

The Central Christian 411

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Psalm 22:25-31

- ²⁵ From you comes my praise in the great congregation;
my vows I will pay before those who fear him.
- ²⁶ The poor shall eat and be satisfied;
those who seek him shall praise the LORD.
May your hearts live forever!
- ²⁷ All the ends of the earth shall remember
and turn to the LORD,
and all the families of the nations
shall worship before him.
- ²⁸ For dominion belongs to the LORD,
and he rules over the nations.
- ²⁹ To him, indeed, shall all who sleep in the earth bow down;
before him shall bow all who go down to the dust,
and I shall live for him.
- ³⁰ Posterity will serve him;
future generations will be told about the Lord
- ³¹ and proclaim his deliverance to a people yet unborn,
saying that he has done it.

This Psalm begins with: "My God, my God, why hast thou forsaken me?" You may recall Jesus was quoting this Psalm as he was dying on the cross. I believe it to be unfortunate he was unable to finish it. While that first verse makes it sound as though Jesus felt God had let him down, the truth is, as you can see, this Psalm is a Psalm of praise. What else would Jesus do but praise his father in heaven? Jesus knew his purpose, that is, why he was put on earth, and even taught his disciples how he must die to save the world. For any one of us to think Jesus was disappointed in God would be a grave mistake and a lack of understanding as to the mission and ministry of Jesus. What a great lesson for us to learn. Regardless of how bad things in life may become, we can always praise God. Do you?

May the God of love be with you always, Wes



**THERE WILL BE A
CALLED BOARD MEETING
THURSDAY
FEBRUARY 22nd
AT 6PM
IN THE COMMUNITY
ROOM**



WE HAVE SOLAR ECLIPSE GLASSES

FOR

\$5.00

A PAIR.

IF YOU INTEND TO SEE THE ECLIPSE,

THESE ARE ESSENTIAL TO PROTECT

YOUR EYES.

THESE GLASSES ARE AVAILABLE IN THE

CHURCH OFFICE

903 WALNUT ST.

TEXARKANA, TX



SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25th

WE WILL BE SERVING OUR LOCAL
RANDY SAM'S SHELTER

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO
HELP SERVE THE HOMELESS
PLEASE COME JOIN
IN.

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.'



We will continue our

Lenten

Soup & Scripture

Sunday

February 25th

In HeBrews

At 5:00 p.m.

This is our second Sunday

In a four Sunday Study

Please read Chapters 3 & 4

In the Book of Acts



February 29 is a *leap day* (or "leap year day"), an intercalary date added periodically to leap years in the Julian and Gregorian calendars. It is the 60th day of a leap year in both calendars, and 306 days remain until the end of the leap year. It is also the last day of February in leap years with the exception of 1712 in Sweden. It is also the last day of meteorological winter in the Northern Hemisphere and the last day of meteorological summer in the Southern Hemisphere in leap years.

In the Gregorian calendar (the standard civil calendar used in most of the world), February 29 is added in each year that is an integer multiple of four (except for years evenly divisible by 100, but not by 400). The Julian calendar — since 1923 a liturgical calendar — has a February 29 every fourth year without exception.

(Consequently, February 29 in the Julian calendar falls 13 days later than February 29 in the Gregorian, until the year 2100.)

CCSW WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP EVENT MARCH 1-2, 2024



Location: First Christian Church, San Angelo, TX, 2999 N Oaks St., San Angelo, TX 76903



Best Western North Bryant Inn

1418 N. Bryant Blvd.

San Angelo, TX 76903-5248

Phone: 325-617-7990

Hotel Information?

Make Reservations before February 1, 2024

Call 1-325-617-7990; ask for CCSW Rooming Block March 1-2, 2024

- Rooms with two Queen Beds [2 per room]: \$112 + tax per Night (13%)
- Extras in room may be charged \$10 each

SILENT AUCTION

A silent auction will be held with the proceeds going to the CCSW Disciples Women's Operation Fund to help pay the IDWM dues and planning of events for women. Please, bring one or more items to donate from the Disciples Women of your congregation.

