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# CONNECT

CHRIST CENTRIC LIVING

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**SERVE**

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**SPEAK**

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**STUDY**

**SHARE**

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**NEW HERE?**

How can we help you connect with others, know more about God, and continue moving toward a Christ Centric Life?

- I will attend the next "Coffee With the Pastor"
- I would like to explore baptism
- I am ready to go deeper and make vows of discipleship

**THE MISSION**  
 Making new disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

**SERVE**

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- I will participate in weekly worship
- I will take a Spiritual Gifts Assessment to discover my gifts
- I am ready to serve others within the church
- I am ready to serve others in our local community
- I am ready to serve others beyond our community through missions
- I would be willing to lead others

**STUDY**

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- I will pray and read the Bible daily using the worship guide or another devotional resource
- I will participate in the Joplin First prayer chain
- I will participate in a short-term prayer or study group
- I will participate in a weekly prayer or study group
- I would be willing to lead prayer in a group

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- Each Sunday I will identify how I have seen God in the past week
- I will write my faith story
- I will share my faith story with a Connect coach
- I will invite someone who does not have a church home to attend worship or to serve with me
- I will seek daily to build relationships with those outside the church and share my story

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- I will begin giving regularly
- I will evaluate the percent of my income I am giving and set an amount to grow
- I will step up to a tithe giving 10%
- I will participate in extra-mile giving beyond a tithe