

The Central Connection

A newsletter of Central Christian Church Nocona, TX

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Pastor's Ponderings

This Week at CCC

All Groups have been suspended due to community Covid-19 increases.

Wednesday, November 18th 7pm – Bible Study via Zoom

Thursday, November 19th
Advent Kits available in FH

Sunday, November 22th
11am – Worship - on Zoom and
Facebook Live

Thursday, November 26th
Office Closed for Thanksgiving

Well, we have hit crunch time for churches and pastors. Thanksgiving is next week and Advent starts right after that. (literally – three days later!) I want to share with you several things we are doing during Advent so you can begin to prepare for this Holy Season.

- 1. <u>Bible in a Year</u> Starting November 29th, we will begin reading the Bible together. I will have a reading plan attached to next week's newsletter. Each Wednesday I will jump on Facebook Live for a few minutes with a thought or two about that week's reading.
- 2. Advent Prayer Stations Each Friday night in Advent, I will send out a link (via email) with a guided video for prayer stations that go with that week's Advent theme. I am putting kits together with the main items needed each week. They will be ready on Thursday in the fellowship hall with your name on a sticky note. You will need a few household items as well (like a bowl of water, a towel, a lighter/match), but most of the items will be in the kits. For those without email/internet, I will have full instructions for you in your kit so that you can experience the prayer stations at home.

Looking forward to a great (and different) Advent! – Pastor Lory

Help MONTAGUE kids have a Merry Christmas!

The Montague County Child Welfare Board serves around 100 kids in Montague County. Some are in foster care and others are in various programs supported by CASA. We can help provide gifts for these children through our monetary gifts to MCCWB this Christmas. You may send your donation to the church and Lorra will pick it up. Thanks for helping kids this Christmas!

ADVENT PRAYER KITS

Advent is only two weeks away! Each Friday night in Advent I will send a link for a video of guided prayer stations. Kits with the items needed for each week will be available this Thursday in the fellowship hall.

YOU CAN CONTINUE

OR IN

PERSON!

A Year in the Bible

reading guides will be available next week with the newsletter. We will start November 29th and I will offer a weekly thought on one of the texts each Wednesday on our Facebook page.

Ways you can give:



www.disciplesnocona.org

2. Mail -

PO Box 308 Nocona TX 76255

3. In Person -

Drop a check off at the church during the week.

Sunday, Nov 15:

Zoom: 16 FB Views: 64 (as of Monday morning)

Feel free to share the Facebook service on your own page or create a watch party, if you like.

ATTENTION!!!

Advent and Christmas are quickly approaching. If you would like to help be part of our worship experiences (reading scripture on camera), please contact Pastor Lory ASAP!

Prayer Concerns

Tammy Brockman, Nancy Atkison, Kendra McCracken, Sarah Grow, Logan Barnes, Kolton Bell, Angela Hagemier, WR Tucker, Tom Parish, Madison Wardell, Roger Russell, Laquita Hewitt, June Moss, National unrest, Karen Billet, Kristi Hopf, Michael Hewitt, Charlotte Reagan, Ronnie Davis, Russell Keumpel, those with Covid-19 in our community, Angel Walker, , Reginald Ervin, Our Nation and World, Dean Prine, Ken Crawley, Karla (friend of Barbara), Phil (friend of Suzanne)

Worship This Week



Scripture: Deuteronomy 5:16-22, 32-33

> Sermon: Moving Forward with Thanksgiving

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