



# CENTRALIA

## FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

### WEEKLY BULLETIN

OCTOBER 3, 2021

Welcome to our weekly worship gathering! We're here today for one overarching purpose: to glorify God. The New Testament says that when churches gather, they should read the Bible, preach the Bible, pray the Bible, and sing the Bible. We strive to do all those things every Sunday. You'll hear the Bible read and preached. We hope to saturate our prayers and root our singing in the living Word of God. We're glad you're here!

### ORDER OF WORSHIP

#### Welcome & Call to Worship

Keith Jones

#### Worshipping Together Through Song

Hymn #499 *Open Our Eyes Lord*  
Hymn #405 *Have Faith in God*

#### Deacon's Prayer and Encouragement

*Ushers will collect from FBC Members an offering after the Deacon's Prayer. Guests are encouraged to place your Connect Card in the offering plate, but are not expected to contribute financially.*

Dan Rhoades

#### Worshipping Together Through Song

*God Always Keeps His Promises*  
*God is So Good - Alleluia*

#### Pastoral Prayer

*Children in Kindergarten through 3rd grade will be dismissed for Children's Church after this prayer.*

Keith Jones

#### Receiving God's Word Together

Chris Baker

#### Responding to God's Word Together

Hymn #483 *Footsteps of Jesus*

#### Announcements & Benediction

Chuck Burton

We exist to glorify God by making disciples of Jesus Christ in Centralia, Mid-Missouri, and across the globe. We **gather** together for gospel-centered corporate worship. We **grow** together through gospel-centered fellowship and service. We **go** together in gospel-centered service and engagement.

# FBC NEWS

**Wednesday Dinner:** 5:30pm; October 6  
Tator Tot Casserole, Corn, Salad, Roll, Chocolate Sheet Cake

Jr. & Sr. Girls Bible Study, **GO (Girls Only)** will begin meeting each Tuesday at 6:00pm at Loraine’s house. 606 Jason Court. If you are interested, contact her at #913-240-7456.

**Newsletter Deadline:** Do you have information to put in the November-December newsletter? The deadline is at 9:00am October 22. Please have your information to the office by then.

**Deacon Nomination Form:** Do you have a Godly man in mind that you think will serve well as a Deacon at FBC? Find the nomination form attached to the bulletin. Please read the qualifications, pray for a nominee, complete the form, and submit it to the church office.

Do you know someone that doesn’t have internet and hasn’t been able to get to church? Let the office know and we can **mail a weekly bulletin** to them. We need to know the name and address.

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# CALENDAR

**Sunday, October 3**

9:00am Sunday School  
10:15 am Worship Gathering  
5:00pm Coffee House Bible Study  
5:15pm Women’s Bible Study

**Monday, October 4**

10:00am New Life Class

**Tuesday, October 5**

6:00pm GO Bible Study

**Wednesday, October 6**

5:30pm Dinner  
6:15pm FBC Kids  
CREW Students Ministries  
Financial Peace University  
Prayer Meeting

**Friday, October 8**

10:00am Game Day

**Saturday, October 9**

7:00am Men’s Bible Study  
9:00am 30for30 Famine

**Upcoming FBC Events**  
Oct 9-10: #30for30 Famine  
Oct 12 @ 6:30pm: Deacons Meeting  
Oct 22-23: Men’s Retreat  
Oct 23 @5pm: Children’s Pumpkin Carving

# BIBLICAL GENEROSITY



## Mobile Giving

Scan the QR Code with your mobile device to be directed to our mobile giving platform.

## LAST WEEK

### Attendance

Sunday School	136
Morning Worship (includes Stuart House)	117

### Giving

Weekly Need	\$8,211.00
General Received	\$4,610.30
Designated Received	\$210.00
Total Received	\$4,820.30

## CONNECT AT FBC

**FBC Kids:** Wednesday Nights at 6:15pm

**Youth Discipleship Class:** Sundays at 5:30pm

**CREW Student Ministries:** *Wednesday Night Live* Doors open at 5:45pm, service starts at 6:15pm. [Enter in the North doors; we are meeting in the basement.](#)

**Ladies Bible Study:** Sundays at 5:15pm in the Conference Room.

**Men's Bible Study:** Saturdays at 6:30am in the Fellowship Hall.

### Upcoming Sermon Texts:

Oct 10: Mission/Vision - Every Member a Disciplemaker - pt. 2  
Oct 17: Mission/Vision - Every Member a Disciplemaker - pt. 3

