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## WORSHIP SERVICE

WELCOME	Rev. Dan Kish
WOMEN'S MINISTRY UPDATE	Amy Spear
CALL TO WORSHIP	Donald Dowdy

### ^HYMN #136 "O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

O for a thousand tongues to sing my great Redeemer's praise,  
The glories of my God and King, the triumphs of his grace!

My gracious Master and my God, assist me to proclaim,  
To spread through all the earth abroad the honors of Thy name.

Jesus, the name that calms my fears,

That bids my sorrows cease,

'Tis music in the sinner's ears, 'tis life and health and peace.

He breaks the power of cancelled sin, He sets the prisoner free;  
His blood can make the foulest clean; His blood availed for me.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING	Jeremy Gaines
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### THE CONFESSION OF FAITH-The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth:  
And in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord; Who was conceived  
by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under  
Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended  
into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He  
ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God, the  
Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick  
and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic  
church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the  
resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

^ GLORIA PATRI – "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."

Those who are able, please stand

### ^ PRAISE SONG "Before the Throne of God Above"

Before the throne of God above  
I have a strong, a perfect plea,  
A great High Priest, whose name is Love  
Who ever lives and pleads for me.  
My name is graven on His hands,  
My name is written on His heart;  
I know that while in heav'n He stands  
No tongue can bid me thence depart.

When Satan tempts me to despair  
And tells me of the guilt within,  
Upward I look, and see Him there  
Who made an end of all my sin.  
Because the sinless Savior died,  
My sinful soul is counted free,  
For God the just is satisfied  
To look on Him and pardon me.

Behold Him there! the risen Lamb!  
My perfect, spotless righteousness,  
The great unchangeable I AM,  
The King of glory and of grace!  
One with Himself, I cannot die;  
My soul is purchased by His blood;  
My life is hid with Christ on high,  
With Christ my Savior and my God.

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### ^ UNISON READING Psalm 86:1-7

Donald Dowdy

"Incline your ear, O LORD, and answer me, for I am poor and  
needy. <sup>2</sup>Preserve my life, for I am godly; save your servant,  
who trusts in you—you are my God. <sup>3</sup>Be gracious to me, O  
Lord, for to you do I cry all the day. <sup>4</sup>Gladden the soul of  
your servant, for to you, O Lord, do I lift up my soul. <sup>5</sup>For you,  
O Lord, are good and forgiving, abounding in steadfast love  
to all who call upon you. <sup>6</sup>Give ear, O LORD, to my prayer;  
listen to my plea for grace. <sup>7</sup>In the day of my trouble I call  
upon you, for you answer me."

### PASTORAL PRAYER

Rev. Dan Kish

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."

### OFFERTORY

^DOXOLOGY 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.

ANTHEM "O Love" Kevin Lay, Cello

SCRIPTURE Ephesians 1:7-10 Pew Bible pg#1159

SERMON "Gratuitous Grace" Rev. Dan Kish

^HYMN#105 "Grace That is Greater Than All Our Sin"

Marvelous grace of our loving Lord,  
Grace that exceeds our sin and our guilt,  
Yonder on Calvary's mount outpoured,  
There where the blood of the Lamb was spilt.

Chorus: Grace, grace, God's grace,  
Grace that will pardon and cleanse within;  
Grace, grace, God's grace,  
Grace that is greater than all our sin.

Dark is the stain that we cannot hide,  
What can avail to wash it away?  
Look! There is flowing a crimson tide;  
Whiter than snow you may be today. [Chorus]

Marvelous, infinite, matchless grace,  
Freely bestowed on all who believe;  
All who are longing to see His face,  
Will you this moment His grace receive? [Chorus]

### BENEDICTION

^ RESPONSE "Go with Us, Lord"

Go with us, Lord, and guide the way through this  
and every coming day, that in your Spirit strong and true  
our lives may be our gift to you.

### POSTLUDE

**First Time Visitors:** If you have an elementary aged child who would like to join us in children's worship, please fill out this brief form so we have your contact info in case of emergency. You only need to do this at your first visit to Central. Thank you.





Today's beautiful flowers  
are given by  
Charlotte and Jimmy Park in  
memory of James Park, Sr.

