

## I Wonder

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The yoga studio where I practice and teach is in the "hip" part of Fort Worth. It is surrounded by what used to be warehouses and industrial businesses that have been converted into boutiques, specialty shops, and bars.

When I left the studio Thursday night, the TCU-Tech game was on every TV in every bar and restaurant I walked by. People were cheering--together; screaming opposition to bad calls--together. They were high-fiving, chest-bumping, back-slapping their friends as well as people they'd never met.

In other words, they were improving relationships and creating new ones. Love of the Horned Frogs helps people build relationships! Love of the Cowboys helps people build relationships! Why is it so hard for love of Jesus Christ to help people build relationships?

Don't get me wrong. I can barely tell the difference between a touchdown and a home run, and I can get just as excited about a game as anyone. But it's curious that we find it so easy to introduce ourselves to people; even sing, chant, and cheer in social settings but not at church? Where is our enthusiasm for living the life that God has given us when we gather to worship Him?

What can we do about that? I wonder.

### 7 Elements of Our Faith

1. Sharing Our Spiritual Gifts
2. Creating a Meditative Life
3. Participating in Worship
4. Understanding Scripture
- 5. Building Relationships within the Church Family**
6. Sharing Our Faith
7. Sharing Our Resources

#### church staff

Senior Pastor—Danny Couch  
 Worship/Faith Development —Shannon Moore  
 Children—Molly Goodrich  
 Youth—Robert Goodrich  
 Pianist/Assistant Choir Director—Steve Lent  
 Organist—Nancy DeWees  
 Guitarist—Tony Brancato  
 Nursery Workers—Christy Butler, Tessa Moore  
 Administrative Assistant—Joy Ellis

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### GENEROUS GIVING

September 8, 2013

Weekly Budget	10,014.46
General Offering	14,759.99
Plate Offering	13,889.95
Electronic Giving (Vanco)	870.44
Memorial (Vanco)	100.00
Bridging Cultures/Ecuador	200.00
Feed the Kids/Philippines	20.00
Crossroads	50.00
Building (Includes Vanco)	1,070.00

### Memorial...

*Given in memory of James Cody White  
 by Nancy Wester*

September 15, 2013



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[www.welcometothetable.net](http://www.welcometothetable.net)  
 or call 817-594-3053  
 for more information.

### Attendance

September 8, 2013

8:30 Service —  
 Sunday School — 122  
 11:00 Service — 106  
 Total Worship — 168

### Serving Schedule

#### For the Month of September

Elders: 8:30 Worship: Martha Killough & Thomas Moorman  
 Deacons: 11:00 Worship: Team Three—Missy Alexander, Bob & Bev Bartholomew, Natalie Couch, Jarrett Freeman, Terri Freeman, Carol Gauntt, Beth Potter

#### Sunday, September 15

Elders: 11:00 Service: John Saltarelli & Linda Salmon

#### Communion Prep:

8:30 Service: Prissy Neely  
 11:00 Service: Deacon Team Three  
 Greeters: 8:30 Service: Mary Ly Lowen  
 11:00 Service: Darlene Mayberry  
 Coffee Fellowship: Sonrise/Seekers Class

#### Sunday, September 22

Elders: 11:00 Service: Joe Tison & Sheri Stewart

#### Communion Prep:

8:30 Service: Claudia Brancato  
 11:00 Service: Deacon Team Three  
 Greeters: 8:30 Service: Gail Norris  
 11:00 Service: Bill & Sheri Stewart  
 Coffee Fellowship: Friendship Class

Return Service Requested  
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## Central Christian Church

### 8:30am Worship

### 11:00am Worship

September 15, 2013



Growing our faith...  
 Living our faith...  
 Sharing our faith...  
 Together



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**8:30 Worship**

*Leaning on the Everlasting Arms* CH 560

*Wonderful Words of Life* CH 323

*O Lord, to You* CP 63

Invitation to Children's Church—Molly Goodrich

Time of Prayer: **Center**

Prayer & Lord's Prayer—Robert Goodrich

Spotlight on Relationships

**Special Music**—Choir

Sermon—Danny Couch

Invitation to Communion

**The Circle of Faith**

**11:00 Worship**

*Leaning on the Everlasting Arms* CH 560

Welcome—Danny Couch

**Call to Worship**

Sing to the Lord with thanksgiving.  
Praise God in the heights!

