

Judges 4:1-7

The Israelites again did what was evil in the sight of the LORD, after Ehud died. ² So the LORD sold them into the hand of King Jabin of Canaan, who reigned in Hazor; the commander of his army was Sisera, who lived in Harosheth-ha-goiim. ³ Then the Israelites cried out to the LORD for help; for he had nine hundred chariots of iron and had oppressed the Israelites cruelly twenty years.

⁴ At that time Deborah, a prophetess, wife of Lappidoth, was judging Israel. ⁵ She used to sit under the palm of Deborah between Ramah and Bethel in the hill country of Ephraim; and the Israelites came up to her for judgment. ⁶ She sent and summoned Barak son of Abinoam from Kedesh in Naphtali, and said to him, “The LORD, the God of Israel, commands you, ‘Go, take position at Mount Tabor, bringing ten thousand from the tribe of Naphtali and the tribe of Zebulun. ⁷ I will draw out Sisera, the general of Jabin’s army, to meet you by the Wadi Kishon with his chariots and his troops; and I will give him into your hand.’”

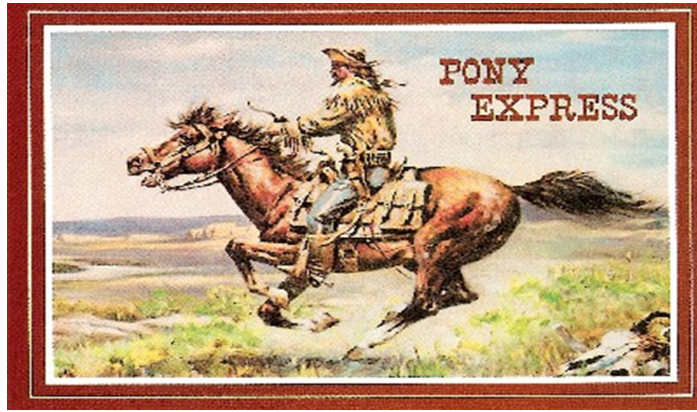
Something we see consistently in the Old Testament is how the Israelites seem to constantly do “what was evil in the sight of the Lord.” While it is easy to say things such as, “How dumb can they be? Why do they always disappoint God,” we might do some self-assessing not only in our world today, but in our own lives. Sin, in whatever way you define it, is a constant in our world. In truth, there is no time in the history of human existence there hasn’t been sin, or we might say, that we haven’t disappointed God. It is our nature to do so, which is why God sent His only son to save us, redeem us, in spite of our sinful nature. Praise God!

Needless to say, we all make mistakes: Some more often than others. Yet, there is never a time we are not covered by God's grace, forgiven, and loved. To believe otherwise is contrary to the teachings of Christ. "For God so loved the world, He gave His only son."

My hope and prayer is, we all recognize the great love our God has for us, revel in His love and serve Him faithfully, as did Deborah and many others throughout history.

God's love, mercy & grace be with you always,

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THE PONY EXPRESS

has begun!

Saddlebags are circulating

For Your Pledges.

Help us make our Stewardship Campaign
a success.

Campaign results will be announced this
in November before the Board Meeting!

Thank you in advance for setting your
hearts and minds on the

Ministry of Jesus Christ
and making your contribution
toward a successful 2021.



BE SURE TO JOIN US FOR WORSHIP EVERY SUNDAY

VIA

OUR CHURCH FACEBOOK PAGE.

OUR WORSHIP SERVICE WILL BE POSTED

AND

YOU WILL BE ABLE TO VIEW IT

EACH AND EVERY SUNDAY.

REMEMBER:

WORSHIP ON SUNDAYS

ON

OUR CHURCH FACEBOOK PAGE

[HTTPS://WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/CCCTXK/](https://www.facebook.com/ccctxk/)



COMMUNION

AT HOME

COMMUNION FOR SHELTER IN PLACE

We have communion juice and wafers for all. If you would like to come by the Church Office to get a cup with wafer, just let us know when you're coming.