BINGO

MARCH 2nd

FAMILY BINGO

IN HeBREWS

PRIZES!  **PRIZES!**  **PRIZES!**

FROM 1 to 3 PM

Fun4theBrain

Y'ALL COME!!



SUNDAY, MARCH 3RD

WE WILL HAVE A

**CONGREGATIONAL
MEETING**

TO APPROVE OUR

2024 BUDGET

AND TO

APPROVE OUR

NEW DEACONS

AND

CHURCH OFFICERS

FOR

2024



We will continue our

Lenten

Soup & Scripture

Sunday

March 3rd

In HeBrews

At 5:00 p.m.

This is our third Sunday

In a four Sunday Study

Please read Chapters 15 & 16

In the Book of Acts



SUNDAY, MARCH 10TH

WE BEGIN

DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME

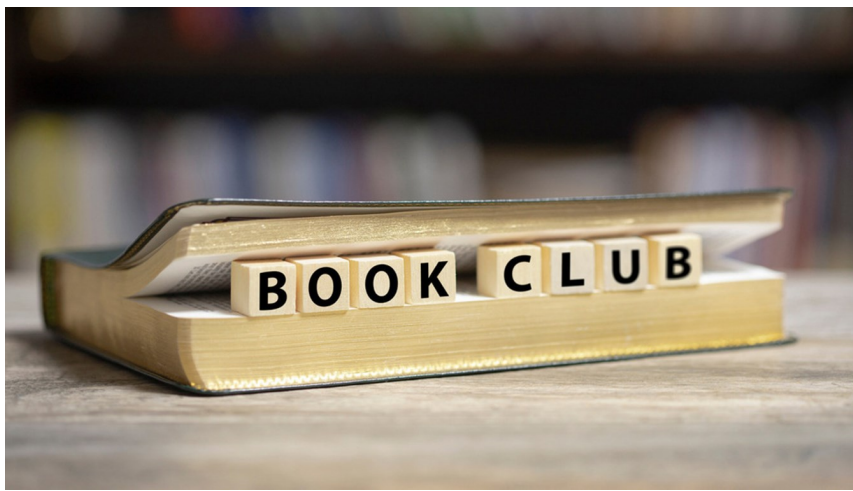
PLEASE BE SURE TO TURN YOUR

CLOCKS & WATCHES

FORWARD 1 HOUR

BEFORE YOU GO TO BED

SATURDAY NIGHT, THE 9TH.



ON MONDAY, MARCH 11TH
THE CCC BOOK CLUB WILL MEET AT 1 P.M.
IN THE COMMUNITY ROOM.
TO DISCUSS

“THE BOYS IN THE BOAT”
BY
DANIEL JAMES BROWN

For readers of *Unbroken*, out of the depths of the Depression comes an irresistible story about beating the odds and finding hope in the most desperate of times—the improbable, intimate account of how nine working-class boys from the American West showed the world at the 1936 Olympics in Berlin what true grit really meant.

It was an unlikely quest from the start. With a team composed of the sons of loggers, shipyard workers, and farmers, the University of Washington’s eight-oar crew team was never expected to defeat the elite teams of the East Coast and Great Britain, yet they did, going on to shock the world by defeating the German team rowing for Adolf Hitler. The emotional heart of the tale lies with Joe Rantz, a teenager without family or prospects, who rows not only to regain his shattered self-regard but also to find a real place for himself in the world. Drawing on the boys’ own journals and vivid memories of a once-in-a-lifetime shared dream, Brown has created an unforgettable portrait of an era, a celebration of a remarkable achievement, and a chronicle of one extraordinary young man’s personal quest.

This Book Club is for Men AND Women, and we hope both will read this book and join the discussion.

EASTER LILY ORDER FORM

Please designate the number of plants you wish to order and how you want the Sunday bulletin insert to read. The completed form should be returned to the church office or placed in the offering plate by March 15th with the payment of \$15.00 each attached.

