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We are called to be grateful not only for the things God does for us  
but for being a God who heals and restores us.



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**Read With Us**

October 27, 2024

# WORSHIP

## 8:15AM - COMMUNION

Prelude: Fantasie in C Minor (Bach)  
 Welcome  
 \*Hymn of Praise: A Mighty Fortress is Our God (UMH 110)  
 \*The Collect  
 \*Passing of the Peace  
 \*Apostles' Creed (UMH 881)  
 \*Gloria Patri (UMH 70)  
 Pastoral Prayer  
 Offertory: How Beautiful  
 \*Doxology (UMH 95)  
 Message - Rev. Dawn Spragg  
 The Lord's Prayer  
 Holy Communion  
 Offertory: How Beautiful  
 \*Benediction  
 Postlude: Toccata in D Minor (with a Fugal Ending) (Bach)

## 10:20AM - TRADITIONAL

Prelude: Fantasie in C Minor (Bach)  
 Welcome  
 \*Hymn of Praise: A Mighty Fortress Is Our God (UMH 110)  
 \*The Collect  
 \*Passing of the Peace  
 Children's Moment  
 Scripture Reading: Luke 17:11-19 (NLT)  
 Message - Rev. Dawn Spragg  
 \*The Psalter: Psalm 34:1-8 (UMH 769)  
 \*Apostles' Creed (UMH 881)  
 \*Gloria Patri (UMH 70)  
 Choral Anthem: I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say (T. Tallis)  
 Pastoral Prayer  
 The Lord's Prayer  
 Offertory: O Lord, I Am a Poor Sinner (Bach)  
 \*Doxology (UMH 95)  
 \*Hymn of Thanksgiving: Pass Me Not, O Gentle Savior (UMH 351)  
 \*Benediction  
 Postlude: Toccata in D Minor (with Fugal Ending) (Bach)

## 10:30AM - CONTEMPORARY

Welcome  
 Hymn of Heaven  
 This Is Our God  
 In Jesus Name (God Of Possible)  
 Pastoral Prayer  
 The Lord's Prayer  
 Children's Moment  
 Offering Moment  
 Gratitude  
 Message - Rev. Dawn Spragg  
 The Blessing  
 Benediction

# SCRIPTURE

LUKE 17:11-19

Ten Healed of Leprosy  
 11 As Jesus continued on toward Jerusalem, he reached the border between Galilee and Samaria. 12 As he entered a village there, ten men with leprosy stood at a distance, 13 crying out, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!" 14 He looked at them and said, "Go show yourselves to the priests." And as they went, they were cleansed of their leprosy.  
 15 One of them, when he saw that he was healed, came back to Jesus, shouting, "Praise God!" 16 He fell to the ground at Jesus' feet, thanking him for what he had done. This man was a Samaritan.  
 17 Jesus asked, "Didn't I heal ten men? Where are the other nine? 18 Has no one returned to give glory to God except this foreigner?" 19 And Jesus said to the man, "Stand up and go. Your faith has healed you."

# PRAY

Mourning with:

- Rusty Turner, whose father passed away this week.

Praying for:

- George Rhoads, as he continues healing during his cancer treatment.
- Bob Mayhew, as he continues to recover after his stem cell transplant.
- Michael, John and Frances Rankin's son, as he continues cancer treatment.
- Sally Deakins, Laurelin Van Hoose's mother, continued prayers for encouragement and healing.
- Chelsea Thompson, healing of health & faith as she goes through cancer treatment.
- Jane Whitlow, Sally Nichols' friend, prayers for healing.
- Sandi Johnson, Marla Muller's mother, received shock treatment to her heart this week.
- Pam Berg, as she heals from foot surgery.
- J.R. Shaw's friend, Kyle Edmiston, is starting treatment for a tumor in his spine.
- Liz Lusk as she received a biopsy for her kidney and as she is dealing with heart issues.
- Leslie Reindeau needs prayer as she battles cancer.
- Ross Puryear, Doyle Rice's friend was recently diagnosed with stage four prostate cancer.
- Jenny McDaniel's friend Tina Dye. Pray the lump that was found is non-cancerous.
- Ronnie Whitis, Sally Nichols' grandson, was severely injured in a motorcycle accident.
- Isaac Linville, Brandie Cockrell's cousin, is a two-year-old battling cancer.



