

CENTRAL CHURCH OF CHRIST



GIVING A REASON FOR
THE HOPE WITHIN

hope & truth

THE WORD OF GOD GIVES HOPE

SEPTEMBER 07, 2025



WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE

WHETHER YOU'RE VISITING OR A REGULAR,
WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE! WE PRAY TODAY'S
WORSHIP ENCOURAGES YOUR HEART AND
STRENGTHENS YOUR FAITH.

**"BUT SANCTIFY THE LORD GOD IN YOUR HEARTS, AND
ALWAYS BE READY TO GIVE A DEFENSE TO EVERYONE
WHO ASKS YOU A REASON FOR THE HOPE THAT IS IN
YOU, WITH MEEKNESS AND FEAR" (1 PETER 3:15, NKJV)**

FAMILIES WITH YOUNG CHILDREN

WE OFFER **WEE WORSHIP** FOR CHILDREN AGES
2-7 DURING THE SERMON & **NURSERY CARE**
FOR BABIES AND TODDLERS. RESTROOMS ARE
LOCATED IN THE MAIN HALLWAY.

CONNECT WITH US

WHETHER YOU'RE A FIRST-TIME GUEST OR A
REGULAR MEMBER, WE'D LOVE TO KNOW
YOU'RE HERE! HERE ARE SOME OPTIONS:

TEXT "**CHECK IN**" TO **706-278-8051**

FILL OUT A **CONNECT CARD** (BACK OF SEAT)



SCAN THE **QR CODE** TO FILL OUT
OUR DIGITAL CONNECT CARD

[CCOCDALTON.ORG/CONNECT-CARD](https://ccocdalton.org/connect-card)

ORDER OF SERVICE

SEPTEMBER 07, 2025

Call to Worship	Nathan Bennett
<i>God Is So Good</i>	Ross Jordan
<i>Thy Word</i>	Ross Jordan
Prayer	Dean Baker
<i>An Empty Mansion</i>	Ross Jordan
Welcome	Jeremy & Noah
<i>At Calvary</i>	Ross Jordan
Communion Prayers	Darrell Edwards
<i>Rise & Shine & Give God...</i>	Ross Jordan
Children's Chat	Josh & Aidan
Scripture Reading - Luke 4:16-21	Noah Robinson
<i>Our God, He Is Alive</i>	Ross Jordan
Sermon	Shane Robinson
<i>Amazing Grace, My Chains Are...</i>	Ross Jordan
Shepherd's Moment	Frank Brown
<i>Soon And Very Soon</i>	Ross Jordan
Closing Prayer	Scott Shepherd

Greeters

James Dick, Marlene Brown, Tony & Yvonne Coley

Nursery Attendants

Jennifer & Sophie Robinson

Wee Worship

Amanda & Grace Shannon, Hannah Kresser & Noah

Serve Communion in September

T. Coley, R. Milburn, M. Sane, C. Goble, N. Bennett,
L. Martinez, R. Stanley, J. Cook

LESSON OUTLINE

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THE WORD OF GOD GIVES HOPE

THE BIBLE REVEALS HOPE

- Biblical hope is not wishful thinking, but rooted in God's _____ character (Num. 23:19; Tit. 1:2).
- Hope is the _____ expectation that God will do what He has promised (Jos. 21:43-45; 1 Kgs. 8:56).
- By trusting God's unchanging word over our ever-changing world, we discover the _____ hope it gave God's people before us (Lam. 3:21-24; Ps. 119:49-50, 81).

THE BIBLE REDIRECTS HOPE

- The world's hope is _____ to what is seen and temporary (Ps. 20:7; 2 Cor. 4:16-18).
- Scripture calls us to _____ our confidence where the world never looks (Col. 3:1-4; Heb. 11:13-16).
- True Christian hope _____ us to an inheritance that is incorruptible, undefiled, and does not fade away (1 Pet. 1:3-5; Phil. 3:20-21).

THE BIBLE RESTORES HOPE

Case study: Luke 4:16-21

- *Hope declared:* God's Word _____ a Savior who would bring good news to those who were broken, oppressed, and hurting (Isa. 61:1-2; Lk. 4:18).
- *Hope delivered:* The hope of God's Word wasn't just read, it was _____ in Jesus (Lk. 4:20-21; Jn. 1:14).
- *Hope discovered:* Jesus' promises then are available _____ to all who come to Him (Mt. 11:28-30; Heb. 13:8).