FROM THE FINANCE COMMITTEE	<i>YTD Budget Needs</i> \$ 118,889.85
<i>Weekly Budget Needs:</i> \$ 23,777.97	<i>YTD Income</i> \$ 95,077.78
<i>Offering Received 2-1-2026</i> \$ 19,797.91	<i>YTD Expenses</i> \$ 69,057.86

#### RESTORATION / RENOVATION

Received	Goal
\$ 452,166.09	\$ 681,322.16

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS - Chris, Lucy, Heylon, Sepi, Vickie, Thomas, Phil Adderley, Deb Adkisson, Mindy Anderson, Willis Atwater, David Barnes, Karrie Beestow, Katherine Berger, family of Bill Bolton, Barry Broom, Dan Brown, Peggy Carroll, Virginia Chmely, Libby Chou, Kathy & Bill Clegg, Wesley Cole, Jeff & Judge Colvin, Creekmore's daughter (Maddy), Becky & Ron Crosby, Bill Crump, Milton Cummings, Nancy Cummings, Kate Daniel, Corine Davis, Susan Davis, Samantha Downs, Sam & Lucia Eidt, Katy Elliott, Claudia Fahrner, Phil Freeze, Vala Fukuzawa, Paula Gattis, Ross and Harriet Grable, Charles Gough, Frank Harbin, Susan Hea, Virginia Heater, Helena Hirschlein, Tara Hunt & family, Randy & Judy Jenkins family in the loss of her father, Kish family, Katherine Lackey, Ruth Lafans, Nancy Lee, Regina Ligon, Mackey Family, Carol Marren, Linda Martin, Rich McDonald, Michele MacQuinn, Jim & Carla Malingowski, Amy Mulvaney, Helen Mulvaney, Tanya Nichols, Dex Nilsson, Marianne Quackenbush, Carina Phillips, Gary Rapp, Marie & Jim Rich, Charlotte Richardson, Matthew Richardson, Nik Rincon, Abe Rush, Sandy Russell, Judith Sabin, Mary Ellen Sandridge, Cynthia Shady, Shep Shady, Benson Skelton, Susan Skelton, Richard Taylor, Christy Thompson, Ray & Sylvia Townsley, Amanda Trippe, safety and security of U.S. Military, Audrey & Larry Vanderhoff, Otis and Betty Vaughn, Jane Walker, Gates Ward, Weber Family, Marietta Webster, Family of Durwood White, Keith Williamson, John Wilson and family, Ryan Willis, George Worley, John Worley, Linda Yates, Sean Young, Missionaries, the leaders of our church, the church staff, college students, and the Sunday School teachers. If you have a prayer request or an update, please email or call the church office.



#### STAFF

Rev. Dan Kish—Assoc. Pastor of Discipleship & Outreach  
Michelle Bauer—Director of Hawthorne Conservatory  
Jeremy Gaines—Director of Music Ministries  
Annie Sentell—Interim Student Ministries Coordinator  
Meagan Kish—Director of Children's Ministries  
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Torie McMillan—Children's Ministry Assistant  
Libby Rankin—Bookkeeper  
Katelyn Smith—Director of Preschool  
Lisa Harris—Administrative Assistant

## THIS WEEK AT CENTRAL

Sun Feb 8	9:30	Sunday School
	10:30	REGULAR Church Service
	5:30	Youth Group—Super Bowl Party
Mon Feb 9	10:00	Adult Bible Study in the Chapel
		<i>Birthday—Sally Park</i>
Wed Feb 11	11:00	Men's Bible Study—in the Cooper House
	6:30	Noa Schwan
Thu Feb 12	10:00	Ladies Bible Study
	11:30	PrimeTimer's Luncheon
Sat Feb 14		Happy Valentine's Day!
		<i>Birthday—Jennifer Cash</i>
Sun Feb 15	9:30	Sunday School
	10:30	REGULAR Church Service—Lord's Supper
	5:30	Youth Group
		<i>Birthday—Deborah Smith</i>

#### SESSION

Rev. Dan Kish

Class of 2026	Class of 2027	Class of 2028
David Cummings	Carleton Smith	Jennifer Cash
Bo Emerson	Brian Spear	Jim Malingowski
Sarah Rich	Mary E. Comulada	Ben McArthur

*Is any among you sick? Let him call for the elders of the church, and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord. And the prayer of faith will save the sick. And the Lord will raise him up, and if he has committed sins, he will be forgiven. James 5: 14-15*

#### DEACONS

Class of 2026	Class of 2027	Class of 2028
Cynthia Lill	Stephanie Crossley	Jody Bridges
Jeff Skinner	Emma Goebel	Stephanie Sandwell
Jody Creekmore	Christy Heater	Glenn Smith

#### TRUSTEES

Class of 2026	Class of 2027	Class of 2028
John Newton	Bill Collins	Fred Coffey



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# CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



February 8, 2026

"I was glad when they said to me, Let us go to the house of the LORD!" Psalm 122:1