#### WELCOME TO CENTRAL CHURCH OF CHRIST

We exist here as a simple New Testament church, pointing people to the Christ and God of the Bible. The doors are open to those who from the quiet depths of their hearts, would reach out to God in simple worship and obedient living.

It is not our aim to amuse or entertain those who attend. It is not our purpose to feed vanity or pride. It is our intent to worship the sovereign God in spirit and truth. If you enjoy meditating on God's Word and sincerely want to know more about it, appreciate honoring Him through spiritual worship, and want warm, genuine love and fellowship, you will be pleased with the services of the Central Church of Christ.

# Men to Serve: Sunday, June 6, 2021 Morning Worship

Welcome/Announcements: Larry Merrifield Scripture: 1 Peter 1:17-25

Song Leader: TBA

Opening Prayer: Bob Hadley

Communion:

Pat Tolbert, Britt Price, Alan Hill

Sermon: THINGS WHICH LAST

Closing Prayer: Carroll Dyson

# Afternoon Worship (12:30 pm)

Welcome/Announcements: Larry Merrifield Scripture: 1 Thessalonians 5:21

Song Leader: TBA

Opening Prayer: Britt Price

Sermon: PROVE ALL THINGS (Part 3)

Communion: Britt Price
Closing Prayer: Pat Tolbert

Wednesday (6:00pm)

Song Leader: Britt Price
Opening Prayer: Kerry Clark

Closing Prayer: Larry Merrifield



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...Encourage one another daily... Hebrews 3:13

# Sunday, June 6, 2021

## Minister

Kerry Clark (903) 804-0559

Sundays: Bible Class 9:00 am

Worship 10:00 am

Worship **6:00 pm** (On the last Sunday of each month, we have potluck followed by a 12:30

afternoon worship and no evening services)

Wednesdays:

Bible Class 6:00 pm

**Special Studies:** 

**Tuesdays:** 

Men's Bible Study 4:00 pm

Thursdays:

Ladies Bible Study 10:00 am

### THINGS WHICH LAST

#### INTRODUCTION:

- 1. It is not uncommon for us to try to buy items that will last.
- 2. Nobody wants to buy a car that will only drive 25,000 miles!
- 3. We do not want to buy a house that falls down in a year.
- 4. The Bible teaches that there are some things which will last.

#### **DISCUSSION:**

- 1. THE WORD OF GOD WILL LAST (1 Peter 1:17-25).
  - 1. Isaiah 40:8.
  - 2. Psalm 119:160.
- 2. OUR TREASURE LAID UP IN HEAVEN WILL LAST (Matthew 6:19-21).
  - 1. Some many times we toil our entire life for things which perish with the using.
  - 2. Luke 12:32-33.
- 3. THE BLOOD OF CHRIST (Matthew 26:28).
  - 1. The sacrifice of Jesus will last throughout eternity.
  - 2. Hebrews 13:20.
- 4. THE REIGN OF CHRIST (1 Thessalonians 4:17).
  - 1. Hebrews 1:8.
  - 2. Jesus is anointed above all men (Psalm 45:7).
  - 3. 2 Samuel 7:13-14.
- 5. OUR SOUL (Mark 8:34-37).
  - 1. We need to understand the words heart, soul, spirit, inner man, and inward parts can and are used interchangeably in the Bible.
  - 2. Matthew 22:23-33.
  - Matthew 25:46.

Attendance: 5-30-2021

AM – 51 PM – 36 Wednesday – 25

Contribution: \$2,060 Weekly Budget: \$2,417

## **PRAYER REQUESTS AND UPDATES:**

**Rickey Crowell** has been diagnosed with ALS. Treatment will start soon. Please keep Rickey and Sharon in your prayers.

**Welcome** to **Dick & Julie Miller**! Dick was baptized Tuesday and they have placed membership with us! So happy to have you!

**Sylvia Lewis** and **Gale Price** were baptized following the Ladies' Bible class on Thursday. They have been studying the concept of being lost and both felt they need to be baptized correctly. It's been a wonderful week here at Central! Rejoice with us!

#### CONTINUE PRAYING FOR THE FOLLOWING:

Dub & Elouise Moore; Candy & Carroll Dyson; Anna Thiede; Mac & Zelma Montgomery; Cheryl Jennings; Don Gilmore; Brenda Tolbert; Nancy Townsend; Dan Manuel; David Tyree; Rick Williams; Lisa & Lloyd Flud; Jordan Herring; Mary Lou Betts; Diane Harris; June Cobb; Janet Brinkmann; Bob Nowlin; Billy Pippen; Luke Ayars; Sarah Watters; Mary Allen; Bob Tankersley; Lawrence and Sharon McMillan; Kathryn Bullock; Raymond Jones; Lisa Coffin; Bob and Barbara Blythe

**Service Members**: Reece Hudson; Kris Fleming; Casey Clark; Trevor Garcia; Ryan Dallas; Alexandria Dallas; Colby Kelley.

## **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

6/13 - Men's Business Meeting

6/20 - Review of Men's Business Meeting

6/27 - Potluck Lunch

Services are now available online: Please take advantage of our online services if you are unable to attend!

https://www.youtube.com (search for Central church of Christ Athens, TX).

Visitors Welcomed, Members Expected, Everyone Loved!

