

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP

January 21, 2024, 9:15 AM Central Christian Church

About our service:

We want worship to be comfortable for you. Feel free to bring your **coffee** with you into the worship area.

You are welcome to leave an **offering** with us if you are motivated. Simply deposit your offering in the box on the south wall of the worship area or follow prompts to text-to-give or to give online.

MEDITATION TABLE:

STONES & VASE

Use the stones as a physical representation of your burden. Put the stones in the vase and leave the burden with God.

CANDLE

Light a candle for any praise or prayer concerns you have.

COMFORT CROSS

Feel free to pick up a cross and take it with you as a reminder that Jesus loves you unconditionally. His comfort, care, and transformative power is at work for you, in you, and through you today and always. Receive it. Praise God and share His never-ending love with others.

SCRIPTURE CARDS

Feel free to read and take one of the Scripture cards with you. You are encouraged to place it where you will see it throughout your week as a reminder of God's message for you.

PRAYER WALL

Stop by our prayer wall and leave a prayer for others to offer with you or to pray for those already posted.

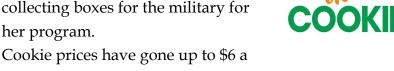


Wifi= CCCGuest No password needed.

Girl Scout Cookies are Coming!

Three girl scouts - Clara and Nora Damery and Clara Monroe will be selling the cookies on Sunday, on February 4, between all services. Carol Biscoff will also be there collecting boxes for the military for her program.

box this year.





Donations Needed

We want to send our Central kids who are away at school a surprise in the form of a care package. We are asking for donations of various items that you can sign up for, then we will add a personal note and send them off!

There will be a poster where you can sign up for items in the Friendship Center starting Jan 21st or you can call the church office for the list. Please have all donations to the church by Feb 4th. For any questions contact Gretchen Kirby. Thank you in advance, Central family!

From the Stewardship Committee

THANK YOU to everyone who has picked up their 2024 offering envelopes! If you have not picked up your envelopes and you still want them, please call or email the church office. We will either mail or hand deliver them to you. And thank you for your generosity. Each gift from you is important as we live out our mission to share Christ, change lives, and deliver hope.

Are you interested in joining Central?

The only thing required to be a member of Central Christian is having faith in Jesus Christ. If you are moved during the service to <u>confess</u> your faith, or <u>transfer your membership</u> to Central, simply come up to the minister at the communion table **during the communion time**. If you wish to talk with a minister more about membership, simply let Pastor Michael or Pastor Vicky know after worship.

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Snack Person	Greeter	Liturgist _	Announcement Reader
Yes, I would like to voluntee	er in the checked area	a(s) above.	
Name:		Phone number:	
Email:			
• Snack Person- sets up &		the service.	
• Greeter- stands at the to	p of the stairs and gr	eets people coming into th	ie service.
• Liturgist- reads the Call	l to Worship and wri	tes & reads the opening pr	ayer.
 Announcement Reader- reads any important announcements that the pastors would like to have read. 			
	-Please tear this po	ortion off and put in the p	rovided basket — — — — — — — — — —

Genesis 37:5-11 NRSVUE

⁵Once Joseph had a dream, and when he told it to his brothers, they hated him even more. ⁶He said to them, "Listen to this dream that I dreamed. ⁷There we were, binding sheaves in the field. Suddenly my sheaf rose and stood upright; then your sheaves gathered around it and bowed down to my sheaf." ⁸His brothers said to him, "Are you indeed to reign over us? Are you indeed to have dominion over us?" So they hated him even more because of his dreams and his words. ⁹He had another dream and told it to his brothers, saying, "Look, I have had another dream: the sun, the moon, and eleven stars were bowing down to me." ¹⁰But when he told it to his father and to his brothers, his father rebuked him and said to him, "What kind of dream is this that you have had? Shall we indeed come, I and your mother and your brothers, and bow to the ground before you?" ¹¹So his brothers were jealous of him, but his father kept the matter in mind.

Responsive Reading

Leader: God spoke to Joseph in a dream and revealed God's purpose for him.

People: God has a plan and purpose for each one of us.

Leader: Joseph faced challenges on his life journey and had many reasons to doubt God.

People: May we not give up hope or faith when our purpose is slow in coming.

Leader: Joseph used the gifts God gave him to find his way forward.

People: God has already given us everything we need to fulfill our purpose.

Leader: The Lord was with Joseph on every step of his journey, **People: And the Lord will be with us on every step of our own.**

Serving Next Sunday, 1/21

Elder – Charlotte Ballance
Deacon – Angie & Ron Ingram
Greeter – Angie Horvath
Liturgist – Greg Barnes
Snacks – Laura Kappler

Serving Next Sunday, 1/28

Elder – Karen Wade Deacon – Louis & Laura Kappler Greeter – Andy & Theresa Fulk Liturgist – Angie Horvath Snacks – Randy & Deb Trei