Number of plants: _____ Payment amount enclosed: _____

Please check either in memory or in honor and print the name of the person or people you wish to remember or honor.

_____ In Memory _____ In Honor _____

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Please print the donor's name the way you wish it to appear in the Easter Bulletin.

Please pick up your Easter Lilies after the worship service on March 31st.

ORDER DEADLINE: Friday, March 15, 2024.



***The Journey Sunday School
Class will begin our study of
1st, 2nd, and 3rd John***

We hope you will join us.

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

First John maps out the three main components of saving knowledge of God: faith in Jesus Christ, obedient response to God's commands, and true love for God and others. This letter shows how Jesus expects His followers to honor Him daily wherever they are.

Second John encourages believers to stay the course, responding to one another with love and the truth of the gospel. This letter challenges readers to remain steadfast in their faith and hope in Jesus Christ, eventually receiving a "full reward" from Him.

Third John underscores central Christian convictions and testifies to the God-centeredness of the Christian faith. Jesus and the Holy Spirit are not mentioned specifically, but in the writer's view, both are included when referencing God in this letter.



The **TNT** Sunday School Class
is continuing its study of

THE GOSPEL OF LUKE

We study various books of the Bible
and recently completed the
BOOK OF DANIEL.

If you enjoy a wide range study of scripture, we would
love to have you join us
in class or **on FACEBOOK.**

We meet every Sunday in the Community Room.



WE ANNOUNCED IN OUR SERVICE A
FEW WEEKS AGO

WE WILL NO LONGER LEAVE THE
ALLEY DOOR TO THE SANCTUARY
BUILDING UNLOCKED

DUE TO UNWANTED GUESTS WHO
MAKE THEIR HOME UPSTAIRS.

IF YOU ARE A KEY HOLDER,
PLEASE DO NOT
UNLOCK THE ALLEY DOOR.



NOW AVAILABLE!!!

OUR BEAUTIFUL

CCC BALL CAP

AND

T-SHIRT

CAN BE YOURS FOR

ONLY \$20 EACH!!!

To purchase your

CCC Ball Cap

and

T-Shirt

Call or come by the

Admin. Office today!!!



In our Sanctuary/Education building we have three areas where we try to maintain an energy efficient temperature; that can be adjusted as needed. These areas are the sanctuary, the parlor, and HeBrews. Each area has their own controls.

In an attempt to help us control the cost of heating and cooling our Sanctuary/Education building we are asking everyone to help keep doors in these areas shut at all times. When doors are left open, the heat goes up the staircases to the hallway and upper rooms and the A/C goes into rooms we are not using downstairs.

The parlor has two doors we need to keep closed, HeBrews has two doors into hallway we need to keep closed, and the kitchen door to the hallway we need to keep closed. In the area where the water fountain and women's restroom are, the door going up the steps into back of the sanctuary and the door in the hallway leading to HeBrews need to be kept closed.

With everyone's help we can save on the cost of gas and electricity.

Thank You!

Your Property Committee



BE SURE TO JOIN US FOR WORSHIP EVERY MONDAY

VIA

OUR CHURCH FACEBOOK PAGE.

OUR WORSHIP SERVICE WILL BE POSTED **BY 4:00 P.M.**

AND

YOU WILL BE ABLE TO VIEW IT

EACH AND EVERY MONDAY ON FACEBOOK.

REMEMBER:

WATCH WORSHIP ON MONDAYS **AT 4:00 P.M.**

ON

OUR CHURCH FACEBOOK PAGE

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



Honorariums/Memorials

JUST A REMINDER

HONORARIUM

&

MEMORIAL

GIFTS ARE WELCOME

ANYTIME.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO GIVE AN

HONORARIUM OR MEMORIAL

PLEASE MAKE YOUR CHECK TO CCC

WITH A NOTE STATING WHO YOUR

HONORARIUM OR MEMORIAL

IS IN HONOR OR MEMORY OF.