These are single serve like this:



Again, we have plenty for all, just call!

903-792-1915

POINSETTIA ORDER FORM

Please designate on the form below the number of plants you wish to order this year. We also ask that you specify how you would like the Sunday Bulletin Insert to read when it is published. In addition, please take the time to let us know whether or not you will be picking up your Poinsettia following our Christmas Eve service, or if you would prefer to have it delivered to one of our shut-ins, a homebound member, or to one of the local hospitals or nursing homes. May God bless you every day, and especially this Christmas season!



The cost of each Plant is \$13.00 Please pay in advance with you order.

NUMBER OF PLANTS: _____

PAYMENT AMOUNT ENCLOSED: _____

(Please print)

IN MEMORY OF:

IN HONOR OF:

NAME (S) OF DONOR (S) AS IT SHOULD APPEAR IN THE CHRISTMAS BULLETIN:

You may pick up your poinsettia Christmas Eve following the service.

ORDER DEADLINE: MONDAY, NOVEMBER 30TH.

A decorative black border with floral motifs at the top and bottom, and scrollwork on the sides, framing the text.

CWF/DWM Blog

Due to COVID-19 our November meeting has been canceled.

Our December meeting is pending due to COVID.

Watch for notice when our meetings will resume.



THE
CHRISTIAN MEN'S FELLOWSHIP
(CMF)

WILL BE MEETING

Saturday, November 21st

at 9:00 A.M. in HeBrews

We encourage all of our men to
be present.

We are working hard to build
our Men's group.



SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 22ND

WILL BE SERVING OUR LOCAL
RANDY SAM'S.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO
HELP SERVE THE HOMELESS
PLEASE LET OUR **ADMIN. ASSIST.**,
TONYA KNOW.

WE MEET IN DISCIPLE HALL AT 4 PM
TO PREPARE THE MEAL, THEN SERVE AT
RANDY SAM'S AT 6 PM.

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.'

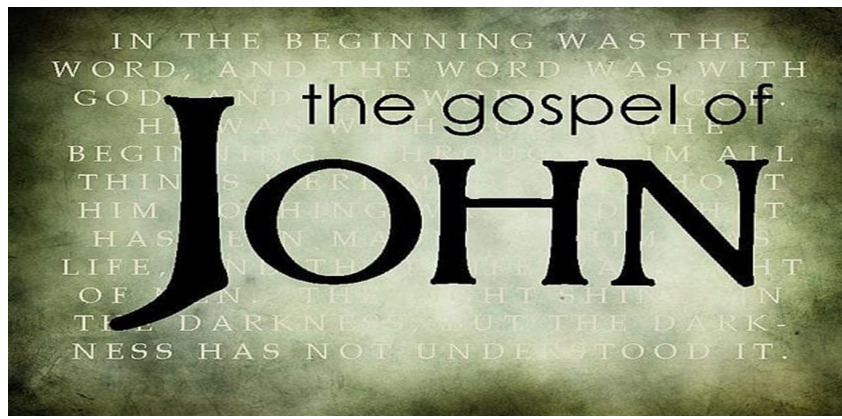


Some of our Adult Sunday School classes have combined during these difficult times.

The combined Sunday School will be held here at the church in the Community Room AND presented by use of a [Facebook group](#).

This class is studying the gospel of [Matthew](#) and is taught by Jack Carter. The class includes a live stream presented every Sunday morning and everyone is invited to participate.

Remember, a combined Adult Sunday School class is here at the church every Sunday morning and on Facebook at 9:40 a.m. on [Facebook](#).



The Journey Sunday School Class
Will continue our study of
THE GOSPEL OF JOHN
on
Sunday, November 15th

We hope you will join us.
Please read **chapter 10**
and be prepared to discuss it.

