



To the entire church family, I wish to express my deepest gratitude for their prayers and support during Alice's hospitalization and passing. Her Thursday Bible study group were true prayer warriors for her. Special thanks to Holli Hatmaker and her helpers for a wonderful bereavement meal.

In God's love,  
Carl Holoch

**Through month of February 2026-February 8 no  
Sunday School**  
Average Sunday School 124 Average Worship 164  
– both in person and online worship

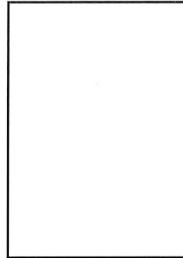
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*March 1, 2026*

**“What a glorious thing it  
is to be a co-worker with  
God in winning the world  
for Christ.”**

**- Annie Armstrong**



Pastor  
Joshua's  
Notes

As we as a church embark on our bible study  
“The Doctrine of Repentance” by Thomas Watson.  
We should take time to study and understand what it  
means to truly repent.

“Psalm 51 is one of Scripture’s clearest pictures of  
repentance. In this psalm, we see what it looks like to  
come before God without excuses. David does not  
defend himself. Instead, he appeals to God’s mercy  
and faithful love. Because of that, Psalm 51 teaches us  
how confession works in a restored relationship with  
God. The bible provides insight to this moment of  
brokenness in David’s life, we should look at the  
scriptures at a time to help us better understand God’s  
sorrow over sin and true repentance that brings  
forgiveness and peace.”  
- biblestudytoolbox.com

Repentance is more than feeling sorry for what you  
have done. It should include a desire for change  
permanently. David wants more than relief from the  
consequences of his actions. He longs for a clean heart  
and his renewed joy. Because of this, the psalm moves  
from confession to restoration, and then toward  
worship and service.

When we want to truly seek repentance, it should start  
with humility. As we read Psalm 51 David comes  
empty handed know he is trusting in God alone. When  
we repent of our sins, we should not try to shift blame  
on others. When it comes down to it are responsible  
for our own actions and sins towards God.

As we read verses 6–7, David begins to think beyond  
guilt. His reflection on what God desires: truth and  
wisdom. That divine desiring begins to be seen by  
David as a new beginning beyond the failure already  
been acknowledged.

“Repentance is the only plank left us after shipwreck  
to swim to heaven.”  
-Thomas Watson

Joshua Owen  
Pastor of Youth, Children and Families  
Central Baptist Church.

SENIOR ADULT ACTIVITIES



We will be meeting  
March 10<sup>th</sup> at  
Galvin’s in  
Georgetown, KY at  
11:30 AM  
Van leaves the  
church at 10:45.



Hello church family,  
Thank you for loving missions! God has given us His  
Word to share with everyone we meet, whether in  
Paris, the state of Kentucky or around the world.  
Have you ever wondered just what kind of impact  
your small offering has in the grand scheme of God’s  
work? Well, let me tell you it is MASSIVE! Here is a  
report we received from our International Missions  
Board for the year 2025:

Because you prayed and gave  
 1,656 unique people groups were engaged with the  
gospel  
 1,609,869 people heard the gospel message  
 144,964 new believers committed their lives to  
Christ  
 68,828 people followed Jesus in believer’s baptism  
 37,820 leaders were trained to plant new churches

And remember – every single number represents a  
human soul – a life changed forever by the gospel of  
Jesus Christ! Thank YOU! Continue to pray for and  
support the 3,577 missionaries who are serving right  
now, often in difficult and dangerous places.

**March 1-8 is the Week of Prayer for North  
American Missions.**

**Annie Armstrong Easter Offering**

**Goal for Central Baptist Church**

**\$5,000**

MARK YOUR CALENDAR



## Missions and Music!

March 29 at 6:30, in our sanctuary, a new opportunity to worship will be held. Together we will learn more about WMU, our Mission offerings, personally get acquainted with missionaries and how we can better serve and witness! This will be followed by great gospel music featuring Collins and Cox, from the Nicholasville area. Invite your neighbors, friends and families and join us on this very special night.



Blessings,  
Bette Edwards



AWANA meets on Sunday nights at 6 PM. All Children age 3-5<sup>th</sup> grade are encouraged to attend this great program. They will learn to be a Worker Not Ashamed.



Open Every Tuesday of the Month from 11 AM-6 PM.

Dear Church Family,

Fourteen volunteers volunteered 106 plus hours in January. Life House was closed the first Tuesday in February due to snow/ice. On Friday, February 13 a team of Paris Elementary students stopped by to deliver their donation of diapers and baby food. Bourbon County Homemakers held a donation drive for us in February.

Promotions to encourage shoppers to enroll in parenting classes continue. An Easter giveaway activity is planned for March 31st.

Submitted by Life House Board

### Bible Drill

Please have your youth age 4-9<sup>th</sup> grade get involved in this LIFE altering activity. Youth Speakers-10-12<sup>th</sup> grade, scholarship possibilities.

### Willing Hands Quilters

Monday mornings at 9 AM. All are invited to join us.

## HOW CAN I BE SAVED?

We are all sinners by nature and by choice: **Romans 3:23** *For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God. (NIV)*

We receive eternal life as a free gift: **Romans 6:23** *When people sin, they earn what sin pays—death. But God gives his people a free gift—eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord. (NIV)*

God demonstrated His love for us, His enemies: **Roman 5:8** *But Christ died for us while we were still sinners, and by this God showed how much he loves us. (NIV)*

We must trust and surrender to Jesus as Lord: **Romans 10:9-10** *If you openly say, “Jesus is Lord” and believe in your heart that God raised him from death, you will be saved. Yes, we believe in Jesus deep in our hearts, and so we are made right with God. And we openly say that we believe in him, and so we are saved. (NIV)*

Our assurance of salvation through Jesus: **Romans 10:13** *Yes, “everyone who trusts in the Lord will be saved. (NIV)*

A sinner’s prayer for forgiveness:

*“Dear God, I know I’m a sinner, I know my sin deserves to be punished. I believe Christ is the Son of God, who died for me and rose from the grave. I want to turn from my sin and trust Jesus Christ alone as my Savior. Thank You for forgiveness and everlasting life I can now have through faith in Jesus. In Jesus’ name, Amen.”*

# 2026



Sunday      Monday      Tuesday      Wednesday      Thursday      Friday      Saturday

1 6 PM AWANA/ Youth/Prayer Time 6:30 PM Bible Study	2 9 AM Willing Hands Quilters	3 11-6 Life House Ministry	4 10 AM Staff Meeting 6:30 PM Wednesday Night Ministries	5	6	7 Winter Jam
Annie Armstrong Easter Offering for North American Missions CBC Goal \$5,000						
8 6 PM AWANA/ Youth/Prayer Time 6:30 PM Bible Study	9 9 AM Willing Hands Quilters Operation Food Basket 10-12	10 11-6 Life House Ministry 11:30 AM Lunch Bunch-Galvir's in Georgetown, KY	11 10 AM Staff Meeting OFB 10-12 6:30 PM Wednesday Night Ministries	12 Operation Food Basket 6-7 PM	13 Operation Food Basket 10-12	14
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29 AM Service-Lord's Supper 6 PM AWANA 6:30 PM Missions and Mu- sic	30 9 AM Willing Hands Quilters	31 11-6 Life House Ministry				

### Our Ministries Opportunities

**Sunday:**  
 9:30 AM Sunday School for ALL Ages  
 10:45 AM Worship and Children's Church  
 6:00 PM Prayer Time/AWANA/Youth  
 6:30 PM Bible Study  
**Wednesday:**  
 6:30 PM Wednesday Night Ministries all  
 ages/Music Makers

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