



# CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP

November 24, 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.



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(No password)

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## Reaching Out during Advent

There are 3 ways you can make donations to help enhance the Christmas experience of others this year. After reviewing the options below, feel free to participate in any, or all, of the collection drives we are promoting. Please note, also, that the deadlines to donate vary from December 9 to December 19.

### **Christmas Care and Share**

What: Hats, mittens, gloves and scarves, toys, books, board games, garbage bags, zip-loc bags and/or toiletries

For: DOVE/Northeast Community Fund/Salvation Army

Where & When: Collection in Connection Café by December 9

### **Moms & Babies R Us**

What: baby bath towels, baby bath washcloths, baby wash, baby lotion, diapers (size newborn, 1, 2, 3, 4), wipes, diaper cream

For: Decatur Correctional Center "Moms & Babies Program"

Where & When: Collection in Friendship Center and Great Hall by December 19

### **Can Openers for Northeast Community Fund**

What: Can-openers (manual and/or electric)

For: Northeast Community Fund

Where & When: Collection at the Welcome Center by December 12

## You are Invited

Our Advent Family Fun event will be Sunday, December 8, from 4-6pm. Come and enjoy creating crafts, making small gifts for our outreach members, sharing a meal, and hearing a familiar story. Families of all ages welcome! RSVP Please - by December 3 and let us know that you will join us! Email [central@cccdisciples.org](mailto:central@cccdisciples.org) or call the church office (217-428-4336).



To volunteer for Care and Share, snap this QR code:

## 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 confess your faith, or transfer your membership 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.

**Colossians 3:12-15 NRSVUE**

<sup>12</sup> Therefore, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience. <sup>13</sup> Bear with one another and, if anyone has a complaint against another, forgive each other; just as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive. <sup>14</sup> Above all, clothe yourselves with love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony. <sup>15</sup> And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in one body. And be thankful.

**\*Responsive Reading**

Leader: Let us give thanks to God in all circumstances.

**People: We will encourage the fainthearted, help the weak and be patient in all things.**

Leader: Let us give thanks to God in all circumstances.

**People: We will rejoice always and pray without ceasing**

Leader: Let us give thanks to God in all circumstances.

**People: We will clothe ourselves with humility, kindness and compassion...**

Leader: Let us give thanks to God in all circumstances.

**People: May the peace of Christ rule in our hearts.**

Notes:

**Serving Today, 11/24**

Elder – Linda Rowden

Deacon – Marci & Steve Baumann

Greeter – Marci & Steve Baumann

Liturgist – Marci Baumann

Snacks – Marci & Steve Baumann

**Serving Next Sunday, 12/1**

Elder – Dick Cain

Deacon – Angie & Ron Ingram

Greeter – Angie & Ron Ingram

Liturgist – Travis Wilcoxon

Snacks – Angie & Ron Ingram