

Deacon of the Month

Jack Crump

Jack was born and raised and still resides here in Paris. He, along with his parents, his brother, and three sisters, began attending Central Baptist Church in the early 1960's. He graduated from Paris High School in 1974 after which he began residential construction which he continues in today. He has been very happily married to Kim for 28 years. They have five children. Neil, Crimson and David Lauria (Cassidy and Kyra), Nikki (Braylon), Sam and Alyssa (Bryson and Travis), Kayla and Ryan Claypool (Rhett). He loves Jesus, his family, his church, music, and sports. He was ordained as deacon on May 21st of this year. One of his favorite Bible verses is Colossians 3: 23.

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Messenger

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Music Makers,

You are all stars! Thank you for all the hard work and great attitudes! The flowers are beautiful. I also thank your parents, Jake & Mickey Ballard, Frank Arcari and Leslie Morris. *Treasure Island* was so special because of you all!

Love, Kathy Kenimer

Dear Central Baptist Family,

Thank you for all the cards, calls & visits at the funeral home. A special thanks to Pastor Steven and Mickey for your visits before and after Linda's passing away.

Each and every one of you mean so very much to us.

Thanks for your support.

In Christian Love,

Ann & Ed Fitzpatrick

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Vacation Bible School

June 4th – 8th

6-8:30 PM

**BLOCK PARTY JUNE 3RD
4-6 PM IN OUR PARKING LOT**



In their book *The Resolution for Men*, authors Stephen Kendrick and Alex Kendrick suggest that in order for fathers to “have their children’s hearts” and cultivate a loving, healthy relationship with them, they must commit to giving their children their *attention, affirmation, and affection*. This relatively simple fathering strategy, if applied, can reassure children they are loved and valued in the eyes of their fathers.

Fathers are given great responsibility in the Bible. In Ephesians 6:4, Paul gives specific instructions to fathers, especially those with children at home: “Fathers, do not provoke your children to anger, but bring them up in the discipline and instruction of the Lord.” Fathers must carefully avoid actions or words that needlessly incite the anger of their children. Sometimes fathers must say hard, truthful things to their children (which may make them angry), but Paul’s admonition to “speak the truth in love” (Ephesians 4:15) applies in these cases. As the old adage goes, “it’s not what you said but how you said it” is true and relates to Paul’s point in Ephesians 6:4. Fathers, let us speak and act in ways that are loving towards our children, even when discipline is needed.

Paul’s exhortation to “...bring them up in the discipline and instruction of the Lord” also adds to the responsibility of fathers. Fathers play an important role in the spiritual development and maturity of their children. As fathers, we must strive to model what it means to follow Jesus and pray that our children will one day follow Jesus, as well. If our children already follow Jesus, we are, biblically speaking, given the task of shepherding them and encouraging them to grow in their commitment to Him. The word “instruction” implies we are to teach our

children, with our words and our lives, how to follow Jesus—a big task, by any measure.

Father’s Day is near which affords us the opportunity to honor, appreciate, or remember the man we call “father.” His influence has likely been significant and we would do well to express our gratitude for his role in our life. If the mention of “father” brings a sad or sour taste to your mouth, remember your Heavenly Father, who demonstrated His love for you by giving Jesus to rescue you from your sin. No greater gift of love can be found in the pages of history.

We’ll be returning from vacation in Gulf Shores shortly after you receive this newsletter. Thank you for the time away and we look forward to worshiping with you on Sunday.

Thank you for allowing me to serve you,
Pastor Steven

Brazil Team News:

CBC will be sending a team to partner with AJ and Barb Hensley from June 25-July 4 in Caraguatatuba, Brazil. The following people are going: Jason Patrick, Jim Leigh, Daniel Langfels, Rodney Dotson, Cam Kenimer, Steven Scherer, John Scherer (Kennett, MO), and Steve Morris (Winchester, KY). Please be in prayer for these men as they travel and serve in Brazil

Items Needed for Brazil

There are a variety of items the Brazil team hopes to take to Brazil. If you would like to help provide some of these items, please see the list at the Registration Center across from the church office.

Brazil Fundraiser

The Brazil team will host a fundraiser at The Rock on Monday, June 19th from 6-9 PM. All tips plus a percentage of food purchased will help provide funds for projects to be done while in Brazil.



MUSIC NOTES

VBS BLOCK PARTY

June 3, 4:00 – 6:00

After having nearly 400 people at the Easter Egg-stravaganza, we are expecting nearly 600 folks at the VBS Block Party! How can you be a part?

Prepare sandwiches, Bake cookies/brownies,
Serve food/drinks, Monitor inflatables
Setup/clean up, Block party registration, VBS
registration, meet and greet guests

If you are assisting in the operation of this event, please be at the church no later than 2:30 that afternoon.

KY Baptist All-State Youth Choir and Orchestra

June 18-25

Mickey and Sue Ellen will serve as co-conductors for the choir again this year. Our students participating this year are Emily Cox and Jake Ballard. Please be in prayer for them as they minister through music that week.

Boomers and Seniors Daytrip

Thursday, June 22

OKLAHOMA!

Kincaid will transport audiences to turn of the century Western Indian Territory. Here feuding farmers and cowboys join together to triumphantly declare their new state, OKLAHOMA! Please see Utevia Decker for more information.

Cost is \$10 for show ticket (plus the cost of your meal at Leono’s Pizza in Cynthiana)

The deadline to register and make payment is Sunday, June 18

June 2017

HAPPY
FATHER'S
Day!

Have a
Great
Summer!

