



ORDER OF SERVICE

March 20, 2022

Worshipping Together Through Song *How Great Thou Art*

Welcome & Call to Worship **Baptist Catechism** - Chris Baker
See Q & A on back of bulletin

Worshipping Together Through Song *I Love to Tell the Story
There is a Fountain*

Deacon's Prayer and Encouragement Randy Power

Worshipping Together Through Song *Facing a Task Unfinished*

Pastoral Prayer Jerry Patton

Receiving God's Word Together Chris Baker

Responding to God's Word Together *Great is Thy Faithfulness*

Announcements & Benediction Chuck Burton

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	Mike Hall Stuart Cox, Steve Gordon Kenny Griggs	Brandon Hough Mike Kropf Martin Mahieu Nathan Martin
Nursery	Stuart & Jamileh Cox, Shauna Starks, Morgan Ross	Joey, Kelly, Tyler Hawkins, Carol Rodgers
Children's Church	Carrie Coggins, Tanya Hann, Gary Dorr	No Children's Church
Tech Team	Philip Starks, James Snook	
Deacon Prayer	Randy Power	Stuart Cox
Stuart House	Terry Carlyle	Dan Rhoades
Monday Tellers	Dorothy Smith LeeAnn Mahieu	Dorothy Smith LeeAnn Mahieu

OUR TEAM

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Jacki Stelzer, Secretary
John Luttrell, Custodian

Deacons

Lonnie Cox	Michael Hann
Stuart Cox	Randy Power
Bob Fair	Dennis Sykes
Duane Farmer	Dan Rhoades, Chairman
Seth Foster	Harold Deckerd, V Chairman
Steve Gordon	Gary Dorr, Secretary
Mike Hall	

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FBC THIS WEEK

Sunday, Mar 20

9:00am Sunday School
10:15 Worship Gathering
6:00pm Members Meeting
7:30pm Building Study Meeting

Monday, Mar 21

5:00pm A & P Class gathering

Wednesday, Mar 23

5:30pm Dinner
6:15pm FBC Kids
Wed Night Live
Prayer Meeting

Thursday, Mar 24

6:00pm Pickleball

Friday, Mar 25

12:00pm JOY Group

Saturday, Mar 26

7:00am Men's Bible Study
11:30am Fellowship Hall usage

Upcoming FBC Events

Sat, April 2 at 1:00: Caring & Sharing
Tue, April 12 at 6:30pm: Deacons Mtg
Easter: See "News" for schedule

NEWS

Lost and Found: There are many winter coats, hats, and scarves to be picked up. You can find them in the office foyer. Any unclaimed items will be taken to a shelter in one week.

Ladies Caring and Sharing: Sat. April 2 from 1:00 to 4:00 in the Fellowship Hall. Join us as we make greeting cards. Just bring glue sticks and scissors and a washcloth (or rag). We will be using card stock, punches, stamp pads and ink, embellishments, and other items to decorate with. Any questions, see Jeri Ward.

"Train up a child in the way he should go; even when he is old, he will not depart from it." Proverbs 22:6 Would you like to help train the children of FBC? About five more **Children's Church** servants are needed for the Sunday morning rotation. Please contact Sadie Foster for more information.

FBC Library: Our library has an inspiring new biography. Missionary doctor Jerry Galloway lived and served among the pygmies in the Congo. Courage in the Congo tells his story through letters he wrote home. His book was gifted to us by his niece Cindy Haverstick. Check it out. We're also looking for the return of a couple of CS Lewis' Narnia books to complete our set of the series.

What's new with **Operation Christmas Child:** This year we hope to reach more children with shoeboxes by trying something different. We have put together a gift registry of much needed items on Amazon. For information on how to use the registry please contact Terry or Ann Carlyle. Don't forget that March is "Clothing Month". We are collecting t-shirts, socks and underwear for boys and girls ages 2-14 years.

2022-2023 Scholarship Applications are ready. You can find printed ones on the window ledge in the office hallway and electronic ones on the church website www.centraliafbc.org under the "Resources" tab. Deadline is April 1.

Wednesday Dinner: 5:30pm; March 23: BLT Sandwich, Chips, Baked Beans, Salad, Dessert

The Building Study Committee invites the FBC Family to join them for a planning session and survey TONIGHT immediately following the Member's Meeting. We'll discuss various areas of our facility and are excited to hear your thoughts about how we can steward our property in the days ahead.

The deacons will bring the following recommendations at our TONIGHT Members Meeting:

Motion #1: The deacons recommend FBC of Centralia authorizes the Property Committee to expend up to \$7,000 for black mold abatement.

Motion #2: The deacons recommend FBC of Centralia authorizes the Property Committee to expend up to \$75,000 for tuck pointing. Funds will be taken from the Mansfield CD.

Easter Schedule:

April 15 at 6pm: Good Friday Service

April 17: EASTER

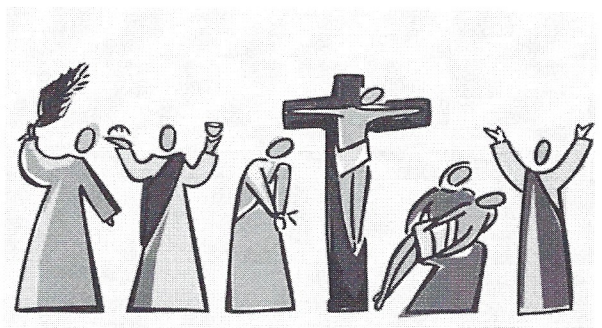
7:00am Sunrise Service at City Park Middle Shelter

8:00am Breakfast at FBC Fellowship Hall

9:00am Sunday School

10:15am Worship

NO EVENING ACTIVITIES

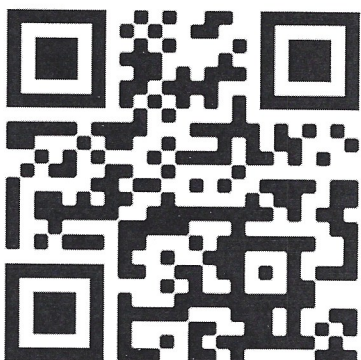


MOBILE GIVING

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	115
Morning Worship	140
Giving	
Weekly Need	\$8,095.42
Total Received	\$3,923.96



SERMON NOTES

| Chris Baker

Baptist Catechism:

Question #11: What are the decrees of God?

Answer: The decrees of God are his eternal purpose, according to the counsel of his will, whereby for his own glory, he has foreordained whatsoever comes to pass.

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
Bob Fair	Ongoing respiratory issues
Darryl Veazey	Cancer
Tonya Hardy	Lungs, Histoplasmoses
Mary Bagley	Health issues, son passed away
Rita Burton	Medical Testing and Healing
Karen Wehrman	Dialysis, heart, stroke
Cale Harper	Seizures
J B Long	Kidney surgery recovery
Michael	Serious Motorcycle accident
Jeanie Whitlatch	Allergy Reaction
Ukraine	
Russia	

Name	Need
Nada Gibson	Heart Procedure Recovery
Donna Smith	COPD
Jeff Roberts	Exercise Accident Therapy
Dot McNaghten	Heart surgery recovery
Rhonda McMillen	Cancer, Alzheimer's
Dolores Lawson	Leg Pain - Nursing Home
Montana Missions	New Direction
Don McMurry	Heart rhythm problem
Michael Magnusson	
Barb Moore	Neck pain
Carol Buck	Neck pain
Roger Wilson	Heart
Harold & Sue Ward	(S) Oxygen & (H) Wound Clinic
Ronald & Sharon Cain	Bad wreck/(S) in hospital

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.