

Welcome!

We welcome you in the name of Christ! Our website ChristCentralPCA.org offers a lot of helpful information about our church family. For questions or to share a prayer concern, call the office at 813-774-3881, ext. 700 or email us at church@ChristCentralPCA.org.

Here are some things that might be helpful to you:

- The Welcome Center is located in the lobby. If you are a first-time guest, we would love to meet you.
- Please join us for coffee and conversation in the lobby immediately after the worship service.
- We have bible study / Sunday school classes for all ages. You can find the time, topic, and location for each class at the Welcome Center.
- We have a clean, efficient and safe nursery available for infants and toddlers in the education wing of the church. We also have a cry room in the back of the sanctuary, so please feel free to use it when needed.
A Children's Worship program is offered during the service for children ages K4 through 2nd grade in Room 8.

Order for the Divine Service of Worship

February 12, 2017 - 9:30 AM

Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany

Please adjust all electronic communication devices so as not to disrupt the service.

Prelude

Holy, Holy, Holy
Arr. Dan Forrest

Let us quiet our hearts before the Lord.

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship

1 Chronicles 29:11-13

Leader: Yours, O LORD, is the greatness and the power and the glory and the majesty and the splendor, for everything in heaven and earth is yours. Yours, O LORD, is the kingdom; you are exalted as head over all.

People: **Wealth and honor come from you; you are the ruler of all things. In your hands are strength and power to exalt and give strength to all.**

All: **Now, our God, we give you thanks, and praise your glorious name.**

****Hymn**

Hallelujah! Thine the Glory
Hymn # 179

****The Invocation**

****The Apostles' Creed**

"I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen."

****The Gloria Patri**

Hymn # 734

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.

The First Scripture Lesson

1The words of Jeremiah son of Hilkiah, one of the priests at Anathoth in the territory of Benjamin. 2 The word of the LORD came to him in the thirteenth year of the reign of Josiah son of Amon king of Judah, 3 and through the reign of Jehoiakim son of Josiah king of Judah, down to the fifth month of the eleventh year of Zedekiah son of Josiah king of Judah, when the people of Jerusalem went into exile. 4 The word of the LORD came to me, saying, 5 "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, before you were born I set you apart; I appointed you as a prophet to the nations." 6 "Ah, Sovereign LORD," I said, "I do not know how to speak; I am only a child." 7 But the LORD said to me, "Do not say, 'I am only a child.' You must go to everyone I send you to and say whatever I command you. 8 Do not be afraid of them, for I am with you and will rescue you," declares the LORD.

Jeremiah 1:1-8

Leader: The Word of the Lord
People: Thanks be to God

The Confession of Our Sins

"Receive my confession, O most loving and gracious Heavenly Father, through the Lord Jesus Christ, the only hope for the salvation of my soul. Grant to me true contrition, so that day and night I may be sorry from the heart for my sins. Savior of the world, O good Jesus, who gave yourself to the death of the cross to save sinners, look upon me, most wretched of all sinners; have pity on me, and give me the light to know my sins, true sorrow for them, and a firm purpose of never committing them again. Amen."

Assurance of Pardon

Therefore, since we have been justified through faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ,

Roman 5:1

The Second Scripture Lesson

26 Brothers, think of what you were when you were called. Not many of you were wise by human standards; not many were influential; not many were of noble birth. 27 But God chose the foolish things of the world to shame the wise; God chose the weak things of the world to shame the strong. 28 He chose the lowly things of this world and the despised things-- and the things that are not-- to nullify the things that are, 29 so that no one may boast before him. 30 It is because of him that you are in Christ Jesus, who has become for us wisdom from God-- that is, our righteousness, holiness and redemption. 31 Therefore, as it is written: "Let him who boasts boast in the Lord."

