

Church Family,
Thank you for your cards, food and prayers after my knee injury. A special thank you to the Women's Ministry for the delicious casserole and the <u>best bread!</u>

Thank you all!

Love, Judy Horne

Toy Store 2022

The month of June is for 6-year-old and 8-year-old girls. You can also make monetary donations at any time.

Average Giving Report through May Year to Date Budget Giving \$145,896 Year to Date Budget Required \$156,504 Budget Shortfall \$10,608

> Julia Woodard CBC Goal \$600

Trustee Capital Campaign for church repairs

At the April 13th Business Meeting the Trustees instituted a capital campaign to cover repair costs to our church building. To contribute toward the capital campaign, you can make a check out to CBC.

Collected \$9,605.01

May 2022

Average Sunday School 102 Average Worship 176

Central Baptist Welcomes New Members

Charlie McCann (February) Nathaniel Garza (April) Dixie & Sheilda Pinkston (May)

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June 1, 2022



We serve a great God! He is in our midst and working through many of you. We have had some wonderful worship experiences lately. I personally want to thank each of you who work behind the scenes, cleaning, prepping, creating bulletins and slide presentations, checking HVAC units and plumbing. Then there are all those who participate in some form of leadership in the worship services, instrumentalists, vocalists, deacons reading scripture and praying. And of course, the tech people keeping the sound, presentation

slides, cameras, and all parts of the service running smoothly. While Bro. Mickey and I may hold the most stage time, a worship service involves many people including you, in the pews, joining in spirit, creating worship for our God.

God is blessing our services and your lives for participating. I hear comments and testimonies each week and I am grateful to serve alongside you. We have witnessed two baptisms and two others come to join our fellowship in recent weeks. Still there is more to come. I am excited for what God is doing. Let us continue to unite together as one in Christ allowing Him to accomplish His desired work through us.

We are halfway through our Bible study *Return to Me*. While it is both challenging and toe-stomping I for one am grateful for both. My eyes are being opened to what God desires of me and what course of action is required for me to be ALL IN with Him, fully surrendered to His will.

I look forward to hearing more of your responses and how God has been speaking to you through this study. What commitments have you made? What changes has God revealed to you in your personal life? We will be having a celebration service for our completion of *Return to Me* on Sunday evening, June 26. Watch for more details and prepare to share your story that evening — or before. In fact, don't wait! Encourage someone today by telling how God is challenging you and how you know He is/will be growing you through this time and study.

Let us grow together in Christ and build each other up so there are no stumbling blocks in front of Central Baptist Church. I am so blessed to be serving alongside you on this leg of life's journey!

In His Name, Pastor George



MICKEY'S MUSINGS

MUSIC MAKERS

On May 1, the musical, "The Lions, The Switch, and The Warm Robes" was presented during the morning service. If you missed it, you really missed it. Thanks to our Worship Media Team, you can view the musical from the church's Facebook page.

Parents, please return your child's 3-ring binder to the church. We will remove the materials from inside and prepare the binders for the fall semester.

A Word of Thanks is extended to Leslie Morris for her leadership this past semester. We also owe thanks to the adults who assisted her: Sue Ellen Ballard, Sharon Berry, and Melinda Biddle. Thank you, ladies, for investing in the lives of our children and nurturing not only their musical development, but their spiritual as well.

LUNCH BUNCH

...will meet to eat on the 2nd Tuesday of every month.

 Tuesday, June 7: Windy Corner Market at 4595 Bryan Station Road in Lexington NOTE: We will meet at the church at 11:00 and ride together. Tuesday, July 12: Chick-Fil-A at 295 W New Circle Road in Lexington NOTE: We will meet at the church at 11:00 and ride together.

QUARTERLY LUNCHEON is being replaced by the church-wide Independence Celebration Picnic at the property on June 30 at 6:00 pm

INDEPENDENCE CELEBRATION PICNIC

Thursday, June 30 | 6:00 pm Chicken Strips and Ice Cream will be provided; please bring a side dish to share. Special Guest, Denver Bierman will present an evening of patriotic music for the celebration.

