

Message: Jeff Wheeler, Lead Pastor

Worship Set: Praise God, Faithful, Endless Praise

That's A Great Question!

#21 - Should Christians Partake of Alcohol?

What does the Bible say about alcohol?

1. Alcohol stimulates _____.
-Proverbs 23:33; Ephesians 5:18-19; II Timothy 2:22
2. Alcohol is highly _____.
-Proverbs 23:31-35; I Corinthians 6:12
3. Alcohol is associated with _____.
-Numbers 6:2-7; I Timothy 3:3; I Corinthians 6:9-10;
Proverbs 31:4-5; Romans 13:12-14
4. Alcohol leads to unthinkable _____.
-Genesis 19:30-32
5. Alcohol can cause people to _____.
-Romans 14:12-14, Romans 14:15, 21

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Parent/Child Dedications | At Central, we are committed to helping parents as they strive to raise their children in a way that brings honor to God. This is a time when the church body makes a covenant with families, accepting responsibility to come alongside them in their efforts to raise their child in a Christ-centered home. We encourage you to take home the insert and commit to praying for at least one family in the coming months.

Regional Bowl Off | Want to get to know people from your region? Join us on Thursday, Sept. 28 at 6:00 pm at Empire Bowl for our first ever Regional Bowl Off. For more information contact Becca Fischer at becca.fischer@centralsf.org.

Ladies Fun Night Bingo - Friday, September 29 (6-9pm)

B-I-N-G-O-H - so fun! Join ladies (ages 10 & up) of Central & friends for a fun night of Bingo. Please bring your favorite item under \$10 to share as a prize and a snack to share. To sign up, please visit centralsf.org/ladiesbingo. Deadline is September 28.

Benevolence Fund | We are able to help hundreds of people every year because of your generous giving to the Benevolence Fund. To donate to this fund, go to centralsf.org/giving/giving-online/ and select Benevolent under Funds. Thank you for all you do for those who are struggling in our community!

Forged Men's Night - Oct. 6 | Men, join us on Friday, Oct. 6 at Central at 6:00pm for an evening of food, conversations with other men, worship and a challenge from a guest speaker. Visit centralsf.org/forged to register.

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Conquer Series for Men | This 10-week series helps educate and equip men through small group resources leading the way in the battle for sexual integrity in the church. Series starts Oct. 10 at 6:30pm in the Family Life Center. Cost: \$50. For info, email roger.anderson@centralsf.org.

Mission Expansion | Central is investigating an expansion of our current Southwest Campus facility to further accommodate the good work that God is doing here. For more information, prayer points and frequently asked questions about this project, please visit centralsf.org/mission-expansion.

ATTENDANCE & STEWARDSHIP | SEPTEMBER 16-17, 2023

Weekend Attendance

SW/DT Attendance	3,317
Kids' Attendance	646
Live Stream/Facebook	1,088
Total	5,051

Ministry & Missions

Weekly Donations Goal	\$128,626
Actual Donations	\$131,331
YTD Donations Goal	\$900,381
YTD Actual Donations	\$1,306,179
YTD Income vs Expense (7/31/23)	\$2,808,813

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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.*

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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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