1 Corinthians 1:26-31

Leader: The Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God

The Anthem

In Whom I Trust (based on Psalm 91)

Mark Shepperd

All who dwell in the shelter of the Lord, all who dwell in the shadow of our God will say to the Lord, "My refuge and my fortress, my God in whom I trust." He will deliver you if you make the Lord your dwelling. No harm will come to you if you make the Lord your refuge.

All who dwell in the shelter of the Lord, all who dwell in the shadow of our God will say to the Lord, "My refuge and my fortress, my God, in whom I trust."

Angels shall guard your way by the power of his holy hand. Your foot shall strike no stone by his glorious command.

All who dwell in the shelter of the Lord, all who dwell in the shadow of our God will say to the Lord, "My refuge and my fortress, my God, in whom I trust."

Because you love the Lord and give him adoration, then he will rescue you and show you his salvation.

All who dwell in the shelter of the Lord, all who dwell in the shadow of our God will say to the Lord, "My refuge and my fortress, my God, in whom I trust. My God in whom I trust."

Pastoral Prayer & The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen

The Third Scripture Lesson

51 As the time approached for him to be taken up to heaven, Jesus resolutely set out for Jerusalem. 52 And he sent messengers on ahead, who went into a Samaritan village to get things ready for him; 53 but the people there did not welcome him, because he was heading for Jerusalem. 54 When the disciples James and John saw this, they asked, "Lord, do you want us to call fire down from heaven to destroy them?" 55 But Jesus turned and rebuked them, 56 and they went to another village. 57 As they were walking along the road, a man said to him, "I will follow you wherever you go." 58 Jesus replied, "Foxes have holes and birds of the air have nests, but the Son of Man has no place to lay his head." 59 He said to another man, "Follow me." But the man replied, "Lord, first let me go and bury my father." 60 Jesus said to him, "Let the dead bury their own dead, but you go and proclaim the kingdom of God." 61 Still another said, "I will follow you, Lord; but first let me go back and say good-bye to my family." 62 Jesus replied, "No one who puts his hand to the plow and looks back is fit for service in the kingdom of God."

Luke 9:51-62

Leader: The Word of the Lord
People: Thanks be to God

**The Offertory Hymn

When Morning Gilds the Skies
Hymn # 167

** Offertory Statement & Prayer of Dedication

6 But godliness with contentment is great gain. 7 For we brought nothing into the world, and we can take nothing out of it. 8 But if we have food and clothing, we will be content with that.

1 Timothy 6:6-8

The Offertory

How Great Thou Art
Swedish Folk Melody

****The Doxology**

Hymn # 731

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heav'nly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Children K4 - 2nd Grades may be dismissed to Children's Church in Rm. 8

The Message

Rev. John K. Keen

Senior Pastor

****Hymn**

Jesus Paid It All

Hymn # 308

****Benediction**

Postlude

Chorale

Léon Boëllmann

***All who are able, please stand*

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Announcements

Toddler Sunday School Assistant Needed

Our Toddler Sunday School class is growing and Ms. Beverly is in need of a helper. Please contact Jamie Dalton 863-221-7888 if you are interested in serving in this position.

Costa Rica Mission Team Fundraising

Our fundraising goal is \$5,000 (1/3 of the total cost of the trip). The total we have received so far is \$1,832.

Yard Sale: We will be having a yard sale on **Saturday, March 4** from **7 am -1 pm**. If you have items you would like to donate for this event, you can bring your donations to the church, or for larger items, we can make arrangements to have them picked up. Please contact Stephanie Williams 813-962-0638 or Carol Moberg 813-317-8956 for any questions or to arrange a pick up time. ***Note: If items are brought in on Sunday, please see Stephanie Williams or a student team member during the Coffee and Conversation time to have the items collected and stored.***

Upcoming: All church fundraising lunch on **April 9**. Yum Yum...get ready to feast!