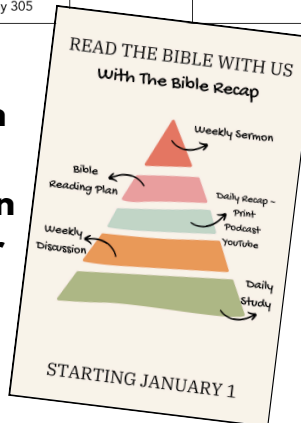
We have had one sermon series for the whole year, and we will continue reading through the whole Bible together using a specific reading plan. We hope you will read with us!

## OCTOBER

| SUNDAY                                    | MONDAY                                    | TUESDAY                              | WEDNESDAY  | THURSDAY  | FRIDAY  | SATURDAY                                  |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|--|---|---|---|
|   |   | 1-Oct<br>Luke 1<br>John 1<br>Day 275 | 2-Oct<br>Matthew 1<br>Luke 2<br>Day 276          | 3-Oct<br>Matthew 2<br>Day 277                     | 4-Oct<br>Matthew 3<br>Mark 1, Luke 3<br>Day 278 | 5-Oct<br>Matthew 4<br>Luke 4-5<br>Day 279 |
| 6-Oct<br>John 2-4<br>Day 280              | 7-Oct<br>Matthew 8<br>Mark 2<br>Day 281   | 8-Oct<br>John 5<br>Day 282           | 9-Oct<br>Matthew 12<br>Mark 3, Luke 6<br>Day 283 | 10-Oct<br>Matthew 5-7<br>Day 284                  | 11-Oct<br>Matthew 9<br>Luke 7<br>Day 285        | 12-Oct<br>Matthew 11<br>Day 286           |
| 13-Oct<br>Luke 11<br>Day 287              | 14-Oct<br>Matthew 13<br>Luke 8<br>Day 288 | 15-Oct<br>Mark 4-5<br>Day 289        | 16-Oct<br>Matthew 10<br>Day 290                  | 17-Oct<br>Matthew 14<br>Mark 6, Luke 9<br>Day 291 | 18-Oct<br>John 6<br>Day 292                     | 19-Oct<br>Matthew 15<br>Mark 7<br>Day 293 |
| 20-Oct<br>Matthew 16<br>Mark 8<br>Day 294 | 21-Oct<br>Matthew 17<br>Mark 9<br>Day 295 | 22-Oct<br>Matthew 18<br>Day 296      | 23-Oct<br>John 7-8<br>Day 297                    | 24-Oct<br>John 9-10<br>Day 298                    | 25-Oct<br>Luke 10<br>Day 299                    | 26-Oct<br>Luke 12-13<br>Day 300           |
| 27-Oct<br>Luke 14-15<br>Day 301           | 28-Oct<br>Luke 16-17<br>Day 302           | 29-Oct<br>John 11<br>Day 303         | 30-Oct<br>Luke 18<br>Day 304                     | 31-Oct<br>Matthew 19<br>Mark 10<br>Day 305        |   |   |



For more information on how to participate scan the QR code or check our website!





# WAYS TO CONNECT

## BLESSING OF THE QUILTS

Sun, Oct. 27

Join us in the worship services as we bless quilts made by Sacred Thread Quilt Mission.

## TRUNK OR TREAT

Sun, Oct. 27, 5pm - 6pm

Fun for the whole family and open to the community! Host a trunk or come for the candy! Members of our congregation will host family friendly "trunks" for a walk through "trick or treating" experience. Sign up to host a trunk thru our website on the Events page.

## WORSHIP UNDER THE STARS

Sun, Oct. 27, 6pm – 7pm

Join us for a special outdoor worship service following Trunk or Treat on our lawn! We will celebrate our incredible community and wrap up Accessibility Week with worship and fellowship under the stars. Worship elements and music will be facilitated in harmony by both our Contemporary and Traditional music teams. We will also have hot dogs and s'mores by the bonfire. This service is open to all!

## GRAVITY PIZZA & PUMPKINPALOOZA

Sun, Oct. 27, 6pm – 8pm

Following Trunk or Treat, Gravity students, join us in the Youth Room for PIZZA & PUMPKINPALOOZA. Our infamous pumpkin carving contest, fall candy tasting and all things fall.

## CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING

Mon, Oct. 28 at 6:00pm in the Conference Room.

## HOW TO IMPROVE YOUR COMMUNICATIONS WITH GOD

Class begins Tuesday October 29, 11:30am -1:15pm in room 206.

Prayer is something we learn; it is something that can be taught. For many, however, the only teaching about prayer they ever receive is modeled in Sunday worship. This course may challenge some of your assumptions, test some of your preconceived ideas, stretch your thinking, and enrich your prayer life. Register here thru our website under Connect > Join a Group.

## WNL DINNER - OCTOBER 30

Join us on Wednesday night as we celebrate Halloween! Dinner will be Spaghetti and Meatballs.

## DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME

Don't forget to change your clocks to FALL BACK an hour on Nov. 3rd!

## SNACKPACK MISSION OUTREACH EVENT

Sun, Nov. 3, 9am – 1pm

Join us in the Atrium as we pack thousands of SnackPacks for school children in our area who experience food insecurity.

## ELECTION DAY

Tues, Nov. 5

This Presidential Election season, remember, YOU matter to God. Join us as we wear our "You Matter To God" shirts each Sunday and on Election day. Shirts are available for purchase in the Atrium and the Church Office.

## ROGERS CHRISTMAS PARADE BUILD DAYS

Nov 12 & 19 (Build Days)

Central is excited to be part of this great Rogers tradition. Please plan on joining us to build our float on two different nights on November 12th and 19th in the church bus barn. Prior float building experience or registration is NOT necessary! And bring the whole family to be part of the parade on December 6th. It will be BIG FUN! If you are able to participate or have questions, please email Molly Pickering [molly.pickering@sbcglobal.net](mailto:molly.pickering@sbcglobal.net).

## TURKEY BOWL

Sat. & Sun Nov. 16 - 17

Gravity students, let's kick Turkey Bowl weekend off right! Join us on Saturday Night for dinner (pizza!), trivia (win some points for your church), worship and end with s'mores at the bonfire pit. Sunday Night we'll head out and tailgate before the MAIN EVENT begins. Earn points for Central through competitions, including a HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS' POWDER PUFF GAME. Lots of fun with inflatables, tailgate games, and our FAVORITE drink truck! We will wrap up the night with the HIGH SCHOOL BOYS FLAG FOOTBALL GAME, followed by the TEAM TOTALS, and the ANNOUNCEMENT of the 2024 TURKEY BOWL CHAMP! \*\*REGISTRATION REQUIRED\*\*

## GRACE COMMUNITY DINNER

Sun, Nov. 17, 3pm – 5:30pm

A dinner is prepared and served at Grace UMC for approximately 200+ people by drive-thru. Teams will prepare food, pack for distribution, and deliver to vehicles. If interested in joining a group, please call the church office.

## HANGING OF THE GREENS & ADVENT CELEBRATION

Sun, November 24th, 5pm – 7pm

Join us as we celebrate the start of our Advent season. Our Young Disciples will lead our congregation in a special worship service featuring scenes from the nativity and musical guests from our Praise Team and Chancel Choir. We will have games, crafts, pony rides, a live petting zoo, and our infamous Santa's Workshop. We will end our evening in fellowship with a chili supper hosted by our Gravity Youth Group.

## THANKSGIVING - Office Closed

The Church Office will be closed November 28th and 29th.

## "WHAT NOW?" LAY SERVANT MINISTRY - BASICS COURSE

Sun, December 1st, 4pm – 8pm

Wed, December 4th, 6pm - 8pm

Have you been asked to serve at Central, volunteered at church and would like to know more, or would like to volunteer but not sure where to start? In this fun and interactive class, participants will discover and employ personal spiritual gifts as God intended and to consider the importance of exercising servant leadership! (This class will count toward the Introduction to Lay Ministry – Basics Course requirements) This class will be held over three sessions on Dec 1st, 4th, and 11th. Please contact Carole Baker for more information.

## ROGERS CHRISTMAS PARADE

Fri, December 6th, 6:30pm – 8pm

Central is excited to be part of this great Rogers tradition. Bring the whole family to be part of the parade on December 6th. The parade begins in downtown Rogers at 6:30pm. It will be BIG FUN!