



If you would like to speak with someone about what you have shared below, please give us your name and contact information on the other side of this Communication Card.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12 - SUNDAY, DECEMBER 13, 2015

## Welcome to the "Central 70"

Lead Pastor: Jeff Wheeler ■ Worship Pastor: Doug Hurt

ANGELS WE HAVE HEARD ON HIGH - Chris Tomlin, JOYFUL, JOYFUL WE ADORE THEE - Ludwig VanBeethoven & Henry VanDyke, YOUR NAME (CHRISTMAS VERSION) - Paul Baloche, SILENT NIGHT - David Crowder, THE FIRST NOEL- Phil Wickham

### TODAY, GOD IS SAYING TO ME

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### CHRISTMAS 2015: "Joy to the World"

Part 1: Luke 2:1-14

Joy is a \_\_\_\_\_ not a \_\_\_\_\_.

Definition: Joy is the unshakeable conviction that despite our circumstances we will experience God's goodness.

Joy and \_\_\_\_\_ can co-exist.

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### MY DECISION

- Today, for the first time, I place my trust in Christ for salvation.
- I choose to recommit my life to Christ.
- I would like to talk to someone about:
  - \_\_\_\_ becoming a Christian
  - \_\_\_\_ being baptized

1. What do I Thessalonians 5:16 and Philippians 4:4 teach us about joy?

### PRAYER REQUESTS & PRAISES

- Prayer Chain or  Confidential

2. What does Galatians 5:22-23 teach us about joy?

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3. What does it teach others when we're consistently joyful?

### CONNECT

- I would like to join an Adult LifeGroup.
- Register me for the next Jump In! class.

Additional notes:

### I'm interested in serving in:

- Children's Ministries
- Student Ministries
- Worship Arts
- Jail Ministries
- Prayer Ministries
- I'm interested in serving as a Greeter!
  - First Impressions Team (circle area of interest)  
Usher, Welcome Center, Valet Parking, Central Perk Café, Greeter, Hospitality
  - Care Ministries (circle area of interest)  
Baptism, Homebound/Hospital Visitation, Communion, Funerals, Marriage Mentoring

**CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICES** – will be held here at Central at 3:00, 4:00, and 5:00 pm, with each service lasting 45 minutes. Child care will be provided at the 4:00 service only, and you will want to arrive early as the doors will be closed right on the hour and will re-open following the first musical selection.

**GIVE 'EM 5** – This weekend, you'll have the opportunity to hear about our December Next Gen in 10 (NG10) partner, CRU CAMPUS (Campus Crusade for Christ). "Give 'Em 5" is our monthly partner strategy to provide an opportunity to Give (suggested \$5 offering), Pray, and Serve. Be sure to stop by the Give 'Em 5 table out in Grand Central to talk with Dusty and Allison Hoffman.

**MISSIONS FUNDRAISER - CUPCAKE SALE** – Stop by Central Perk on Sunday to check out Amanda Trenerry's Oh My Cupcake! fundraiser to support her mission's trip via "The World Race." You can find out more about this exciting venture at [amandatrenerry.theworldrace.org](http://amandatrenerry.theworldrace.org) or better yet, by talking with her face to face!

**CHRISTMAS CAMPS FOR KIDS!** – On Monday, December 28th and Tuesday, December 29th from 9:00 – 11:00 am, kids in grades 2 – 5 can enjoy basketball, art, or jump rope camp! Visit [www.centrlsf.org/christmasbreak](http://www.centrlsf.org/christmasbreak) for more information and to register.

**PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES – Pre-service prayer** is now being held in the PRAYER CHAPEL ten minutes before each service. Please join this elder-led prayer time.

**KIDCENTRAL CHRISTMAS PARTY! - BOXES AVAILABLE AGAIN!** – Children ages 4 years through 5th grade are invited to a giant Christmas Party here at Central on Friday, December 18 from 6:30 – 8:15 pm. Registration is required, so pick up your form at the KidCentral Welcome Desk or at the Info Tower in Grand Central. There will be a decorated cardboard car contest, a "drive in movie," crafts, skits, worship and games – your kids will NOT want to miss this! The deadline to register is this weekend.

**CHRISTMAS INVITE CARDS** – are available as you exit today to share with friends and family!

**YEAR END GIVING** – Please note that according to the IRS tax code, Central Baptist can only apply contributions to your 2015 giving statements that are received in our office or postmarked by midnight December 31, 2015. Contributions may also be dropped off at the church office during business hours.

**THE BANQUET** – We need volunteers to help serve breakfast on Wednesday, December 16 at 6:30 am. If you are able to help out, email [keith.venhuizen@centrlsf.org](mailto:keith.venhuizen@centrlsf.org).



**CENTRAL**  
COMMUNICATION CARD

Saturday, December 12 - Sunday, December 13, 2015

- First time guest
- Update my contact information
- Sign me up for Central email updates
- I wish to speak with a staff member  
*about what I have written on the other side of this Communication Card.*

NAME(S) \_\_\_\_\_

HIS EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

HER EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

HOME ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

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CITY \_\_\_\_\_

STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP CODE \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

HIS CELL \_\_\_\_\_

HER CELL \_\_\_\_\_

MY AGE GROUP:

- College  18-24  25-29  30-39
- 40-49  50-59  60+

NAME AND GRADE/AGE OF CHILDREN AT HOME:

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**ATTENDANCE & STEWARDSHIP**

**Weekend Attendance for  
12/05/15 - 12/06/15**

Saturday Service @ 5:00 pm	487
Sunday Service @ 9:00 am	739
Sunday Service @ 10:30 am	828
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,054</b>

**Ministry & Missions**

WEEKLY INCOME GOAL	\$59,434
ACTUAL INCOME	\$66,120
YTD ACTUAL INCOME	\$1,123,931
YTD BUDGET INCOME	\$1,129,245
YTD INCOME VS EXPENSE 11/30/15	\$356,688