FLOWERS!!!!

Be sure to purchase flowers for
the sanctuary to honor
Friends or Family or
in memory of a loved one.

The cost is only
\$40.

OFFICE HOURS



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](#) or at the [Google Play Store](#) under:

“Givelify Mobile Giving App.”

Our church is listed, and this is a safe and fast way to give. Please

be sure you find

Central Christian Church Texarkana.

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 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

February 22	6pm	Called Board Meeting
February 25	10:40am	Week of Compassion offering
February 25	11:45am	Fellowship Committee
February 25	4pm	Randy Sams Prep
February 25	5pm	Soup & Scripture
February 25	6pm	Randy Sams drop off
February 28	5pm	Choir
March 2	1pm	Bingo
March 3	11:45am	Congregational Meeting
March 3	5pm	Soup & Scripture
March 4	all day	World Day of Prayer
March 6	5pm	Choir
March 10		Daylight Saving Time Begins
March 10	10:40am	Installation Service
March 10	5pm	Soup & Scripture
March 11	1pm	Book Club



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.

March 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Easter offering will be taken up on March 24th and 31st					1	2 1pm-3pm Bingo
3 9am Elders in Prayer 9:30am Sunday School 10:40am Worship Service 5pm Soup & Scripture	4 World Day of Prayer	5	6 5pm Choir	7 2pm Worship Comm.	8	9
10 Daylight Saving Time Begins 9am Elders in Prayer 9:30am Sunday School 10:40am Worship Service w/Installation Service 5pm Soup & Scripture	11 1pm Book Club	12 6pm Hope Remains Grief Support	13 5pm Choir	14	15 7:30am CMF @ Old Tyme Burger	16
17 St. Patrick's Day 9am Elders in Prayer 9:30am Sunday School 10:40am Worship Service 11:45am Potluck Luncheon	18	19	20 1:30pm Steering Comm. 5pm Choir	21	22	23
24 Palm Sunday 9am Elders in Prayer 9:30am Sunday School 10:40am Worship Service	25 6pm General Board Meeting	26	27 5pm Choir	28 Maundy Thursday	29 Good Friday	30
31 Easter Sunday 9am Elders in Prayer 9:30am Sunday School 10:40am Worship Service						

March Birthdays

Tami Hudspeth	03-01
George Carpenter, Jr.	03-06
Joseph Cunningham	03-08
Jim Cox	03-14
Alice Kern	03-14
Pat Taylor	03-14
Steven Howdeshell	03-25
William Doddy	03-26

March Anniversaries

David & Michelle Cherry 03-20

Servers for the Weeks Ahead

March 3, 2024

Greeters: Tom & Teresa Crow
Worship Leader: John Beeson
Hospital Elder: Jim Spears
Flower Elder: Connie Spears
Deacons:

March 10, 2024

Greeters: Cowboy & Neldajo Mathison
Worship Leader: Lee Nailling
Hospital Elder: Tom Crow
Flower Elder: Teresa Crow
Deacons:

March 17, 2024

Greeters: Harold & Pat Taylor
Worship Leader: Sondra Bedwell
Hospital Elder: George Carpenter, Jr.
Flower Elder: Julia Carpenter
Deacons:

