



TODAY, GOD IS SAYING TO ME

I wish to speak to a staff member about a personal issue (include contact information on reverse side).

MY DECISION

- Today, for the first time, I place my trust in Christ for salvation.
I choose to recommit my life to Christ.
I would like to talk to someone about:
becoming a Christian
being baptized

PRAYER REQUESTS & PRAISES

Prayer Chain or Confidential

CONNECT

- I would like to join an Adult LifeGroup.
I may be interested in volunteering in the areas I have checked below:
Children's Ministries, Student Ministries, Worship Arts, Jail Ministries, Prayer Ministries, Other, First Impressions Team, Care Ministries, Facilities

SATURDAY, AUGUST 19 - SUNDAY, AUGUST 20, 2017

Welcome to Central Church

Lead Pastor: Jeff Wheeler | Worship Leader: Allison DeJong

HERE FOR YOU - Matt Redman, YOU HAVE SAVED US - Paul Baloche, EVER BE - Aaron Shust, O THE BLOOD - Gateway Worship

JAMES: PASSING THE TEST

Test 9: James 4:1-10

People come to know _____ by _____!

Test #9: Will I ignore the spiritual needs of those around me?

What is the source of quarrels and conflicts among you? Is not the source your pleasures that wage war in your members? You lust and do not have; so you commit murder. You are envious and cannot obtain; so you fight and quarrel. You do not have because you do not ask. You ask and do not receive, because you ask with wrong motives, so that you may spend it on your pleasures. You adulteresses, do you not know that friendship with the world is hostility toward God? Therefore whoever wishes to be a friend of the world makes himself an enemy of God. Or do you think that the Scripture speaks to no purpose: "He jealously desires the Spirit which He has made to dwell in us"? But He gives a greater grace. Therefore it says, "God is opposed to the proud, but gives grace to the humble." Submit therefore to God. Resist the devil and he will flee from you. Draw near to God and He will draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners; and purify your hearts, you double-minded. Be miserable and mourn and weep; let your laughter be turned into mourning and your joy to gloom. Humble yourselves in the presence of the Lord, and He will exalt you. (James 4:1-10 NASB)

James' language suggests he's talking to people who _____ know _____.

Draw near to God and He will draw near to you. (James 4:8 NASB)

When James says "Draw near to God," he is inviting them to _____ a _____ toward God.

Additional notes:

STUDENT MINISTRY REGISTRATION

Parents! It's time to register your middle and high school students for Central's Student Ministries! Register online by September 3 at bit.ly/SCregistration2017. Registering helps us know who to expect (so we can recruit volunteer leaders) and update contact info so we can keep you fully informed. Student Ministries begins Wednesday, September 13 from 6:30 to 8:30pm!

BACKPACK RECAP

Hey Central family—we hit our goal and filled ALL 500 backpacks during the Backpack Challenge these past three weeks! Thanks to everyone who made an impact by filling backpacks and thanks to members of the Lincoln High School football team for saving our backs and doing the pick-up and loading on Thursday.

CENTRAL DRAMA TEAM

Are you an adult with gifts in the performing arts? We're building a Central drama team to perform dramas and skits for weekend services and other events. Sound perfect for you? Contact Amanda Berg at (605) 212-2807.

SUMMER BAPTISMS NEXT WEEK

Next Sunday (August 27), we'll have men, women, and children showing an expression of faith through water baptism. After that, we'll celebrate with food, inflatables, and all kinds of fun stuff. We hope you can join us at 4:00pm for all of the excitement.

JOY MINISTRY

Joy Ministry is designed to help children with special needs (and their families) to fully enjoy a Sunday experience at Central. Right now, we're seeking adult volunteers willing to help. No special training required—just a heart to serve. Email becky.jaspring@centralsf.org to get involved.

WE'RE HIRING!

Central is hiring a full-time Children's Ministry Coordinator. For more info, visit centralsf.org/jobs.

KIDCENTRAL DOWNTOWN VOLUNTEERS - KidCentral Downtown needs volunteers, and we're looking at you. Yes, you. Our Downtown Campus offers children's programming for newborns through 5th graders. Best of all, the service is at 11:00am, so you'll still have time to attend here at 9:00am and go serve Downtown without missing worship. To make a difference for our Downtown congregation, email anna.underwood@centralsf.org.



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COMMUNICATION CARD

Saturday, August 19 - Sunday, August 20, 2017

- First or second time guest
- Regular Attendee
- Update my contact information
- Sign me up for Central email updates

NAME(S) _____

HIS EMAIL _____

HER EMAIL _____

HOME ADDRESS _____

_____ APT. _____

CITY _____

STATE _____ ZIP CODE _____

HOME PHONE _____

HIS CELL _____

HER CELL _____

MY AGE GROUP:

- College 18-24 25-29 30-39
- 40-49 50-59 60+

NAME AND GRADE/AGE OF CHILDREN AT HOME:

ATTENDANCE & STEWARDSHIP

Weekend Attendance for 08/12 - 08/13/17

Saturday Service @ 5:00 pm	231
Sunday Service @ 9:00 am	597
Sunday Service @ 10:30 am	844
Sunday Downtown @ 11:00 am	101
Total	1,773

Ministry & Missions

WEEKLY INCOME GOAL	\$67,308
ACTUAL INCOME	\$139,010
YTD ACTUAL INCOME	\$215,002
YTD BUDGET INCOME	\$134,615
YTD INCOME VS EXPENSE 07/31/17	\$738,658