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

The Gospel of John, the fourth of the gospels, is a highly schematic account of the ministry of Jesus, with seven "signs" culminating in the raising of Lazarus (foreshadowing the resurrection of Jesus) and seven "I am" discourses culminating in Thomas's proclamation of the risen Jesus as "my Lord and my God"; the concluding verses set out its purpose, "that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that believing you may have life in his name." John reached its final form around AD 90–110, although it contains signs of origins dating back to AD 70 and possibly even earlier. Like the three other gospels, it is anonymous, although it identifies an unnamed "disciple whom Jesus loved" as the source of its traditions. It most likely arose within a "Johannine community", and as it is closely related in style and content to the three Johannine epistles most scholars treat the four books, along with the Book of Revelation, as a single corpus of Johannine literature, albeit not from the same author.



THANKSGIVING

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 22nd, IS

THANKSGIVING SUNDAY.

Psalm 50:1-2, 14-15

¹ The mighty one, God the LORD,
speaks and summons the earth
from the rising of the sun to its setting.

² Out of Zion, the perfection of beauty,
God shines forth.

¹⁴ Offer to God a sacrifice of thanksgiving,
and pay your vows to the Most High.

¹⁵ Call on me in the day of trouble;
I will deliver you, and you shall glorify me.”

PLEASE PLAN NOW TO ATTEND.



JUST A REMINDER TO OUR CONGREGATION

OUR

OFFICE HOURS

ARE

8 A.M. TO 4 P.M.

MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY



If you are looking for a safe way to give to the church, download the “Givelify” app onto your phone. You can find it at the App Store as “Givelify Mobile Giving App” or at the Google Play Store under the same name “Givelify Mobile Giving App.” Our church is listed, and this is a safe and fast way to give. Be sure you enter Central Christian Church Texarkana before you give.



FLOWERS

The cost of flowers for the
sanctuary has gone up.

Due to a price increase at the
Flower Shop, the cost of flowers
is now
\$40.



Our Sanctuary doors will not be unlocked until 10:20 a.m. unless a staff member or member is present in the sanctuary to prevent intruders from pilfering.

If you need in, please ask a Sunday School teacher if they can open up for you.

Thank You.

411 REMINDER

Just a reminder that any articles you would like to submit for publication in the 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 ccctxk 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

November 11	all day	Veterans Day
November 11	5pm	Choir
November 15	10:40am	Thanksgiving Offering
November 17	11:30am	CWF Day Group
November 18	5pm	Choir
November 19	6pm	Budget Committee
November 21	9am	CMF
November 22	10:40am	Thanksgiving Offering
November 22	4pm	Randy Sams Prep
November 22	6pm	Randy Sams drop off
November 23	6pm	General Board
November 26	all day	Thanksgiving offering
November 26 & 27	all day	office closed



Be sure to keep up-to-date
with Church Activities

By visiting

www.ccctxk.com

to see what's new!

Our site is easy to navigate and
there is a lot of information.



PRAYER LIST


IMPORTANT NOTE ABOUT PRAYER LIST

In recent discussions with the Southwest Region, it has come to our attention “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.

NOVEMBER 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 9am Elders in Prayer 9:40am Sunday School 10:40am Traditional Worship	2 10:30am Worship Committee	3	4 5pm Choir	5	6	7
8 9am Elders in Prayer 9:40am Sunday School 10:40am Traditional Worship	9	10 6pm Hope Remains Grief Support Group	11 5pm Choir	12	13	14
15 Thanksgiving offering 9am Elders in Prayer 9:40am Sunday School 10:40am Traditional Worship	16	17 11:30am CWF Day Group	18 5pm Choir	19 6pm Budget Committee	20	21 9am CMF
22 Thanksgiving offering 9am Elders in Prayer 9:40am Sunday School 10:40am Traditional Worship 4pm Randy Sams Prep 6pm Randy Sams drop-off	23 6pm General Board	24	25	26 	27 office closed	28
29 1st Sunday of Advent 9am Elders in Prayer 9:40am Sunday School 10:40am Traditional Worship	30					

