



**WELCOME TO CENTRAL!**

Thank you for joining us for the "Central 70" today - we are so glad you're here!

Last week as we began the "Imperfect Family" sermon series, we said that "God chose our family with our destiny in mind." No family is perfect, because each one is composed of imperfect people - and so there are challenges!

Love is costly, and sometimes we need to determine if we are willing to pay the price. What does sacrificial love look like in the context of family life today? How can we, and should we, demonstrate that kind of love in difficult family circumstances so that we can become like Jesus? Let's find out what God's word has to say!

Grateful for the Central family,

Pastor Jeff

**MOTHER'S DAY OUTREACH BRUNCH**  
 Would you enjoy making a difference in the lives of young/single moms for Mother's Day? We are once again hosting an Outreach Brunch at the downtown Sioux Falls Ministry Center on Saturday morning, May 9th - and we would love to have you involved!

- Opportunities are:
1. Volunteer to prep or serve food
  2. Purchase a HyVee gift card (available each weekend at the Info Tower) and donate it to bless a young mom; we will include it in a complimentary gift bag for each attendee
  3. Donate financially toward the cost of the brunch and the gifts
  4. Coordinate a gift basket donation from your LifeGroup - last year we gave away over 25 beautiful baskets!

You can stop by the **Brunch Outreach Table today in Grand Central**, next to the red KidCentral doors, and let us know how you would like to serve. During the week, email [shirlene.wheeler@centralsf.org](mailto:shirlene.wheeler@centralsf.org).

**FAREWELL RECEPTION**

With heavy hearts, we need to inform you that our Associate Director of Student Ministries, Joshua Duncan's last day of serving at Central is April 29. We will have farewell receptions for Joshua on Saturday, April 25 after the 5 pm service and in between services on Sunday, April 26.

Joshua has served for almost 4 years in Central's student ministry. He's decided to focus his time and energy on finishing his Masters of Divinity/Marriage and Family Counseling degree. To complete his degree, he will pursue counseling internships which require more of his time.

Here is a quote from his resignation letter, "...this is a bittersweet moment, as I feel my time at Central has come to a close. As I have been praying, I sense God is calling me to focus my life in different areas."

Please feel free to contact him with well-wishes and encouragement at [joshua.duncan@centralsf.org](mailto:joshua.duncan@centralsf.org). He will be greatly missed.

**ATTENDANCE & STEWARDSHIP**  
*Weekend of 04/11/15-04/12/15*

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|----------------------------|--------------|
| Saturday Service @ 5:00 pm | 300          |
| Sunday Service @ 9:00 am   | 495          |
| Sunday Service @ 10:30 am  | 803          |
| <b>Total</b>               | <b>1,598</b> |

**MINISTRY & MISSIONS**

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| WEEKLY INCOME GOAL             | \$54,821    |
| ACTUAL INCOME                  | \$136,090   |
| YTD ACTUAL INCOME              | \$2,769,891 |
| YTD BUDGET INCOME              | \$2,521,766 |
| YTD INCOME VS EXPENSE 03/31/15 | \$519,446   |

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**OUR PURPOSE**

We exist to **connect** people to a life that counts for eternity by **building** disciples who **go** and change lives.

**Saturday, April 18 at 5:00 pm**  
**Sunday, April 19 at 9:00 & 10:30 am**

Complete the information below **ONLY** if you are a **first time guest**, need to **update** your contact information, or would like someone to connect with you regarding the "**My Decision**" or "**Central Connections**" sections located on the other side.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

I am a  1st Time Guest  
 Regular Attendee

I would like to receive regular email updates on what is happening at Central.

Email(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Name and grade/age of children at home:

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**My Age Group:**

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

**WORSHIP LEADER**  
 Doug Hurt

**TODAY'S MUSIC**

**Open Up the Heavens**  
 Vertical Church Band

**King Of Heaven**  
 Paul Baloche

**How Great Thou Art**  
 Stuart K. Hine

**Come As You Are**  
 David Crowder



Join us after each service for 5 minutes at the Information Tower to meet Pastor Jeff and a few of our leaders—just look for the signs!



At First Step, pick up an invite to our next newcomers' dessert party at the Wheeler's home (5101 S. Donegal Ave.), Sunday, May 17 at 6:00 pm.



Jump In to the Connection Class on Saturday, April 25 (9 to 11:30 am). Mark your Connection Card or sign up online at [centralsf.org](http://centralsf.org).

**"BUILDING A LEGACY: NEXT GEN IN TEN"**

We hope you've planned to attend this inspiring evening on Sunday, April 19 at 5:30 pm. We'll gather together as a church family to celebrate God's goodness and provision and look forward to what a debt-free Central looks like in terms of ministry and direction.