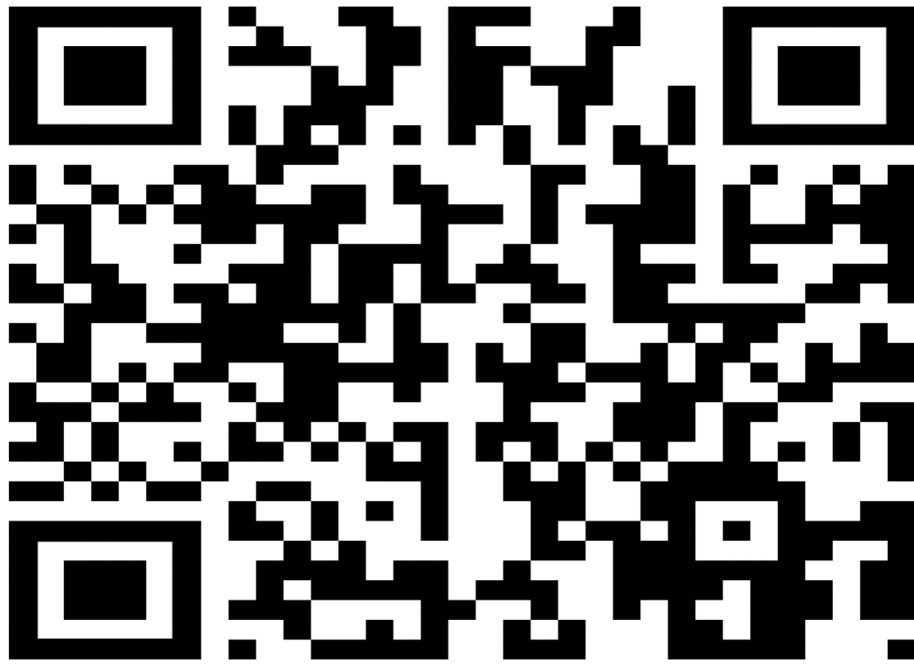
March 24, 2024

Greeters: Jerry & Sheri Thomas
Worship Leader: Mike Martin
Hospital Elder: Robert Kern
Flower Elder: Alice Kern
Deacons:

March 31, 2024

Greeters: Ethan Cole & Alice Coleman
Worship Leader: Jerry Thomas
Hospital Elder: Jack Carter
Flower Elder: Joan Carter
Deacons:





SCAN THIS
QR CODE
TO SEE
OUR
CHURCH VIDEO!

SHOW
FRIENDS AND FAMILY.

Prayer Need

Our Church

Wes Byas

Family of David Scurlock, friend of Julia Carpenter

Janell Dailey, Glenda Burkhart's sister

Jane Watson

Donna Lee, Robert Kern's sister

Betsy Spencer

Kelley Folmar

Lynn Groening, Julia Carpenter's cousin

Bill Sellke, Sheri Thomas' brother-in-law

Blaire Hamilton, Jerry & Sheri Thomas' granddaughter

Judy Mason, Sheri Thomas' sister

B.J. Adams, Glenda Burkhart's brother

Haley Dorn, Jerry & Sheri Thomas' niece

Mitch Anderson, friend of George & Julia Carpenter

Ongoing Concerns

Carolyn Walker

Anthony Johnson

Ed Shilling, Judy Van Hooser Shilling's husband

Lee Mays, friend of Teresa Crow

Keith Williams, friend of Tom Crow

Elizabeth Lea, friend of Lee Nailling

Kathy Bearden, friend of Julia Carpenter

Bill Griffin, Glenda Burkhart's son-in-law

Aubrey Fulcher, Connie Spears' brother-in-law

Jeane Duren, Beth Brine's aunt

Homebound

Joe Frost, Sr., home

Elizabeth Cooney, home

Herb Hamilton, The Oaks room 34

Elaine Hamilton, son's home

Jane Watson

Nancy Bair, home

James Thompson, home

Susie Howdeshell, home

Bobbie Roberts, Pat Taylor's mom, The Villa room 207

Jeffrey Turner, Abundant Life



Serving this Sunday
February 25, 2024

Greeters: Jack & Joan Carter

Worship Leader: Jim Spears

Hospital Elder: Jack Carter

Flower Elder: Joan Carter

Deacons: Harold Taylor & Jerry Thomas

February 18, 2024

Attendance: 38

Offering: \$ 6,136.54

This Sunday:

"Adversity"

Scripture:

Romans 4:13-25

LECTIONARY FOR FEBRUARY 18, 2024

Second Sunday in Lent

Genesis 17:1-7, 15-16

Psalms 22:23-31

Romans 4:13-25

Mark 8:31-38 or 9:2-9