

# CENTRAL CONNECTION

## Upcoming Events

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Monday, August 22

7pm - Ladies Book Study

Tuesday, August 23

Pastor out of town all day

Thursday, August 25

Pastor out for lunch meeting

Sunday, August 28

11am - Worship In person  
and on Facebook

12pm - Potluck Lunch

### UPCOMING

September 2 - Ladies'  
Coffee at 217

October 2 - Whirlwind  
Churches Cookout at  
Coyote Ranch

**Don't forget to check out  
our website or Facebook  
page to find worship  
services, newsletters and  
more!**



School has started! Ball games are scheduled. Classes are meeting. The band has been practicing. Traffic has really picked up on the parsonage corner! Life is getting back into a rhythm as kids are back on campus.

I am constantly amazed at the creativity, ingenuity and dedication of our teachers and staff. They go above and beyond every single day to make sure kids are not only learning all the required things, but that they know they are loved and valued.

It is a daunting task and not for the faint of heart. We can support and encourage our school staff this year in a number of ways so that they know they are loved and valued, too! Try some of these out and see if you can find even more ways to show you care.

1. Pray for teachers, staff and administration.
2. If you know a teacher, send them a short note to let them know you see their hard work and are praying for them.
3. If you know a student, send them a note and encourage them in their learning. A positive, excited, supported student is a teacher's dream!
4. Speak well of teachers and our schools in public. Let people know you support the good, hard work they are doing to shape the children who are our present and future leaders!

Pastor Lory

**PRAYER CONCERNS**

Our Nation and World, Tammy Brockman, Nancy Atkison, Madison Wardell, Charlotte Reagan, Brylie, those battling Covid-19, Bob Miller, CASA Kids, Adam Bagwell, Laura Hunt, Tony Barker, Rios Family, Vivian Contareas, Sharon Brown, Raymond Gelo, Cody Smith, Dieter Stratemann, Cameron Koch, Wes Morton, Jimmie Sue Foster, Alan and Denise Chamberlain, Gloria Foster, Crystal Shelton, Shirley Miller, Jerry Don Maness, Vicki Jones, Danny Morgan, Jessica Goode, Yancy Bell, Jana Major, Ken Backus, Family of Keith Clayton, Family of Loretta Gilmore, Family of Mary Gorman, Debbie Major, Anne Black



**Worship This Week:**

Elders: Walker  
 Deacons: Fitts, Prine  
 Communion Prep: Seay  
 Text: TBD

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August 28- Body, Mind, Spirit

Sept 11- Father Abraham Had Many Sons



**OCTOBER 2ND at COYOTE RANCH**

The churches of the Whirlwind Area are gathering on World Communion Sunday for fellowship, fun and food!

We have rented a building at Coyote Ranch just outside Wichita Falls and are making plans for a fun evening. We want every one there to share in the joy! More details coming soon!

**In light of this next Sunday's sermon on mental health (a switch in plans), take a look at this picture I found on Facebook. See how you are doing with self-care or find new ways to care for YOU!**

**Self-Care Bingo**

Got a chore done	Spent a little time outside	Made a to-do list	Used a healthy coping skill	Put my needs first
Focused on my breathing	Drank a full glass of water	Listened to what my body needed	Made my spirit feel happy	Set an important boundary
Talked to a friend	Had a nourishing meal	Spent time relaxing	Did something I loved	Let myself feel my feelings
Made time to have fun	Got a decent amount of sleep	Made myself proud	Practiced positive self-talk	Focused on my daily routine
Stood up for myself	Had a long laugh	Took a 15 minute break	Took my meds	Talked about my feelings

SelfLoveRainbow

**Charlie has made it to OCU and is doing well. He said: "Things are going GREAT! I've done my piano audition and have already sung in the choir. And I'm working out every day."**

Here is his mailing address for anyone who wants to send him a note occasionally!

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