**THE CENTRAL TEAM IS EXCITED TO CELEBRATE WITH YOU!**

## ENCOURAGING YOUR GROWTH

### 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

### TODAY, GOD IS SAYING TO ME:

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### PRAYER REQUESTS, PRAISES & NOTES

- Prayer Chain or  Confidential

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### CENTRAL CONNECTIONS

- I would like to join an Adult LifeGroup.
- I would like to register for a Jump In Class.

#### I would like to find out more about:

- Children's Ministries
- Student Ministries
- Worship Arts
- Jail Ministries
- Prayer Ministries
- First Impressions (*circle area of interest*)  
Usher, Greeter, Valet Parking, Welcome Center, Central Perk Cafe, Hospitality
- Care Ministries (*circle interests*)  
Baptism, Communion, Funerals, Homebound/Hospital Visitation, Marriage Mentoring (mentoring or being mentored)
- Discovery Ministries

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### FORMAL BUSINESS MEETING

Notice is hereby given that a Formal Business Meeting of the members of Central Baptist Church of Sioux Falls, South Dakota will be held on Sunday, April 26, 2015 immediately following the conclusion of the 2nd worship service.

#### Business to be transacted:

1. To ratify new members to Central.
2. To approve Trustee recommended amendment to the Articles of Incorporation moving the annual fiscal year to August 1 through July 31. *PDF available online.\**
3. To approve Trustee recommended two month extension budget for fiscal year 2014-2015. *PDF available online.\**
4. To approve Elder recommended amendments to By-laws. *PDF available online.\**
5. To transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

\*Go to [centralsf.org/about/financial-information](http://centralsf.org/about/financial-information) to view the PDFs online. A limited number of copies are at the Info Tower in Grand Central.

### JUMP IN! CLASS: APRIL 25 (9 TO 11:30 AM)

This class gives you an opportunity to learn about Central's vision for meaningful worship, service and community, and meets a requirement for church membership. Register today on your Connection Card in the "Central Connections" section or online by clicking the "Connection Steps" banner on [centralsf.org](http://centralsf.org).

### CBPK SUMMER FUN 2015 REGISTRATION

For more information about Central Baptist Preschool & Kindergarten Summer Fun sessions and to register your child, call the CBPK office at 336-2303 or email [melissa.ludens@centralsf.org](mailto:melissa.ludens@centralsf.org).

### "SIOUX-PER SUMMER SERVE" JUNE 14-18

Current 6th-8th graders are invited to be part of this Central summer mission when we will go out in teams to be the hands and feet of Jesus to local charities in our community. Register by April 25 at: <http://bit.ly/SSSregister>.

- **Volunteer Opportunities:** We need team leaders, snack makers, nurses, vehicles, and prayer warriors. If you and/or your LifeGroup can help, contact [chuck.jespersen@centralsf.org](mailto:chuck.jespersen@centralsf.org).

### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL (JUNE 1-4)

VBS is for children age 3 (by June 1 & potty-trained) through students entering 5th grade.

- **To Register:** Click on the Everest VBS web banner at [centralsf.org](http://centralsf.org).
- **We need VBS volunteers:** Sign-up today at the volunteer board located in the children's wing.

### WE LOVE SERVING FAMILIES!

During our worship services, age-appropriate ministry for kids (birth - 5th grade) is available in the KidCentral wing (enter through the red doors in Grand Central). In addition, if you are enjoying the service more than your little one is, our "Cry Zone" provides a comfortable environment with couches, toys, and a live video feed of the worship service. Just follow the signs to your left as you exit the Worship Center.

### DO YOU LOVE TO BE OUTSIDE?

We need personnel to help mow and landscape the campus at Central to keep it looking great! Please contact Tony at 376-1847 for details.

### CONDOLENCES

To Marian Sullivan and family on the death of her brother Donald Peterson.

## CENTRAL CALENDAR

### WORSHIP SERVICES

**Saturday** 5:00 PM  
**Sunday** 9:00 AM & 10:30 AM

### KIDCENTRAL

**BIRTH-GRADE 5**  
Full programming available both Saturday & Sunday

### SUNDAY ADULT COMMUNITIES

**9:00 AM** Koinonia, Hearth Room  
**10:30 AM** Good Samaritan (A101), Shalom (A102), Good Shepherd (WAR), and Friendship (Hearth Room)

### THE GARAGE STUDENT MINISTRIES

**Wednesdays 6:30 to 8:15 pm**  
Middle School: Start in FLC, Garage Area  
High School: Start in Grand Central, Central Perk Café

### LIFEGROUPS: VISIT CENTRALSF.ORG

LifeGroups at Central consist of 8-14 people who gather to connect more deeply with God and with each other. We have many groups that gather weekly or every other week.

### FACILITY KEY

**CMW** Children's Ministry Wing  
**HR** Hearth Room

**FLC** Family Life Center  
**WC** Worship Center

**WAR** Worship Arts Room

