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A Worship Services

Rise & Shine Drive-In Worship – 8:30 AM (Tune to 93.5 FM)

Centered Contemporary Worship – 9:00 AM (Christian Fellowship Center)

Traditional Worship Service – 11:10 AM (Sanctuary)

All services are streamed live on Facebook and YouTube.

ORDER OF SERVICE 9:00 AM

WELCOME

OPENING PRAYER

PASTOR APPRECIATION

CALL TO WORSHIP SONG

"The Lion and the Lamb"

PRAISE AND WORSHIP SONG

"Holy Forever/Agnus Dei"

MEET & GREET A NEIGHBOR

(CHILDREN MEET AT THE BACK OF CFC FOR CHILDREN'S CHURCH)

Volunteerts = Byerly/Lynlee

WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING SONG

"God You're So Good"

MORNING MOVIE

MESSAGE

Revelation 19:1-10 ... The Bride of Christ

INVITATION

SENDING SONG

"O Come to the Altar"

CLOSING PRAYER

BENEDICTION

ORDER OF SERVICE 11:10am

WELCOME		JENNIFER BRINKLEY
PRAYER		
PASTOR APPRECIATION RECOGNITION		JEFF MENDENHALL
REGISTRATION OF ATTENDANCE		
PREPARE OUR HEARTS	"THE HEART OF WORSHIP"	BRENDA
TROUTMAN		
PRESENTATION OF THE LIGHT OF CHRIST		RYDER TIDWELL
THE GIFT OF GOD'S HOLY WORD		RIVER TIDWELL
HYMN OF PRAISE	"GLORIFY THY NAME"	P 9VS. 1,2,3
	"MAJESTY"	P 10
VOICES OF THE CHILDREN "MAKE A JOYFUL NOISE UNTO THE LORD"		
CHILDREN'S MOMENT		JENNIFER BRINKLEY
	CI	HILDRENS CHURCH - JO STONE
MORNING PRAYER		PASTOR WILSON
GIVING OF TITHES/OFFERINGS		
MESSAGE IN SONG	"SURELY THE PRESENCE"	CHANCEL CHOIR
*RECEIVING THE OFFERING	"THANK YOU LORD"	
*HYMN	"OPEN MY EYES"	P 633 VS.1,2
*READING OF THE WORD		PASTOR MITCH
PREACHING OF THE WORD	THE BRIDE OF CHRIST	PASTOR MITCH
*HYMNS OF COMMITMENT	"I MUST TELL JESUS"	P 636 VS. 1,2
*BENEDICTION and BLESSING		PASTOR MITCH
*CONGREGATION STANDS		

TODAY — October 12

The alter flowers are placed today in honor of Katlyn Leonard's 13th birthday on October 8th. We love you, mommy, daddy and sissy

- Infant Baptism Class 10am Library
- Administrative Board Meeting 4:00 PM

(Fellowship Hall)

All are welcome. Board members are encouraged to attend.

Candy Needed for Boo Bash!

Drop candy donations in hallway boxes.

Pastor Appreciation Sunday

Let's show our love and gratitude to

Pastor Mitch and Kaitlyn for their ministry!

Stay Connected
Scan the QR code to
access our ChurchTrac
Main Page for event info,
giving, and updates.



J<u>OY & JAM Fall Field Trip</u> – Alpha Omega Corn

Maze

Our JOY and JAM Kids will be heading to Alpha Omega Corn Maze for their fall field trip! We leave to after the Children sing in the 11:10 service.

Please RSVP so we can plan for transportation:

- Deena Tolley: 336-239-0844
- Angie Leonard: 336-250-7033

We'll provide an Uncrustable for the ride as a snack.

Each child should bring money for food, extra activities, or a pumpkin to take home.

You can view the menu and prices here:

<u>alphaomegacornmaze.com</u>

Announcements

TUESDAYS

American Heritage Girls (AHG) – 6:15 PM (Upstairs)
 A faith-based scouting program for girls.
 Troop Coordinator: Evie Brown –
 843-617-0368 | evie1shane@gmail.com
 Girls may be picked up from their room after meeting.

WEDNESDAYS

- Children's Choir 6:30 PM (Sanctuary)
 For all children PreK–6th grade.
 Performs each Sunday at 11:10 AM.
- Chancel Choir 7:00–8:00 PM (Sanctuary)
 Join us as we prepare for the Christmas Cantata!
 "Make a joyful noise unto the Lord!" Psalm 100
- IMPACT Youth (Grades 6–12) 6:00–8:00 PM (P.O.D.)

