon begins.