Serving in Ministry

There are always opportunities to serve in the various ministries at Christ Central. If you are interested in serving in the nursery, teaching a Children's Worship lesson, assisting in coffee preparations, or providing a snack once or twice during a quarter, please mark your Connection Card and we will add you to our rotation list for the upcoming quarter beginning in March. If you would like more details regarding each ministry, please see **Lisa Johnson**. ***Note: A background screening is required for all volunteers working with children.***

Birth Announcements

Congratulations on the recent births of new grandchildren to Ines Lopez de Lara Ahued and Ken and Loretta Jackson!

Diego Alexander, grandson to Ines, was born on Wednesday, February 1 at noon to parents, Jessica and Chris Fuller. He weighed 7 pounds and 10 ounces, and was 21 inches long.

Kylian Tyler, grandson to Ken and Loretta Jackson, was born on Friday, February 3 to parents, David and Evelyn Jackson.

This Week at Christ Central

February 12 – February 18

- SUNDAY:** Morning Worship, 9:30 am
Coffee and Conversation, 10:30 am
Sunday School, 11:00 am
MS/HS Youth Meeting (Rio Center), 5:30 pm
Kid Builders (Room 10), 5:30 pm
Adult Bible Study, 5:30 pm
- TUESDAY:** Ladies' Bible Study (Library), 9:45 am
- WEDNESDAY:** Choir Rehearsal (Room 9), 7:30 pm
- THURSDAY:** Ladies' Evening Bible Study, (Waugh Home),
7:00 pm
- FRIDAY:** Senior Group (Library), 10:00 am

February Birthdays & Anniversaries

Christian Education – Adults, Youth, & Children

Class/Grade	Class Teacher(s)	Class Room
Ages 2-3/Toddlers	Bev Thomson	6
Ages 4-7 / K4/K5 -2 nd Grade	Connie Trim & Diane Keen	3
Ages 8-10 /3 rd – 5 th Grade	Kelly Fernandez & Gail Chang	8
Middle School / 6 th -8 th Grade	Gregg Quick	Rio Center
High School / 9th -12 th Grade	Danny Dalton	Rio Center
Adult - Exploring The Lord's Prayer	Ben Lambers	15
Adult - Life and Writings of C.S. Lewis	Joe DeNitto	14
Adult - Hebrews	John Keen	13
Exploring Church Membership	Randy Johnson	12

CHRIST CENTRAL AT WORK AND WORSHIP

Last Sunday's Attendance: 142

Last Sunday's Offering: \$18,554.84

For if the willingness is there, the gift is acceptable according to what one has, not according to what he does not have. 2 Cor. 8:12

Volunteers

Greeters / Ordained Officer

	<u>February</u>	<u>March</u>
<i><u>Greeters:</u></i>	The Williams Family	Darby White Servy Fernandez
<i><u>Ordained Officer:</u></i>	Steve Strickland	Brian Waugh
<i><u>Communion Set-up:</u></i>	Andy Thomson	Judy Wildeboer

Children's Worship Volunteers

	<u>Teacher</u>	<u>Helper</u>
<i>Today:</i>	<i>Geena Lang</i>	<i>Rachel Strickland</i>
<i>Feb. 19:</i>	<i>Kelly Fernandez</i>	<i>Andrew Johnson</i>

Coffee Volunteers

<i>Today:</i>	<i>Randa Gravanti</i>
<i>Feb. 19:</i>	<i>Loretta Jackson</i>

Nursery Volunteers

<i>Today:</i>	<i>Laura Strickland</i>
<i>Feb. 19:</i>	<i>Raquel Fernandez</i>
<i>Feb. 26:</i>	<i>Tami Pothoven</i>

Fellowship Snacks

<u>Next Week - Feb. 19:</u> <i>Gail Chang</i> <i>Eva White</i> <i>Tami Pothoven</i> <i>Carol Moberg</i>	<u>Feb. 26:</u> <i>Marsha Craig</i> <i>Jackie Toenes</i> <i>Karen Collins</i> <i>Randa Gravanti</i>
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