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Mark 4:35-41

³⁵ On that day, when evening had come, he said to them, “Let us go across to the other side.” ³⁶ And leaving the crowd behind, they took him with them in the boat, just as he was. Other boats were with him. ³⁷ A great windstorm arose, and the waves beat into the boat, so the boat was already being swamped. ³⁸ But he was in the stern, asleep on the cushion; and they woke him up and said to him, “Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?” ³⁹ He woke up and rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, “Peace! Be still!” Then the wind ceased, and there was a dead calm. ⁴⁰ He said to them, “Why are you afraid? Have you still no faith?” ⁴¹ And they were filled with great awe and said to one another, “Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?”

This is one of the most popular stories in the Gospels. For many of us just to imagine Jesus rebuking the wind and the sea is a glorious thing. Certainly, for the disciples it had to be overwhelming. But to take just this part of the story would be an injustice. Note in verse 36 we are told “Other boats were with him.” To focus on one boat, that which held the disciples and Jesus would be to miss the point of this miracle. For it was not just the disciples he saved, but everyone. Let me say that again, “EVERYONE.”

I believe it is important, as I believe Mark did, we see the big picture. Jesus was not the Lord of his disciples, but the Lord of everyone. Everyone who faces storms in their lives, everyone who faces sadness and disappointment, everyone who is scared and frightened of the world around them. Jesus says to ALL of us, “Have faith.”

There is absolutely no doubt we live in troubled times. So much in our world is uncertain and, quite frankly, there are things we could, and perhaps should, fear. At least it would seem common sense would dictate we should fear. Yet, our Lord and Savior, when we allow him into our hearts and minds, says, “Peace! Be still!” Then says, “Why are you afraid?”

Everyone in boats that evening saw the miracle of the Lord, not just a few. Perhaps if we open our eyes and ears to what the Lord says to us we will experience miracles as well. In fact, I’m certain of it.

Grace, Peace & Mercy to all, Wes





*THE
SEEKERS
SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS*

meets every Sunday morning at
9:40 a.m. to discuss the Bible.

We have spirited discussions along
with great class participation on
lessons from *The Present Word*
study book

You are invited to join with us each
Sunday.

We are located in the Education
Building next to HeBrews.



The **TNT** Sunday School Class
Is beginning its study of
THE GOSPEL OF MARK.

We study various books of the Bible and
recently completed the Books of 1 & 2
Samuel.

If you enjoy a wide range study of scripture,
we would love to have you join us.
We meet every Sunday in the Community
Room.



The Journey Sunday School Class

will **NOT** meet

on

Sunday, June 24th,

Please read **chapters 8 & 9** of 1 Corinthians
and be prepared to discuss them on
Sunday, July 1st.

The Journey class meets **in the Library** in the
Community Center.

The **First Epistle to the Corinthians**, usually referred to simply as
First Corinthians and often written **1 Corinthians**, is one of the
Pauline epistles of the New Testament of the Bible. The epistle says
Paul the Apostle and "Sosthenes our brother" wrote it to "the
church of God which is at Corinth," although the scholarly
consensus holds Sosthenes was the assistant who wrote down the
text of the letter at Paul's direction.

Called "a masterpiece of pastoral theology", it addresses various
issues that had arisen in the Christian community at Corinth.



*THE FELLOWSHIP
SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS*

Meets every Sunday morning at 9:40 a.m.
to study the Bible chapter by chapter.

Presently, we are studying the **Book of Genesis**.
You are invited to join us as we proceed thru the
Bible. We meet in the "Parlor" adjacent to
HeBrews, in the Education Building.

We have stimulating discussions that really help
us understand the Bible on a deeper level.

Remember, we meet in the "Parlor" adjacent to
HeBrews at 9:40 a.m.



Our pastor will be on sabbatical from Tuesday, June 19th through Saturday, June 30th. Our commissioned minister, John Beeson, will be available should need arise.

Please keep our pastor in your prayers as he takes this well deserved time.



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"BY THE GRACE OF GOD A SHELTER FOR HIS PEOPLE."

**IT HAS BEEN A PRIVILEGE FOR
CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH
TO SERVE THE PEOPLE AT
RANDY SAM'S.
HERE IS OUR SCHEDULE FOR
2018**

June 24 th	Fellowship
July 22 nd	Deacons
August 26 th	T-N-T
September 23 rd	Youth
October 28 th	CWF
November 25 th	Journey
December 23 rd	CMF

LET US CONTINUE THIS MINISTRY IN THE SPIRIT OF CHRIST



OUR ANNUAL 4TH OF JULY
CELEBRATION WILL BE ON

WEDNESDAY, JULY 4TH,

AT 5:30 PM, in HeBrews

THERE WILL BE FOOD AND FUN
FOR EVERYONE!!!

SUNDAY, JULY 8TH

REV. DR.

ANDY MANGUM,



OUR REGIONAL MINISTER,

WILL BE VISITING US.

HE WILL TEACH

A JOINT SESSION

OF SUNDAY SCHOOL,

THEN PREACH

IN OUR 10:40 SERVICE.



THERE WILL BE A
GENERAL BOARD
MEETING

MONDAY
JULY 23RD.