**Let everything that breathes praise the Lord!**

**All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!** CH 91, v. 1, 4, 5

Invitation to Children's Church—Molly Goodrich

Time of Prayer: **Center**

Prayer & Lord's Prayer—Robert Goodrich

Spotlight on Relationships

**Give Me a Clean Heart**—Choir

Sermon—Danny Couch

*Wonderful Words of Life* CH 323

Offering & Song of Praise

Invitation to Communion—Danny Couch

**God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending** CH 606

**Upcoming Events...**

**Central Christian Church**

**All Church Retreat**

**“Grow, Live, Share Our Faith”**

Sunday, September 15

3:00 - 7:00 pm

\$5 Individual/\$10 Family

Look for tables outside of sanctuary  
or in Cuppett Hall on Sunday to register.

You can also register & pay online @ [www.welcometothetable.us](http://www.welcometothetable.us)  
or call the church office, 817-594-3053.



Tickets are available for the  
Women of Faith Conference  
Friday—Saturday, Sept 20—21  
American Airlines Center, Dallas  
Contact Linda Salmon  
or Betty Wade or call the church  
office at 817-594-3053.

*On Sunday, September 22*

**Erica Lane**

*will share her gift of music  
with CCC during  
Worship at 8:30 & 11:00.*



**Ladies Day Retreat**  
*A Special Time of Inspiration,  
Prayer & Meditation*

**Saturday, October 12**

**10 am—2 pm**

**Central Christian Church**

1602 S. Main St.

Weatherford, TX 76086

**Guest Ministry—Rev. Renee Hoke**

*Joint Area Minister for*

*Trinity Brazos Area & Blue Bonnet Area*

*Contact CCC Office @ 817-594-3053.*

*Lunch count needed by October 1.*

*Provided by Yesterday's Sandwich Shop*

*@ \$8.00 per person.*

If you would like to reserve a spot at the church for a team meeting  
or any other activity, please call the church office at 817-594-3053.

**CALENDAR**

**Sunday, September 15**

7:45 am – Early Choir Rehearsal

8:30 am – Worship

9:30 am – Coffee Fellowship

10:00 am – Sunday School

11:00 am – Worship

3:00—7:00 pm—All Church Retreat at Texas Star

**Monday, September 16**

6:30 pm – Financial Peace University

**Tuesday, September 17**

9:00 am – Prayer Group

**Wednesday, September 18**

Wednesday Evening Activities  
(schedule below)

**Saturday, September 21**

United Way Bike Race

**Sunday, September 22**

8:30 am – Worship

9:30 am – Coffee Fellowship

10:00 am – Sunday School

11:00 am – Worship

4:00 pm – Prayer Shawl Ministry

**Prayer Group meets on Tuesdays at 9:00 am  
in the Sanctuary**

**Prayer Updates:**

**Recovering from Surgery:**

**Ophelia Moen** – heart surgery September 10

**In Need of Prayer**

**Bill Ogden** –Ryan Myers' father-in-law

**Doug Strickland** – cancer

**Remembrance & Celebration of Life**

We extend our prayers of sympathy to the family of **Gladys Jeter** upon her death, Friday, September 6. Funeral Services were held on Saturday, September 14 at CCC with interment following at Parkdale Cemetery in Arlington. Gladys was a long-time member of the Disciple Church. She had moved to Nacogdoches because of health issues.

**WEDNESDAY EVENING ACTIVITIES**

**5:30 pm—Meal (Menu—Chicken Spaghetti)**

**6:15 pm – Nursery**

**6:30 pm – Children & Youth Activities**

**6:30 pm – Adult Bible Class**

**6:30 pm – Choir Rehearsal**

Join us for the fun & fellowship!