Message: Jeff Wheeler, Lead Pastor

Worship Set: Christ Be Magnified, Goodness Of God, My King Forever

### That's a Great Question!

#11 - Is Climate Change A Thing?

**Global warming**: the gradual increase in the overall temperature of the earth's atmosphere.

**Climate change**: the long-term alteration of temperature and typical weather patterns in a place.

What does the Bible say ab	out climate change?	
1. God created the	to be	
	-Isaia	h 45:18
2. Sin	the	·
	-Romans	
3. God promised to	the	
	-Genesis 8:21-22; Colossiar	15 1:16-1/
4. God controls	for his	·
-Matthew 5:45;	Job 5:10; II Chronicles 7:13-14; Luke 2	21:25-28
5. We are to	for the	·
-Genesis 1	1:26; Deuteronomy 20:19-20; II Peter	3:12-13

# Nothing in life makes sense apart from a knowledge of God:

The fear of the Lord is the **beginning** of **wisdom**; knowledge of the Holy One is **understanding**. -Proverbs 9:10

# **INFORMATION & EVENTS | centralsf.org**

**Regional Services** | This week's service is the Northeast Region, with a different region meeting each Sunday in Oakwood Chapel at 8:30am. Learn more about this opportunity to build community at Central by visiting <a href="mailto:centralsf.org/regional">centralsf.org/regional</a>.

**Office Closed for Independence Day** | The office will be closed on Tuesday, July 4. We'll reopen with our usual hours on July 5.

Backpack Challenge | It's the time of year when the Backpack

- Challenge kicks off at Central! The Backpack Challenge is simple: 1) Pick up a backpack in Grand Central or at the West Entrance on July 8-9 or July 15-16
- 2) Fill it with the items included on the list inside the backpack
- 3) Return it to the church by July 22-23.

We are planning to pack 500+ backpacks this year, so let's see the impact God can make on our community through Central!

**Ministry Scholarships** | College students! Do you intend to enter vocational ministry after you graduate OR are you a student attending Bethel University? Visit <u>centralsf.org/scholarship</u> to apply for a special scholarship. (Deadline is July 9.)

**Reveal Night - July 9** I Join us on Sunday, July 9 at 6:00pm for a night of worship, prayer, and praise. These nights have been POWERFUL, so put it on your calendar, invite a friend, and we'll see you there! Childcare will be provided for ages 5 & under.

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Student Central Summer Nights | Middle school & high school students! We're gathering on July 12, 19, and 26 to reconnect, focus our faith on Jesus, and prepare our hearts for Wednesday night programming in the fall! Visit centralsf.org/info for more info.

Discover Central Lunch | On Sunday, July 23, we're hosting a FREE LUNCH for newcomers looking to get plugged in and meet some of our Central staff and attendees. The event is 12:15pm-1:15pm in the Hearth Room. Childcare IS provided after the lunch portion of our time. Please register at centralsf.org/connect.

Ratification of Board Members | This is an official announcement that we will ratify Elders and operating board members on July 22-23. Members of Central are invited to vote by casting a ballot in Grand Central. Dates and start times of voting are 4:45pm on Saturday, July 22 and 8:30am on July 23.

# ATTENDANCE & STEWARDSHIP | JUNE 24-25, 2023

#### Weekend Attendance 2.720 SW/DT Attendance 504 Kids' Attendance 1,097 Live Stream/Facebook 4,321 Total

# Ministry & Missions

Weekly Donations Goal	\$117,526
Actual Donations	\$188,383
YTD Donations Goal	\$5,523,722
YTD Actual Donations	\$7,306,238
YTD Income vs Expense (5/31/23)	\$2,373,907

- To give online, visit centralsf.org/giving -

# 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 <a href="mailto:prayer@centralsf.org">prayer@centralsf.org</a>.

### **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 if you would like to find out how you can serve.

**Downtown** Facilities **NextGen** Outreach Prayer Tech <u>Welcome</u> Worship

# LIFEGROUPS | Click here

Click the link to browse a list of LifeGroups at Central Church and discover the best fit for you!

#### 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.





