



Message: Nathan Pruett, Outreach Pastor

Worship Set: You're Worthy Of My Praise, Jesus Over Everything, Christ And Christ Crucified, You Are Worthy

### That's a Great Question!

#6 - What Does The Bible Really Say?

\_\_\_\_\_ vs \_\_\_\_\_.

To understand the meaning of any Biblical text you need to look at the \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_.

Proverbs 22:6 -

Jeremiah 29:11 -

Matthew 18:20 -

The Holy Spirit helps us to \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ the Word of God to our lives.

Many of the ideas from today's sermon were found in the STR U course *Never Read a Bible Verse*. If you are interested in digging deeper in your faith, check out [training.str.org](http://training.str.org) and the training courses offered there.

#### INFORMATION & EVENTS | [centralsf.org](http://centralsf.org)

**Live Sent** | Would you like to learn how to have a bigger spiritual impact on your relational world? Join us for Live Sent, Wednesday nights from 5:30-7:30pm starting May 31st through June 28 in the Hearth Room. Visit [centralsf.org/livesent](http://centralsf.org/livesent) to register. If you have questions, please contact Nathan Pruett, Outreach Pastor at [nathan.pruett@centralsf.org](mailto:nathan.pruett@centralsf.org).

**Office Closed** | In observance of Memorial Day, the church office will be closed on Monday, May 29. We will resume regular business hours on Tuesday, May 30.

**Ethiopia Mission Trip** | Do you feel called to serve children in Ethiopia? Central Church will be leading a team over to Ethiopia this summer, July 28-August 6 to lead an English Camp for our ministry partner, Selamta, in the city of Addis Ababa. You do not need to be a teacher or have an educational degree—anyone is welcome! If this information has sparked any interest, reach out to Kendra at [kendra.michael@centralsf.org](mailto:kendra.michael@centralsf.org) for more info.

**Forged** | Join us Friday, June 2 at 6:00 pm for Forged men's ministry gathering at Central Church. We'll have a meal, a challenge from the Word and a time to connect with other men - gonna be a great night! Visit [centralsf.org/mensnight](http://centralsf.org/mensnight) to sign up.

**Downtown Campus is Hiring** | Our Downtown Preschool is hiring for several positions. Visit [centralsf.org/careers](http://centralsf.org/careers) for more details.

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**Griefshare** - is a support group for anyone who has lost a loved one by death and is seeking spiritual and emotional support. Adult family members are welcome. Meetings begin Monday, June 19 from 6:30 to 8:00pm in Room 103 with a special open house on Monday, June 5 in the Conference Room. Visit [centralsf.org/griefshare](https://centralsf.org/griefshare) for details.

**Woven Ministry** - Central's Woven women's ministry helps women build meaningful relationships through Bible study options and small group accountability. Registration is now open and will close on August 6th. Visit [centralsf.org/woven](https://centralsf.org/woven) to register.

**Condolences** - To the family of Marian Sullivan who passed away on May 24. Funeral will be at Central on Wednesday, May 31 at 11 am.

**Congratulations** - To Shaunteva & Josh Pruett on the birth of their son, Leighton on April 12.

## ATTENDANCE & STEWARDSHIP | MAY 20-21, 2023

### Weekend Attendance

SW/DT Attendance	2,968
Kids' Attendance	536
Live Stream/Facebook	1,100
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,604</b>

### Ministry & Missions

Weekly Donations Goal	\$117,526
Actual Donations	\$146,135
YTD Donations Goal	\$4,936,092
YTD Actual Donations	\$6,651,774
YTD Income vs Expense (4/30/23)	\$2,086,701

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## [Click here to fill out our](#) **ONLINE COMMUNICATION CARD**

If you are new, want to sign up for our weekly email, or just need to update your contact information, this is the place to go! Thank you for taking the time to check-in and connect with us.

### PRAYER REQUESTS & PRAISES | [Click here](#)

Prayer is a vital and important part of life at Central. Click the link above to submit your request and know we will be praying for you.

*If you have a **personal or private request** and would like someone from our Central staff to privately reach out to you, email [prayer@centralsf.org](mailto:prayer@centralsf.org).*

### NEW TO CENTRAL? | [Click here](#)

If you're new to Central—Welcome! We can't wait to meet you! Find out how you can connect more deeply at Central by visiting the Welcome Desk, attending the Discover Central lunch, and signing up for the Connection Class.

### MAKE DEEPER CONNECTIONS BY SERVING | [Click here](#)

Another great way to connect with people at Central is by serving in one of our many ministry areas. Email [connectme@centralsf.org](mailto:connectme@centralsf.org) if you would like to find out how you can serve.

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### MY DECISION | [Click here](#)

Did you make a decision for Jesus Christ today? Whether you accepted Him as your Savior, or recommitted your life to Him, it would make us so happy if you shared it with us! Or if you want to talk to someone about becoming a Christian, getting baptized, or becoming a member, email [connectme@centralsf.org](mailto:connectme@centralsf.org).

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