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
4 6-8:30 PM VBS	5 6-8:30 PM VBS	6 6-8:30 PM VBS	7 11 AM Staff Meeting 6-8:30 PM VBS	8 6-8:30 PM VBS	9	10
11 No Evening Services	12 Youth Camp	13 Youth Camp	14 11 AM Staff Meeting 6:30 PM Business Meeting Youth Camp	15 Youth Camp	16 Youth Camp	17 9 AM Sew Blessed
18 Father's Day	19 6-9 PM Brazil Mission Team Fundraiser @ The Rock	20 2:00 PM Current Missions KBC All State Youth Choir 18th—15th	21 11 AM Staff Meeting 1 PM Mamie Willmott	22 Boomers & Seniors To Falmouth Kincaid Regional Theatre & Leon's Pizza for lunch	23	24
25	26	27  Newsletter	28 11 AM Staff Meeting	29 11:30 AM Boomers & Seniors quarterly luncheon Potluck lunch at the property	30	
			Brazil Mission Trip June 25th—July 4th			

Our Ministries Opportunities

Sunday:
8:30 AM – Worship
9:30 AM – Sunday School for ALL Ages
10:45 AM – Worship and Children's Church (K-Grade 5)
6:00 PM – REV 3 Ministries (Youth)
6:30 PM – Worship Service

Tuesday:
2:00 PM – Visitation Ministry

Third Tuesday of the Month
2:00 PM – Current Missions

Wednesday:
6:30 PM – REV 3 Ministries (Youth)
6:30 PM – Prayer Meeting
6:30 PM – Mission Friends

Third Wednesday of the Month:
1:00 PM – Mamie Willmott

Third Saturday of the Month:
9:00 AM – Sew Blessed

Boomers and Seniors Quarterly Luncheon

Thursday, June 29

Join us at the church property at 11:30 for a potluck picnic. The church will provide fried chicken strips, iced tea, and homemade ice cream; you provide your favorite side dishes.

Fall Jubilee

In response to high demand, we will again venture to Gatlinburg for the Fall Jubilee to be held September 18-20. The cost of the trip is \$199 per person based on double occupancy plus the cost of meals. You must sign up and make an initial payment of \$100 no later than June 25.

Music Library Work Day

Tuesday, June 13

9:30-12:00 and 1:30-4:00

There is a large amount of cleanup and organization which needs to take place in the music library at church. Any and all help will be greatly appreciated as we pull music, prepare for resale, place in file boxes, stamp/label/number the music, and organize the room! Though not necessary for the task at hand, if you have a notebook computer with MS Excel installed, please bring it with you.

Worship Choir rehearsals resume Wednesday, July 5 at 7:30.

Thank you for the many cards, texts, emails, Facebook posts, and other expressions of love you have shown me and my family in the death of my father. I am especially grateful for Ernie Trosper and John Combs Buchanan, Curtis Kenimer, Michelle Young, and Jason "Bubba" Stewart making it possible for me to leave town knowing that you were in good hands. Words could never express the depth of my appreciation for all of you. Thank you doesn't seem adequate, but it is heartfelt and true.



Jonny's Corner

Now that summer is here, school is out, there is a very busy next few months. As it is every summer, there are camps, events, Vacation Bible School, and other activities that are approaching throughout the summer. I encourage everyone to get involved in a ministry this summer. The reason why the church is able to get the gospel out into the community is due to many of these activities that allow us to come in contact with people throughout Paris.

June 4th-8th is Vacation Bible School, while we have all the necessary positions filled with volunteers, there is always a need for volunteers to fill in spots where needed. We can never have too many volunteers for VBS. If you were unable to make it to the VBS meeting on May 28, it is okay, just show up the evening of the 4th and I can find somewhere for you to help. We are hoping to make this a VBS the kids will not forget. Registration is already available and the ages are preschool through 5th grade. Parents please remember that preschoolers need to have completed a year of preschool, not going into preschool. The nursery will be open for children of the workers if needed. If there are any questions, please feel free to contact the church office or Jonathan Graves.

Be praying for the youth and chaperones that will be heading to Ridgecrest, North Carolina for Mission Fuge. This camp is from June 12-16, I know that many of our students will have their lives changed by this camp but also the chaperones as well. Please keep this ministry in your prayers, it is going to be a busy summer for them and we are eager to see how God is going to use these students in our church and in the community of Paris.

Children's Camp at Cedarmore in Bagdad, KY is July 27th -30th. Parents of children going, please make sure you get online to register your child for camp. This is another great camp that allows our children to grow in their own personal relationship with Christ and as a group.

Please be in prayer for the chaperones and all the children that are heading to Cedarmore.

There is a mission opportunity in the community of Inez Kentucky in July. The week of July 10th a team of students and adults from Central will be heading to Inez to work in the community and share the gospel. This is a great opportunity for all to be an active member of the body of Christ. Anyone may go on this mission trip and it is well worth it. If you are interested in going please sign up at the registration table in the foyer. If you have any questions, please contact the church office, Bill Sprinkle, Vicky Fleming, or Jonathan Graves.

As everyone can see, it is going to be a busy summer. This does not include other smaller events that will be going on through the summer in both Student and Children ministries. If you have any questions about what is going on in any of the ministries please contact the church office, or Jonathan Graves.

"And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age." (Matthew 28:18-20, ESV)

Jonny

Sunday School Class

Jim Pry will be teaching a 10-12 week class on "Revelation, Inspiration, and Scripture." The class will meet in the Seekers classroom (downstairs in Room 100) and all are welcome to attend. See Jim Pry for more information.

Average Attendance & Giving Report for May

Sunday School 188 Worship 293
Monthly Budget Requirement \$34,712
April Budget Giving \$34,081.60