Weekly youth gathering with worship, devotions, and games.Follow us on Instagram @center.ym

Join the Band App for updates using the QR code or: Upcoming Schedule

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 19

Laity Service Award Presentation – 11:10
 AM Service

Presented by Joe Hollingsworth and Jennifer Brinkley.

 JAM Kids (K5–2nd Grade) – 3:00–5:00 PM (Downstairs Children's Area)

Contact: Angie Leonard - 336-250-7033

 JOY Kids (3rd-5th Grade) - 3:00-5:00 PM (CFC)

Contact: Deena Tolley – 336-239-0844

Green Bean Sunday is October 19!
 We need 423 more cans for the Pastor's Pantry.
 If each member brings 2 cans next Sunday, we can meet this need.



BAND APP

Want to stay connected with Impact Youth?
We are transitioning from the Remind app for communication to the Band app. If you have a rising 6th grader or a 6th-12th grader, please join us on the Band app where you will receive calendar updates, weekly reminders, daily devotions, and more!
https://band.us/n/aca2bfBie2m2k

MONDAY, OCTOBER 20

 Brothers in Christ – 6:30 PM (Cagney's in Midway)

All men are invited for food, fellowship, and encouragement.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 21

- 3rd Annual Hometown Men's Fellowship Event
 - 7:00 PM (RCR Event Center)

Featuring Edward Graham (Samaritan's Purse COO) & Ty Dillon (NASCAR Cup Driver).

Music by Parker Webb & Guilford

Men of Center Church will meet at the church to ride the bus.

Free tickets: <u>itickets.com/events/484165</u>
Doors open at 6 PM; seating limited.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2

- Final Day for Green Bean Donations
 Help us reach our 500-can goal for Pastor's Pantry.
- Veterans Day Info Deadline
 Submit names, branch, rank, years of service,
 and photos to Reida Snyder –
 reidacsnyder4@gmail.com.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 9

 Veterans Day Celebration – 11:10 AM

Honoring our veterans with a processional and slideshow.

Poinsettia Orders Due

- Cost: \$14 each
- Contact: Christine Brinkley
- Limited availability; first requests honored.

Worship & Attendance

Sunday School Attendance (10/5): 102

Worship Attendance (10/5): <u>194</u>

Giving (10/5/2025):

Total Giving: \$6,055.96

Ongoing Announcements

IMPACT Youth Annual Chicken Stew Sale

Our goal this fall is to sell 400 quarts (100 gallons!) of delicious chicken stew.

Proceeds will support our youth mission trip and upcoming winter and summer conferences. Reaching our goal will help reduce costs for parents and make these life-changing experiences more affordable for our youth.

Thank you for your continued support!

Support Our Missionaries

Our missionaries are on the front lines sharing Christ's love. Due to financial shortages, they need our support. Your contributions sustain their work and spread the Gospel.

Young Adult Sunday School Class

Recently graduated or a young adult?

Join us Sundays in the downstairs classroom beside the preschool.

Bring a friend! (Launched October 5 during the campout and outdoor service.)

<u>Toys for Tots</u> - Share Christmas Joy

Help bring joy to the children of Davidson County this Christmas!

How to Give:

- Drop a new, unwrapped toy in a collection box.
- Shop online and ship directly.
- Or scan the QR code—we'll shop for you!

Bulletin Submissions

Deadline: Wednesday each week for inclusion in Sunday's bulletin.

Family Night: The Chosen Bible Study

Wednesdays, October 15 – December 10, 2025 | 6:30 – 8:00 PM - Fellowship Hall Join us for Family Night as we enjoy dinner, fellowship, and a Bible study based on The Chosen series. Together we'll explore the life and ministry of Jesus through Scripture, discussion, and community connection.

- Dinner is provided at 6:30 PM come hungry and bring the whole family!
- Childcare and kids' activities available

OCTOBER EVENTS

<u>Sundays</u>

8:30 AM - Rise & Shine Service (CFC Portico)

9:00 AM - Centered Service (CFC)

11:10 AM - Traditional Worship Service (Sanctuary)

6:00-8:00 PM - IMPACT Youth (POD & CFC)

Monthly on 2nd Sunday: Administrative Board Meeting – 4:00 PM (FH)

Monthly on 3rd Sunday: JOY Kids - 3:00-5:00 PM (CFC) and Bell Practice - 4:00 PM

(Sanctuary)

Mondays

5:00-9:00 PM - Boo Bash Crafting (FH, through Oct 27)

Monthly on 3rd Monday: Brothers in Christ - 6:30 PM (@ Cagney's)

Tuesdays

6:15-8:45 PM - American Heritage Girls (AHG) (FH Upstairs)