## WEEKLY VOLUNTEERS

	This Week	Next Week
Ushers	Jerry Patton, Randy Power, Dan Rhoades, Don Rodgers	Kendrick Ross, Ed West, Randy Adams, Dennis Sykes
Nursery	Stuart & Jamileh Cox, Morgan Ross and Shauna Starks	Michael, Rebekah, & Noah Kropf, Sandra Dorr
Children's Church	Greg and Hilary Hedberg	Sadie and Seth Foster
Video		
Slides		
Sound Board		
Deacons of the Week	Dan Rhoades, Larry Bryson, Dennis Sykes	Kendrick Ross, Bob Fair
Stuart House	Travis Barr	Steve Gordon
Monday Tellers	John and Judy Malloy	Jim and Jan Hollis

## OUR STAFF

### Ministerial Staff

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### Administrative & Support Staff

Jacki Stelzer, Secretary  
John Luttrell, Custodian

## OUR DEACONS

### Officers

Duane Farmer, Chairman  
Mike Hann, Vice-Chairman  
Harold Deckerd, Secretary

Travis Barr  
Larry Bryson  
Lonnie Cox  
Gary Dorr  
Bob Fair  
Mike Hall


Nathan Martin  
Tom Nelson  
Jerry Patton  
Dan Rhoades  
Kendrick Ross  
Dennis Sykes

# PRAYER LIST

To add a prayer request, fill out the attached Connect Card and place it in the offering plate, or email [office@centraliafbc.org](mailto:office@centraliafbc.org)

NAME	NEED	NAME	NEED
Bob Fair	Ongoing respiratory issues	Bud & Mary Wyatt	General health
Connie Cox	Malignant brain mass	Kevin Armontrout	Cancer treatments
JD & Mary Brown	Covid Recovery	Hudson Adkins	Radiation treatments
Darryl Veazey	Cancer	Open Door Baptist Church	Pastor Search
Tonya Hardy	Lungs	Anthem Church	Pastor Search
Mary Bagley	Health issues	Reform Baptist Church	Pastor Search
Larry & Gina Cox	Covid	Peggy Sanchezgrew	Husband's death, support
Rita Burton	Covid-19 recovery	Shirley Friedli	Fluid in lungs, low bp, UTI; in hospital
Kenny Ball	Health issues	Donna Smith	COPD
Karen Wehrman	Dialysis, heart, stroke	Helen Parnell	Rare liver cancer-Chemo
Cale Harper	Four-wheeler accident	Jeff Roberts	Exercise accident
J B Long	Kidney surgery	Dot McNaghten	Heart surgery recovery
Michael, Mary Brown's nephew	Serious motorcycle accident/Several surgeries	Steve Ward	Knee Surgery
Kenton Evans	Stents Oct 4	David Pinkerton	Covid Recovery at Home
Ruby Meek's neighbor	Fell	Karma Greenwood	Covid
Danelle Mathews	Blood Pressure	Karen Veazey's Mother	Knee Replacement
Rhonda McMillen		Ardell Martin	Broken hip

# PRAY FOR NAMB MISSIONARIES



**ANDERS AND JESSICA SNYDER**

Church Replanter | Calvary Church Nampa  
Nampa, ID

*Pray*

for grace and boldness to make Jesus non-ignorable in Nampa and to the ends of the earth. Pray for a culture of missionary disciple-makers to take root and multiply.

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
3	4	5	6	7	8	9

**OCTOBER**

JOIN US FOR A NIGHT OF

# PUMPKIN CARVING

and Supper

Saturday, October 23  
5:00 pm-7:00 pm  
FBC Fellowship Hall



\*\*A parent must be present to carve a pumpkin\*\*  
\*\*Please sign up on the sheet so we know how many pumpkins we need\*\*

See Nicole Rhoades or call the church office to sign up.

Join us for Coffee House, our multi-generational small group bible study taking place each Sunday evening from 5:00-6:15. We will begin this fall with the book of Colossians and you will have the opportunity to engage in discussion across multiple generations as we have youth all the way to senior adults engaged.

We meet in the basement for bible study, refreshments and of course coffee will be available.



**COFFEE HOUSE**

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**MULTI-GENERATION SMALL GROUP**

**SUNDAYS @ 5:00**

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## Comparison Girl

Lessons from Jesus on Me-Free Living  
in a Measure-Up World

Sundays at  
5:15pm

On social media, in the neighborhood, at church, or the school drop-off lane, do you drive yourself to prove that you measure up? Do you feel ashamed when you don't? Measuring yourself against others isn't healthy. And it isn't God's plan. In fact, the way of Jesus is completely upside down from this measure-up world. He invites us to follow him and be restored to freedom, confidence, and joy.

In this six-week study, we'll explore the conversations Jesus had and the stories he shared with people who—like us—were comparing themselves.

Let's leave measure-up comparison behind and connect with those around us by choosing Jesus's me-free way of living: lifting others up and pouring ourselves out!