FLAG DISPLAY

Have you seen the flag display at the entrance to the sanctuary? Kudos to our deacons for their thankfulness to God for the good gift of government and for honoring the many who defend and have defended our freedom both at home and abroad. May God receive the glory as we honor those who have answered the call to service.



Hello Church Family,

It is hard to believe that June is already here, schools are out for the summer, and things are busy with upcoming church events. This summer is full of opportunities to fellowship and share the good news of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. There will be many opportunities to serve in church functions and

serve in the community. I also realize that summer is full of activities that keep families busy and that is a good thing. But the church still needs members to be active, not just in words, but also active with their feet. The opportunities we will have this summer to reach the community of Paris will take the involvement of the whole church family. In the Great Commission, Jesus tells his disciples to "GO" and make disciples, that command has not changed. Even today, that same command that Jesus gave in the Great Commission to His disciples still stands. As followers of Christ we are to be active with both our tongue and feet, sharing the good news of Jesus Christ.

Vacation Bible School (VBS) starts June 5th and goes through the 9th, 6:00pm to 8:30pm. This is a great opportunity to be involved in a ministry that can have a huge impact on the community. There is always a need for help with VBS. If you are interested in becoming involved in VBS, please contact me at the church, or sign up on the board next to my office.

Another event that is happening in June is Youth Camp. This can easily be a life changing event for many students. This year the students are heading to St. Louis, Missouri for Mission Fuge Camp. While there, the students will be serving in the surrounding community in various ways. They could be serving in homeless shelters, spending time with kids in a rec center, yardwork, painting, and participating in local VBS during that week. Camp is June 20-24, so be in prayer for our students, pray that Christ allows their hands and feet to be an example of Him to others. Pray for all of our safety and that lives will be changed and souls will be saved. I would like to thank everyone who donated to help with the cost of camp, and for all the prayers for this group. If you would

like to still donate to student ministry please do, it will always be used to help in student ministry.

Enjoy the summer with friends and family, and I pray that everyone has an amazing summer. But your church family still needs your participation to help with summer events. Please pray about it and do not hesitate to ask how you can be involved in the ministries of CBC.

God Bless, Jonny

Pastor Search Committee Update

The Pastor Search Committee has posted our search for a pastor with all of the Southern Baptist Convention (SBC) Seminaries, the SBC home office, Kentucky Baptist Convention (KBC), Clear Creek Bible College and all of the SBC agencies in the surrounding states. We have received over 50 resumes and will continue to receive resumes through the end of June. This week, we are going to start looking at the resumes we have received and would greatly appreciate your prayer support as we start this process.

Please pray for our Pastor Search Committee:

The committee consists of the following people: Frank Arcari, Alyssa Crump (Prayer Coordinator), Curtis Kenimer (Chairman), Jill Maynard (Vice Chairman), Glenn Mackie, Lydia Sosby (Secretary) and Michael Swearingen.

Also pray for the man that God is leading to CBC.

WMU Mission Moments

Have you ever said, I am not a missionary!
God expects all Christians to share His word, help
others and pray, so yes YOU ARE A MISSIONARY! If
you work, go to school, go out to eat, go shopping or
go on vacation, there are always ways to be a
missionary. Stay prepared so when God shows you an
opportunity to share His word you are ready.

Reminder Life House Pregnancy Ministry:

- 1. Baby Bottle Blessing due on or before June 19th.
- 2. Donations of diapers, wipes, children's clothing up to size 4 is an ongoing opportunity.
- 3. Pray!

Willing Hands Quilters have dismissed for the summer. We will resume work in September.

Sisters in Christ

All ladies are invited to Sisters in Christ. We will be meeting June 4^{th} at CBC in our Fellowship Hall from 11 AM - 1 PM.



Pre-K thru Grade 5



JUNE 2022



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Our Ministry Opportunities

Sunday:

9:30 AM - Sunday School for ALL Ages 10:45 AM - Worship Service 6:00 PM - REV 3 Ministries (Youth)

Wednesday: 6:30 PM - Prayer Meeting 7:30 PM - Choir Practice

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