AT 6 P.M.

IN THE
COMMUNITY ROOM.

NEWSLETTER AND 411 REMINDER

Just a reminder that any articles you would like to submit for publication in the Newsletter or 411 must be submitted to the office **no later than noon** on Tuesdays.

After that time, we cannot guarantee your article will be published.

Day & Time may vary during holidays

CHURCH BULLETIN

Any information you will like in the Church Bulletin must be submitted to the office no later than 10am on Fridays.

Day & Time may vary during holidays



DO YOU PREFER RECEIVING TEXT MESSAGE OR PHONE CALL REMINDERS FOR MEETINGS?

Central Christian will be sending out text messages and phone calls to remind members of upcoming meetings and inform every one of prayer needs.

If you would like to receive text messages, please text cctxk to 292929, as shown above, to have your number put on our list.

If you do not receive text messages but would like to be added to our call list, please email or call the church office at (903) 792-1915 and let Tonya know.

Upcoming Events & Services

June 20	5:30pm	Choir
June 24	4pm	Randy Sam's prep
June 24	6pm	Randy Sam's serving
June 27	5:30pm	Choir
July 1	10:40am	Independence Sunday
July 4	all day	office closed
July 4	5:30pm	4th of July celebration
July 8	9:40am	Rev. Dr. Andy Mangum
July 9	5:30pm	Events Committee
July 10	10:30am	CWF Day Group
July 11	5:30pm	Choir
July 12	6:30pm	CWF Night Group
July 18	5:30pm	Choir



THE NEW CCC WEB SITE

Our web site has been renovated!

Be sure to visit www.ccctxk.com

to see what's new!

Our site is easy to navigate and
there is lots of information.



LOOKING FOR OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE THE LORD?

Matthew 25:40

And the King will answer them, 'Truly, I say to you, as you did it to one of the least of these my brethren, you did it to me.'

COME JOIN US

THE 4TH SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH

AS WE "SERVE" THE HOMELESS

AT THE RANDY SAM'S SHELTER.

WE MEET IN DISCIPLE HALL AT 4 PM

TO PREPARE THE MEAL, THEN SERVE AT RANDY SAM'S AT
6 PM.

AGAIN, COME JOIN US IN SERVING THE LORD AND OUR
COMMUNITY.



UNABLE TO ATTEND SUNDAY SERVICE?

If you are unable to attend Sunday service and desire to have communion brought to you, please call the church office at (903) 792-1915 with your request.

This communion is normally served on the 2nd and 4th Sundays but **CAN be served most anytime**, if prior arrangements are made.

PRAYER LIST

IMPORTANT NOTE ABOUT PRAYER LIST

In recent discussions with the Southwest Region, it has come to our attention that “The Prayer List” may be cause for litigation if we place people on it that have not given their personal consent to be placed on it.

It is a violation of HIPAA Law to release information about anyone without their personal consent. Therefore, we ask that you not call requesting that a “friend” be placed on the list unless you have their consent.

THANK YOU.

Weekly Info

Prayer Need

Our Church
 Wes Byas
 Betsy Spencer
 Michelle Douglas, friend of Julia Carpenter
 Jo Maxey, friend of Julia Carpenter
 Vida Brine, Beth Brine's mom
 Herb Hamilton
 Wilma Milidge, Elaine Hamilton's cousin
 Mike Oates
 Julie Bray, friend of Elaine Hamilton
 Matt Lowe, Robert and Alice Kern's son-in-law
 John & Roberta Fooks, friends of Midge Cooney
 Jeff Misenheimer, friend of Lee Nailling
 Shirley Werst, Tamara Campbell's mom

Ongoing Concerns

Jack Donaldson, friend of Beth Brine
 Teresa Johnson
 Bobby Tallent
 Paul Wayson, Evelyn Tallent's brother
 Debbie Duren, Beth Brine's cousin
 Roger Spencer
 Frank Vidrik, Alice Kern's nephew
 Vickie Oliver

Homebound

Bob Benbow, The Retreat, room 203
 Jeffrey Turner, Abundant Life
 Susan DeFoy, MRC Cornerstone, Rm. 505 A



Blane Kern

Joan and Jack Carter

Central Christian Church Decals

\$5.00

Church office or Hebrews



Serving this Sunday

June 24, 2018

Greeters: Tom & Teresa Crow

Worship Leader: Jim Spears

Hospital Elder: Alice Kern

Flower Elder: Robert Kern

Homebound Elder: Julia Carpenter

Homebound Deacon: Jack Fisher

Deacons: Randy King, Diane Pope-King,
 Margie Beeson, Pat Taylor

June 17, 2018

Attendance: 72

Offering: \$ 5,153.50

Weekly Needs: \$ 4,276.04

Difference: \$ 877.46

YTD Collected: \$ 94,861.23

YTD Needed: \$ 98,348.92

Difference: \$ -3,487.69

LECTIONARY FOR JUNE 24, 2018

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

1 Samuel 17: (1a, 4-11, 19-23), 32-49

Psalm 9:9-20

2 Corinthians 6:1-13

Mark 4:35-41

Sermon This Sunday:

"Heaven"

Scripture:

Revelation 21:11-25