



Message: Dusty Hoffman, The Timothy Initiative (TTI)

Worship Set: O Praise the Name, Faithful, Living Hope

### That's a Great Question!

#19 - How Can I Get Free From My Past?

#### I'D LIKE FREEDOM FROM:

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#### THE SOURCE OF FREEDOM:

2 Cor. 5:21 - The cross has 2 sides:

- 1.
- 2.

#### 4 STEPS TO FREEDOM

1	Write the lie (John 8:44)	
2	Write the truth (John 8:32)	
3	Put off the lie, put on the truth (Eph 4:22-24)	
4	Make new choices (Eph 4:28)	



Scan the QR code to find a list of Bible verses to help you with Step 2

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

**Office Closed** | In observance of Labor Day, the office will be closed on Monday, September 4.

**All Incoming 6th-12th Graders!** | Join us to kick off our year on Wednesday, September 6th from 6:30-8:30PM! Middle school enters the Lower FLC entrance. High School enters Grand Central. Email [students@centralsf.org](mailto:students@centralsf.org) with any questions.

**Forged Men's Night** | Join us Friday, September 8 at 6:00pm 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. For more info, visit [centralsf.org/mensnight](http://centralsf.org/mensnight).

**Reveal Night** | Join us on Sunday, September 10 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.

**DivorceCare & DivorceCare 4 Kids** | DivorceCare is a support group that guides individuals on the path of recovery after separation or divorce. This 13-week class will begin on Sunday, Sept. 10 from 3:00 to 5:00pm. DivorceCare 4 Kids is for ages 6-12. For more information, visit [centralsf.org/divorcecare](http://centralsf.org/divorcecare).

**Discover Central Lunch** | On Sunday, September 17, we're hosting a FREE LUNCH for newcomers looking to get plugged in and meet some of our Central staff. The event is 12:15pm-1:15pm in the Hearth Room, and along with a meal, you'll get to connect with others and learn a little more about Central. Childcare IS provided after the lunch portion of our time. Visit [centralsf.org/connect](http://centralsf.org/connect) to register.

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**Child Dedications** | We're excited to be celebrating our next child dedications on Saturday, September 23 & Sunday, September 24. Sign up at [centralsf.org/dedications](https://centralsf.org/dedications).

**Betrayal & Beyond** | If you've been hurt or betrayed by a spouse's addiction, the Betrayal & Beyond series is designed to give hope and healing to women. Classes meet weekly beginning Monday, September 18 at 6:30pm. For more information, email Pastor Roger Anderson at [roger.anderson@centralsf.org](mailto:roger.anderson@centralsf.org).

**Fall Bible Studies for Men** | We are forming small group Bible studies for this fall that will start the middle of September. We have a discipleship huddle for men called Followers Made or a Bible study of the book of I Samuel. To register, please visit [centralsf.org/mensbiblestudy](https://centralsf.org/mensbiblestudy).

## ATTENDANCE & STEWARDSHIP | AUGUST 26-27, 2023

### Weekend Attendance

SW/DT Attendance	3,286
Kids' Attendance	613
Live Stream/Facebook	1,148
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,047</b>

### Ministry & Missions

Weekly Donations Goal	\$128,626
Actual Donations	\$269,062
YTD Donations Goal	\$514,504
YTD Actual Donations	\$901,838
YTD Income vs Expense (7/31/23)	\$2,808,813

— To give online, visit [centralsf.org/giving](https://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 [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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