Central Baptist Church

9:30 A.M. Worship Service • Sunday, November 23, 2025

Call to Worship "How Good It Is"

Welcome

Congregational Singing "Resurrecting"

"Christ Is Enough"

"Only a Holy God"

Time of Prayer

Message Pastor Sonny Hathaway

Response "Living Hope"

Announcements and Prayer

Closing Song "How Good It Is"

Membership at Central

Central Baptist is an intergenerational body of baptized believers with a blended style of praise who value expositional preaching, meaningful membership, consistent discipleship activities for all ages, and a gospel emphasis both locally and globally. To learn more about membership at Central, please contact a staff pastor or fill out the guest card in the pew back.

Announcements & Opportunities for Members to Serve

Welcome to Central: We are honored to be able to worship with you this morning and would encourage you to complete the Connection/Prayer Card in the pew back in front of you so that we can thank God specifically for you today.

Week of Prayer for International Missions and Lottie Moon Offering: November 30 – December 7 • Central's Goal: \$25,000 • In 1873, Lottie Moon was appointed as a missionary to China. She spent nearly 40 years sharing the gospel with love, courage, and unwavering faith. Her letters home inspired churches to pray and give, leading to the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering for International Missions. Today, this offering supports missionaries and helps take the life-transforming message of Jesus to the nations. Let's pray and give so others can hear the hope of the gospel.

Missions Night: Sunday, December 7 at 5:00 pm in the Family Center • We'll have a lot of fun together as a church family beginning with dinner, plus testimonies, prayer, info on 2026 mission trips, and more! Join us!

Our Christmas Choir: If you'd like to join us, please contact Joel Casiday. We are preparing for our Christmas Night of Worship and Street Party on December 17. Rehearsals are on Wednesdays (not 11/26) at 6:15 pm in the choir room. There will also be a rehearsal on Saturday, December 6, 9 am – Noon. Our Children's and Preschool Choirs will be taking part in this Night of Worship.

Central's Children's Choir Singing: The children will be singing at the Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremony at City Hall on November 25, 6:00 pm. It is a fun event for the whole family. Come support our kids.

Central Classics 50+: Sunday, December 14, trip to concert at Kingwood FBC. We'll stop for dinner before the concert. Signup begins next Sunday.

Poinsettias: November 30 is the deadline to order one or more poinsettias in memory or honor of a loved one. They will be displayed in the Worship Center on Poinsettia Sunday, December 14. Cost: \$11 each ● Payment is due with order, cash or check. Volunteers are available in the foyer to assist you.

Thanksgiving Week: No activities Wednesday PM, November 26; Thursday AM, November 27.

The Church Calendar Is filling up fast: Classes or ministry groups planning a fellowship, party, meeting, or event on campus in December should submit their request to the church office ASAP.

THIS WEEK AT CENTRAL

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 23

8:00 A.M. – Worship Team Rehearsal – WC

8:15 A.M. – Bible Study

9:30 A.M. - Worship Service – WC and Livestream

11:00 A.M. – Bible Study for All Ages

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 25

6:00 P.M. – Christmas Lighting at City Hall -Our Central Kids' Choir Will Sing

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 26

Church Office Holiday No Evening Activities

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 27

Church Office Holiday Happy Thanksgiving!

Deacons of the Week November 24 - 30: Ben Royden Ogletree and Larry Greene • In case of a ministry need, contact the church office, Monday - Thursday, 8 am – 4 pm.

The foyer pedestal **flowers** have been placed today by Kenny Pitts in loving memory of his wonderful parents, Frank and Lois Pitts.

Church Office Thanksgiving Holidays: November 26 & 27.

Building Abbreviation Key

Brick House – BH • CC - Children's Center
CO – Church Office • FC - Family Center
CP – Connection Point
HR – Hospitality Room
WC - Worship Center

Creekside "Christmas for Classmates" Ministry

Central is again partnering with Creekside Elementary School to provide Christmas for some of their students. Cards with specific wishes from a student are on a table in the foyer today. If any cards remain, they will be available next Sunday. Please make sure you show the card you choose to the volunteer so they can record the info.

How to Participate:

- **1.** Choose a card from table in the foyer and purchase gift.
- **2.** Attach card to UNWRAPPED gift.
- **3.** Return UNWRAPPED gift with card attached to church by December 7.
- **4.** If you would like to donate wrapping paper it would be appreciated.



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