Monthly on 2nd Tuesday: Women's Ministry – 6:30 PM (FH)

Monthly on 3rd Tuesday: Threads of Love - 6:00 PM (FH)

Wednesdays

5:00-8:00 PM - Bible Study (FH)

6:00-8:00 PM - IMPACT Youth (POD & CFC)

7:00 PM - Chancel Choir Practice (Sanctuary)

Fridays

Monthly on 3rd Friday: Pie Making – 8:00–10:00 AM (CFC Kitchen)

Saturdays

Monthly on 3rd Saturday: Feed the Homeless - 2:00-6:00 PM (CFC/FH Kitchen)

Special Events & Notes

Oct 12 - Pastor Appreciation Sunday

Oct 19 - FCA Fields of Faith Youth Trip (3:00-10:00 PM)

Oct 20 - Homeless Meal Prep - 3:00-6:00 PM (CFC Kitchen)

Oct 23 - Trunk or Treat Decorating - 5:00 PM (CFC)

Oct 23 - Children's Council Meeting - 6:00 PM (Children's Basement)

Oct 24 - NDHS Football Senior Night (CFC)

Oct 25 - Boo Bash & Trunk or Treat - 6:00 PM (CFC)

Oct 30 - P&G Hot Dog Supper - 5:30-8:30 PM (CFC)

Prayer Requests

Individual Prayer Requests

- Ashley Tennant ongoing healing and strength
- Joey Johnson, son of JC Johnson battling bone cancer
- Hellen Doss recovery from diverticulitis
- Kathy Keepley in hospice care
- Steve Doss battling cancer
- Haley Nifong Porter grieving pregnancy loss at 5 months
- Gayle Nifong comfort following Haley's loss
- Mitch Wilson ongoing health and strength
- Ruby Hege homebound / ongoing care
- Frances Miller homebound / ongoing care
- Clifton Beck battling cancer
- Marleen Wood health issues
- Mike Carlson recovering from shingles
- Jim Middleton recovering from surgery
- Paula Gage battling cancer
- Diane Henderson back trouble, at home
- Leroy Kiger back trouble, at home, cannot drive
- Bud and Jean Sink living in retirement home
- Billy Minter retirement home
- Jimmy Leonard retirement home, Grayson Creek Room 404
- Shirley Jacobs recovering from surgery

General Prayers

- For all homebound and care facility members
- For church leadership and staff: Pastor Mitch Wilson, Kaitlyn Berrier, Annie Hege, Molly Johnson, Josh Berrier
- For community and ministry outreach: Pastor's Pantry, Open Hands Ministry, IMPACT Youth, JAM Kids, and local schools.

Revelation 19:1-10 (CSB)

After this I heard something like the loud voice of a vast multitude in heaven, saying,

Hallelujah!

Salvation, glory, and power belong to our God, because his judgments are true and righteous, because he has judged the notorious prostitute who corrupted the earth with her sexual immorality; and he has avenged the blood of his servants

that was on her hands.

A second time they said,

Hallelujah!

Her smoke ascends forever and ever!

Then the twenty-four elders and the four living creatures fell down and worshiped God, who is seated on the throne, saying,

Amen! Hallelujah!

A voice came from the throne, saying,

Praise our God,

all his servants, and the ones who fear him,

both small and great!

Then I heard something like the voice of a vast multitude, like the sound of cascading waters, and like the rumbling of loud thunder, saying,

Hallelujah, because our Lord God, the Almighty,

reigns!

Let us be glad, rejoice, and give him glory,

because the marriage of the Lamb has come,

and his bride has prepared herself.

She was given fine linen to wear, bright and pure.

For the fine linen represents the righteous acts of the saints.

Then he said to me, "Write: Blessed are those invited to the marriage feast of the Lamb!" He also said to me, "These words of God are true." Then I fell at his feet to worship him, but he said to me, "Don't do that! I am a fellow servant with you and your brothers and sisters who hold firmly to the testimony of Jesus. Worship God, because the testimony of Jesus is the spirit of prophecy."

The Bride of Christ

In Revelation, we see a breathtaking image of the Church as the Bride of Christ—beautifully adorned, pure, and ready for the wedding feast of the Lamb. This passage reminds us that our relationship with Jesus is not distant or formal, but deeply personal and full of love. Just as a bride prepares herself for her groom, we are called to live in faithful devotion, keeping our hearts set on Him.

As we worship today, may we remember that Christ's love for His Church is steadfast and eternal. One day, we will join in that great celebration, clothed not in our own righteousness, but in the grace He has freely given. Let us live in joyful anticipation of that glorious day!