Central CHURCH March 25-26, 2023

Message: Jeff Wheeler, Lead Pastor

Worship Set: Christ & Christ Crucified, No Longer in Bondage, **Revelation Song**

The Case for the Resurrection

Introduction/Evidence #1

Why is the resurrection of Jesus important?

1. The resurrection is central to ____

-I Corinthians 15:12-19

If Jesus didn't rise from the dead:

- Preaching is useless.
- Faith is useless.
- We are lying about God.
- We are still in sin, separated from God, going to hell.
- Those who died believing in Jesus are eternally lost.
- We've wasted our life on a false pretense.

2. The resurrection is central to the -Romans 10:9; Acts 2:31-32; 17:30-32

Resurrection evidence #1: _

-John 20:19; Acts 4:33; Revelation 12:11

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Reveal Night | Join us THIS Sunday 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.

Forged Men's Group Hangout | On Friday, Mar. 31 at 6:00pm, we're hosting a Men's Night at Central Church. The night will feature BBQ, cornhole, worship, and a challenge from Pastor Jeff. Visit centralsf.org/mensnight for more information and to register.

Easter at Central | Have you invited anyone to Easter at Central yet? Invite cards are available at the entrances. Service times are as follows:

- Good Friday, April 7 4:30 & 6:00pm
- Easter Saturday, April 8 4:30 & 6:00pm
- Easter Sunday, April 9 7:15, 8:30, 9:50 & 11:15am

Our Downtown Campus will host Easter services at 9:30am and 11:00am on Sunday, April 9. Visit centralsf.org/easter for details.

5th Grade Move-Up Lunch - Apr. 30 | Families, if you have a 5th grader, we invite you and your 5th grader to join us in the Oakwood Chapel for a celebration lunch on Apr. 30 at 12:15pm. Visit centralsf.org/5thgrade to register.

Regional Service Volunteer Form | In an effort to provide a space for you to meet your neighbors from Central, we're kicking off Regional Services! Each month, starting in June, you can choose to meet with people from your "region" in Oakwood Chapel at 8:30am for a community-oriented service. Visit centralsf.org/regionalsurvey to volunteer for our Regional Services.

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Central Serves I Wondering how to get connected in all that Central offers? Hoping to receive help, grow spiritually, or find community? Looking for a way to volunteer your time and interests? On April 15-16 and 22-23 throughout Grand Central, you'll find staff and ministry representatives to help you do just that! Learn more about anything from making coffee, to joining or leading a LifeGroup, to playing on the Worship Team, to finding a support group or social event, and more! No need to register, but don't forget to come through Grand Central and check it all out! We look forward to connecting with you there!

ATTENDANCE & STEWARDSHIP | MARCH 18-19, 2023

Attendance

SW/DT Attendance	3,204
Kids' Attendance	649
Live Stream/Facebook	1,252
Total	5,105

Ministry & Missions	
Weekly Donations Goal	\$117,526
Actual Donations	\$142,341
YTD Donations Goal	\$3,878,358
YTD Actual Donations	\$5,373,332
YTD Income vs Expense (2/28/23)	\$1,662,921

To give online, visit <u>centralsf.org/giving</u> —

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 <u>prayer@centralsf.org</u>.

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 <u>connectme@centralsf.org</u> if you would like to find out how you can serve.

<u>Downtown</u>	Facilities	<u>NextGen</u>	<u>Outreach</u>
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 <u>connectme@centralsf.org</u>.

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