D I G G I N G D E E P E R

1. Why do you think the Psalms so often tie hope to God's Word (Ps. 119:49-50, 81, 114)?
2. What are some examples of "false hopes" people in our culture chase (Ps. 20:7; 2 Cor. 4:16-18)?
3. Jesus read from Isaiah 61 and declared hope to the hurting. What does this mean to you?
4. If someone asked you this week, "Why do you still have hope in Jesus?" what specific answer from God's Word could you share with them?

classes

STAY AND GROW WITH US

AFTER OUR WORSHIP ASSEMBLY, WE INVITE EVERYONE TO **STICK AROUND FOR BIBLE CLASSES** BEGINNING AROUND 10:50 AM.

CURRENT CLASSES OFFERED:

ADULTS: AUDITORIUM (DIGGING DEEPER)

SENIORS: RM 130 (PRIMETIMERS)

MIDDLE AGE: RM 134 (INBETWEENERS)

YOUNG ADULTS: RM 132 (PATHFINDERS)

COUPLES: RM 131 (YOUNG MARRIED)

COLLEGE: RM 133 (WAYFINDERS)

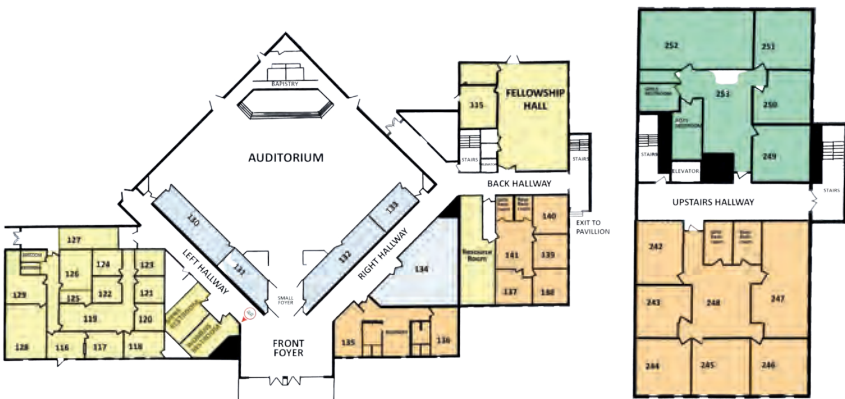
TEENS: RM 250 (CENTRAL YOUTH GROUP)

ELEMENTARY: RM 248 (CENTRAL KIDS)

PRE K: RM 141 (NEAR FELLOWSHIP HALL)

CRADLE ROLL: RM 135 (IN NURSERY AREA)

BUILDING LAYOUT





U P C O M I N G E V E N T S

LADIES RETREAT - SEPT. 5-7

FALL LIFE GROUPS BEGIN - SAT, SEPT. 13

A. SHEPHERD BRIDAL SHOWER - SUN, SEPT. 14 @ 4 PM

ELDER INSTALLATION SERVICE - SUN, OCT. 5

CONGREGATIONAL FELLOWSHIP MEAL - SUN, OCT 5

MENS RETREAT - OCT. 9-12

BLOOD DRIVE - WED, OCT. 22

BOO BASH - SUN, OCT. 26 @ 4:30 PM

O N G O I N G E V E N T S

AM WORSHIP - SUN @ 9:30 AM

SUNDAY BIBLE CLASSES - AFTER WORSHIP (10:50 AM)

LADIES BIBLE CLASS - TUES @ 10:30 AM (RM 134)

FOOD & CLOTHING - TUES & THURS 10 AM - 12 PM

WED NIGHT MEAL - WED @ 5:45 PM (FELLOWSHIP HALL)

WED BIBLE STUDY - WED @ 6:30 PM (ALL AGES)

LIFE GROUPS - VARIOUS TIMES & LOCATIONS

C E N T R A L C H U R C H O F C H R I S T

515 NORTH TIBBS ROAD
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706-278-8051

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Scripture

R E A D I N G

LUKE 4:16-21

"So He came to Nazareth, where He had been brought up. And as His custom was, He went into the synagogue on the Sabbath day, and stood up to read. And He was handed the book of the prophet Isaiah. And when He had opened the book, He found the place where it was written: "The Spirit of the Lord is upon Me, Because He has anointed Me To preach the gospel to the poor; He has sent Me to heal the brokenhearted, To proclaim liberty to the captives And recovery of sight to the blind, To set at liberty those who are oppressed; To proclaim the acceptable year of the Lord." Then He closed the book, and gave it back to the attendant and sat down. And the eyes of all who were in the synagogue were fixed on Him. And He began to say to them, "Today this Scripture is fulfilled in your hearing."" (Luke 4:16-21, NKJV)

The New King James Version. Thomas Nelson, 1982.