

ORDER OF SERVICE

May 22, 2022

Jerry Patton
Jerry Patton
Wonderful, Merciful Savior Amazing Grace
Dylan Kempker
You Are My Hiding Place His Mercy is More
Jerry Patton
Chris Baker
It is Well
Chris Baker
Praise God from Whom All Blessing Flow

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	Dan Rhoades Don Rodgers Kendrick Ross Ed West	Randy Adams Dennis Sykes Jimmy Minor Harold Deckerd
Nursery	Dylan & Lindsey Kempker, Tarryn Vega, Brenda Magnusson	Katie Patton, Siah Horton, Seth & Sadie Foster
Children's Church	No Children's Church	No Children's Church
Tech Team		
Deacon Prayer	Dylan Kempker	Lonnie Cox
Stuart House	Steve Gordon	Duane Farmer
Breakfast: B=Bakers S=Servers	B: A Ferguson, A Carlyle, M Sydow, D Cox, B Lewis S: A Ferguson, T&A Carlyle, M Sydow	B: P Hunter, C Burton, C Hall, L Griggs S: P Hunter, C Burton, D Farmer
Monday Tellers	Pete Brooks and Lynda Sykes	(Tuesday) Pete Brooks and Lynda Sykes

OUR TEAM

Ministerial Staff

Chris Baker, Pastor (573) 529.3378 | cbaker@centraliafbc.org Jerry Patton, Pastoral Resident (573) 528-4569 | jerry@centraliafbc.org Danelle Mathews, Music Director (573) 682.7159 | dmathews@centraliafbc.org Chuck Burton, Senior Adult Director (573) 682.4931 | cburton@centraliafbc.org Nicole Rhoades, Children's Director (573) 881-0850 | nicole@centraliafbc.org

Administrative & Support Staff

Jacki Stelzer, Secretary John Luttrell, Custodian

Deacons

Lonnie Cox Stuart Cox Bob Fair Duane Farmer Seth Foster Steve Gordon Mike Hall

Michael Hann Randy Power Dennis Sykes Dan Rhoades, Chairman Harold Deckerd, V Chairman Gary Dorr, Secretary

CONTACT US

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FBC THIS WEEK

Sunday, May 22

9:00am Sunday School

10:15am Worship

6:00pm Members Meeting

Wednesday, May 25

6:00pm Old Test. Bible Study Worship Practice

6:15pm FBC Students Prayer Meeting

Thursday, May 26

6:00pm Pickleball

Friday, May 27

12:00pm JOY Group

Upcoming FBC EventsMay 30: Church office closed

NEWS

Congratulations to the following FBC scholarship recipients:

Mason Barr, Mariah Barr, Baylee Beard, Ashlyn Hough, Colton Hough, Thomas Hudson, McKinley Hulen, Emma Magnusson, Katelyn Magnusson, Shane Rhoades, Abbie Ross, Tarryn Vega

Thank You for continuing to support me in my education. It is a great help and I am very thankful for it. Sincerely, Colton Hough.

Thank You so much for picking me to be a recipient of the FBC Scholarship! I will be using it to attend Mizzou where I plan on majoring in Psychology on the Pre-Med track in the Honors College. I am so grateful for your continued support! Ashlyn Hough

Restrooms Open for Anchor Fest: FBC will open the gym doors for a cool place for Anchor Fest participants to cool off and to offer clean restrooms. There will also be a bounce house for young ones to enjoy. If you are able to be a host, please sign your name to the sheet being passed around this morning. You may also contact the church office. 573-682-2148. The open hours are: Fri 5pm-9pm; Sat 9am-9pm; Sun 11am-3pm.

Understanding the Old Testament Class: We've all been confused by the Old Testament at some point. The genealogies, the difficult names, and the sacrifices can be intimidating! But we really do believe *anyone* can understand the Old Testament. Pastor Chris is teaching *Old Testament for Everyone* in the Fellowship Hall at 6pm on Wednesdays. This class runs from May 18-August 17 and covers Genesis-Proverbs (Psalms-Malachi will be offered at a later date). Anyone is welcome to attend.

Sports Crusaders Basketball Camp: Previously planned camp is now cancelled.

Our GO Visitation Ministry is active! We need more church members who are willing to visit shut-ins, inactive members, and new Centralia residents. You'll be assigned an address or two to visit and you can go at your own pace. If you need a partner, just let us know and we'll assign you to a team. For more information, contact the church office or indicate your interest on a connect card today!

Operation Christmas Child: is an incredible way to spread the Gospel. One simple shoe box can change the lives on an entire family who don't know Christ. May is "hygiene items" month. Also, don't forget about the Amazon wish list. See Terry and Ann Carlyle for details or stop by the display in the foyer.

Breakfast at FBC: Join us each Sunday for a time of fellowship and breakfast at 8:30am. We serve from 8:30 until it's time to go to Sunday School at 9:00am.

Vacation Bible School: Are you interested in volunteering? VBS will be July 17-21. Contact Kelly Harper to get your volunteer spot. 573-355-6453 or kelly.harper@cr6.org

Cedar Crest Family Camp: June 18, 9am-3:30pm: \$18 per student/Parent-Guardian No Charge; Lunch provided. Activities: escape room, crafts, build launch model rockets, archery, scavenger hunt, kites. Register online at cedarcrestmo.com. Deadline is May 31. Questions: call 573-567-0022 or email familycamp@cedarcrestmo.com.



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 94

Morning Worship 201 **Giving**Weekly Need \$8,095.42

\$4,030.68

Total Received

(includes online offerings)

SERMON NOTES

Psalm 123:1-4 - 124:1-8 | Chris Baker

PRAYER LIST

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

Name	Need	Name	Need
Bob Fair	Ongoing respiratory issues	Nada Gibson	Heart Procedure Recovery
Darryl Veazey	Cancer	Donna Smith	COPD
Tonya Hardy	Lungs, Histoplasmoses	Jeff Roberts	Exercise Accident Therapy
Mary Bagley	Health issues	Dot McNaghten	Heart surgery recovery
Kayla Meier		Rhonda McMillen	Cancer, Alzheimer's
Cale Harper	Seizures	Aaron Abel	Cancer treatment
J B Long		Rita Burton	Recovering at home
Michael	Serious Motorcycle accident	Barb Moore	Neck pain
Beverly Atkinson	Knee surgery	Carol Buck	Recovery from neck surgery
Jeri Ward	Recovery from knee surgery	Roger Wilson	Heart - Surgery
Joni Holcomb	Recovery from surgery	Harold & Sue Ward	(S) Oxygen & (H) Wound Clinic
Ukraine		Ronald & Sharon Cain	Bad wreck recovery
Russia		Mark Grotjon	Chemo for colon problems
		Darlene Boswell	In hospital with COPD

Nursery is available during our worship gathering for children from birth through preschool. 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 in kindergarten through the third grade on the first three Sundays of each month. Children's Church is dismissed from the Sanctuary before the sermon begins.