November Birthdays

Bree Burns	11-1
Neoma Norton	11-4
Donna Nash	11-7
Sarah Carpenter	11-9
Carol Ann Tallent	11-18
Teri Stover	11-19
Margie Beeson	11-22
Chad Bennett	11-30
Chelsea Duddy	11-30
Justin Fowler	11-30

November Anniversaries

Herb & Elaine Hamilton	11-4
Bob & Lynn Wilmoth	11-13
Lee & Jean Nailling	11-17
Joe & Carma Lee Frost	11-23
Nick & Neldajo Mathison	11-27



Servers for the Weeks Ahead

November 1, 2020

Greeters: Alan & Janet Bennett
 Worship Leader: Joan Carter
 Hospital Elder: Jim Spears
 Flower Elder: Connie Spears
 Deacons: Jason Ellis, Jack Fisher, Lois Moore, Tami Hudspeth

November 8, 2020

Greeters: Harold & Pat Taylor
 Worship Leader: Lee Nailling
 Hospital Elder: Alice Kern
 Flower Elder: Robert Kern
 Deacons: Bob Wilmoth, Donna Nash, Sondra Bedwell, Jack Duncan

November 15, 2020

Greeters: Bob & Lynn Wilmoth
 Worship Leader: Connie Spears
 Hospital Elder: George Carpenter, Jr.
 Flower Elder: Julia Carpenter
 Deacons: Robert Kern, Mike Lamb, Alice Coleman, Jason Ellis

November 22, 2020

Greeters: Jack & Joan Carter
 Worship Leader: Jim Spears
 Hospital Elder: Tim Nash
 Flower Elder: Donna Nash
 Deacons: Bob Wilmoth, Tami Hudspeth, Sondra Bedwell, Jack Fisher

November 29, 2020

Greeters: George & Julia Carpenter
 Worship Leader: Teri Stover
 Hospital Elder: Jack Carter
 Flower Elder: Joan Carter
 Deacons: Lois Moore, Robert Kern, Jack Duncan, Donna Nash

Weekly Info

Prayer Need

Our Church

Wes Byas

Tamara Campbell

Nick Mathison

Jane Watson

Carla Lewis, friend of Bob Tallent

Gracie Duncan, friend of Tim Nash

Scottie Scurlock, friend of Julia Carpenter

Joye Lancaster, Beth Brine's cousin

Ongoing Concerns

Kimberly Shute-McDaniel, friend of the Naillings

Millege Norton, Martha Clinton's brother

Ann Smith, Dorothy Alves' sister

Michael Bennett, Alan Bennett's brother

Jack Donaldson, friend of Beth Brine

Zoe Jones, friend of Lois Moore

Vickie Oliver

Homebound

Betty Webb, Brookdale, Apt. 109

Carma Lee Frost, Brookdale, Apt. 132

Susie Howdeshell

Jauquita Hargus, home

Jeffrey Turner, Abundant Life

Susan DeFoy, MRC Cornerstone, Rm. 505 A



Serving this Sunday

November 15, 2020

Greeters: Bob & Lynn Wilmoth

Worship Leader: Connie Spears

Hospital Elder: George Carpenter, Jr.

Flower Elder: Julia Carpenter

Deacons: Robert Kern, Mike Lamb, Alice Coleman, Jason Ellis

November 8, 2020

Attendance: 31

Offering: \$ 3,444.06

Weekly Needs: \$ 4,131.82

Difference: \$ -687.76

YTD Collected: \$187,333.60

YTD Needed: \$185,931.90

Difference: \$ 1,401.70

Central Christian Church Decals

\$5.00

Church office or Hebrews

*LECTIONARY FOR
NOVEMBER 15, 2020*

Twenty-fourth Sunday after Pentecost

Judges 4:1-7

Psalms 123

1 Thessalonians 5:1-11

Matthew 25:14-30

A support group for Widowed Men meets

each Thursday at 1:30pm at

Texarkana, Hospice. For more

information, contact

Texarkana Hospice at 903-794-4263.

Sermon This Sunday:

"A Different Perspective"

Scripture:

Matthew 25:14-30