



November Events

November 05-All Saints Day

Board Meeting-12:10pm

Poinsettia Forms being sent out

08-CWF Will Meet-11:00am

19-CLC Meeting-12:10pm

23-Thanksgiving Day

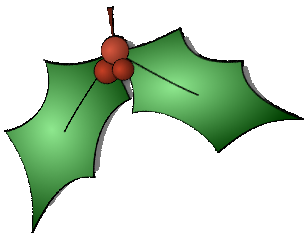
26-Elders Meeting-12:10pm

Decorate for Hanging of the Greens



HANGING OF THE GREENS

It is hard to imagine but that wonderful time of year has come once again when we remember our Lord's first coming to us on this earth as a tiny Babe in a manger. On Sunday, November 26th, we will meet together at 2:00pm to decorate our sanctuary to prepare for that glorious birth. Everyone is invited, young and older, short and tall! There are lots of decorations to go around! I can tell you from experience, you will have a wonderful time being with our youth and watching our church once again take on that special feeling of the wonder that's to come. Of course, to me, this is the time our precious little church is most beautiful and when the service the completed on December 3rd, you can bet I'll be wiping my eyes and thanking God that He let me see it one more time!



From The Desk of Rev. Alicia Burton**Psalm 15 The Message**

A David Psalm

**GOD, who gets invited
to dinner at your place?
How do we get on your guest list?**

**²“Walk straight,
act right,
tell the truth.**

**³⁻⁴“Don’t hurt your friend,
don’t blame your neighbor;
despise the despicable.**

**⁵“Keep your word even when it costs you,
make an honest living,
never take a bribe.
“You’ll never get
blacklisted
if you live like this.”**

As I contemplated my newsletter message this month, the news of the white lives matter march kept coming to mind. There seems to be so much division in our country these days that it is heartbreaking. Yet, there is still great unity. Our spiritual ancestors were fond of saying, Unity, not uniformity.” I am grateful to be a part of a denomination and a country which does not insist that we all have to believe or think in exactly the same way. I believe that David had it right with this Psalm though. As individuals, we want to be invited to dinner at God’s place and how we treat others is really important. I know you believe the same thing.

Grateful to be your pastor,

Alicia

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Prayer Concerns:

Betty Woodward	Charlotte Bell
Jared Thigpen	Betsy Felts
Josh Thigpen	Clay Riggins
Stanley Brown	Dot Woodard
Mike Montgomery	Scott Fulbright



Christian Women's Fellowship

The CWF will meet Wednesday, Nov. 8th, at 11:00pm in the church library. Remember your bibles and blessing box.



JOY TO THE WORLD!

Christmas will be here sooner than you think! National Collection Week for our Operation Christmas Child project will be November 13-20, when we will collect gift-filled shoeboxes at more than 4,700 locations across the United states.

Every shoebox is an opportunity to share the Gospel and celebrate the true meaning of Christmas —the birth of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Since 1993, we have delivered 146 million shoebox gifts to children in need, and as God provides, we hope to reach millions more with these special gifts packed by people like you.. Share the joy of Christmas with hurting children around the world. Brochures are on the table in the Education hall if you would like more information.

November	5	12	19	26
Invitation To Communion	Tom Beesley	Jimmy Calvert	Janie Calvert	Rev. Alicia Burton
Acolyte	Cammie Fulbright	Ava Heusser	Lily Reveyos	Fisher Davis

November

Birthdays:

03-Case Pavloff
Alicia Burton
04-Beth Patterson
09-Sharman Hartson
16-Dina Fowler
08-Gary Dilliha
18-Beth Woodard
19-Hunter Davis
22-Katherine Calvert
25-Joy Patterson
26- Holly Fletcher



ANNIVERSARIES

12-Jimmy & Katherine Calvert
15-Winn & Kathy Woodard
20-Lee & Kathy Dotson



Words can not express how much I appreciate all that was done for me during my recent surgery and recovery time. The phone calls, the beautiful cards, and the awesome food were wonderful. The smiles and laughter helped more than you know to lift my spirits! Thank you all so very much!

Naomi

November Servants

Worship Leader:
Dick Dean

**Preside/Offering/
Serve Communion:**

Dick Dean
Tom Beesley
Susan Calvert-
Rosenberger
Billy Reynolds

**Communion Clean- Up/
Greeter:** Susan Calvert-
Rosenberger

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2017 Poinsettia Order Form
Central Christian Church
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It's time to order Poinsettias for the sanctuary in honor of our loved ones or as gives. If you would like to participate, please complete this form and return to the church office with a check made out to the church before November 22, 2017. Each poinsettia is \$6.50.

Person Ordering Poinsettias: _____

IN HONOR OF: _____ **IN HONOR OF:** _____

IN MEMORY OF: _____

IN MEMORY OF: _____

IN MEMORY OF: _____

IN MEMORY OF: _____

GIVEN AS A GIFT BY: _____

TOTAL NUMBER ORDERED: _____ **TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED:** _____