



Message: Jeff Wheeler, Lead Pastor

Worship Set: BUILD MY LIFE, SAME GOD, LAMB OF GOD

That's a Great Question!

#8 - Is the Bible God's Word?

We owe to the Scripture the same reverence which we owe to God, because it has proceeded from him alone and has nothing of man mixed with it.

–John Calvin, 17th century protestant reformer

How do I know the Bible is God's word?

- 1. _____ affirms it. -Isaiah 46:9-10
 - a. The Messiah would be born of a virgin. -Isaiah 7:14; Matthew 1:22
 - b. The Messiah would be born in Bethlehem. -Micah 5:2; Luke 2:11
 - c. The Messiah would be "pierced" (crucified) for humanity' sins. -Isaiah 53:5; John 19:36-37
 - d. The Messiah would be raised from the dead. -Psalm 16:10-11; Acts 2:24-25, 27
 - e. The Messiah would have a prophet prepare the way for him. -Isaiah 40:3; Mark 1:1-4
- 2. _____ affirms it. -Matthew 5:18, 24:35; Isaiah 40:8
- 3. _____ affirms it. -Matthew. 4:4; John 10:34-35

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Regional Services | This week's service is the Southeast Region, with a different region meeting each Sunday in Oakwood Chapel at 8:30am. Learn more about this unique approach to building community at Central by visiting centralsf.org/regional.

Woven Women's Ministry | Have you heard about Woven? This ministry exists to develop faith-based, intergenerational relationships among the women of Central through several different Bible study options and small group accountability. We also have a new option for teen girls in Grades 7-12! Stop by the table out in the Concourse this weekend to find out more about the format and meeting schedule. For any questions, you can email woven@centralsf.org.

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. Visit centralsf.org/griefshare for details.

Downtown Campus is Hiring | Our Downtown Preschool is hiring for several positions. Visit centralsf.org/careers for more details.

Young Adult Large Group | Young adults! You're invited to hang out at our monthly large group gathering on June 26. Join us here at Central from 7:00 to 9:00pm for fellowship and fun! We also have small groups that meet weekly. If you would like to sign up for a small group, visit centralsf.org/YAlifegroups.

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Shamida Ethiopia Fundraiser Meal | One of our ministry partners in Ethiopia, Shamida, is coming to Sioux Falls for a very special event on July 12 at 5:30pm in the Hearth Room. Come hear what Shamida is up to in Ethiopia and all the ways they're making a difference in the lives of orphaned children. Childcare is available. Please register at centralsf.org/shamidameal.

Congratulations

- To Amanda and Jimmy Thomas on the birth of Micah Theodore born May 31.
- To Jasmyn and Jon Vant Hul on the birth of Ace James, born June 1. Proud grandparents are Jim and Jan Calkhoven.

ATTENDANCE & STEWARDSHIP | JUNE 3-4, 2023

Weekend Attendance

SW/DT Attendance	2,810
Kids' Attendance	522
Live Stream/Facebook	1,052
Total	4,384

Ministry & Missions

Weekly Donations Goal	\$117,526
Actual Donations	\$171,145
YTD Donations Goal	\$5,171,144
YTD Actual Donations	\$6,888,483
YTD Income vs Expense (4/30/23)	\$2,086,701

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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.*

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.

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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.

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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.

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