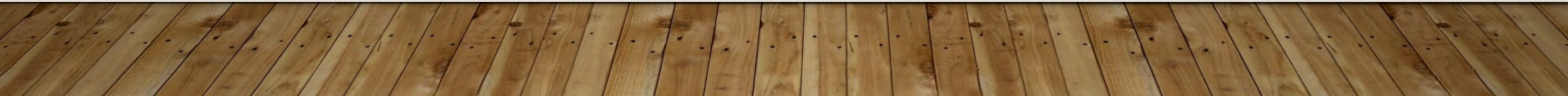


PRAYING FOR OUR CHURCH

GROWING IN OUR WALK AS GOD BRINGS US OUR NEXT PASTOR



HEBREWS 13:17-18

- Obey your leaders and submit *to them*, for they keep watch over your souls as those who will give an account. Let them do this with joy and not with grief, for this would be unprofitable for you.
- ¹⁸ Pray for us, for we are sure that we have a good conscience, desiring to conduct ourselves honorably in all things.

PRAYER FOR MINISTERIAL STAFF

- Pray for your ministerial staff to lead the church well with joy and not with grief.
- Pray for them to be protected from the attacks of enemy to conduct themselves honorably in all things.
- Chuck Bestor, Steve Holt, Randy Wilson, Jeremy Lewis, Chris Gary, Annalee Anderson, John and Debbie Maurer, Sherry Maggard, Bill Wise, Adam McCampbell, Wes Wilkinson, Brittney Mangum

EPHESIANS 4:1-3

- Therefore I, the prisoner of the Lord, implore you to walk in a manner worthy of the calling with which you have been called,² with all humility and gentleness, with patience, showing tolerance for one another in love,³ being diligent to preserve the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace.

PRAYER FOR PASTOR SEARCH COMMITTEE

- Pray that God will lead them, as they work with the staff and deacons, to identify the man God wants to pastor Central.
- Pray that God will direct the timing of the process.
- Pray for God to protect the committee members during this process.
- Pray that God will continue to grow us all closer to Him as we walk through the process.
- Dean Gage, Randy Rother, Mark English, Bobby Feaster, Donna Jordan, Vicki Mercer, Ricky Dickson, Shannon McMath, Beau Wallace

JOHN 13:34-35 AND PHILIPPIANS 4:6-7

- A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another, even as I have loved you, that you also love one another. ³⁵ By this all men will know that you are My disciples, if you have love for one another.”
- Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. ⁷ And the peace of God, which surpasses all comprehension, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

EPHESIANS 4:14-16

As a result, we are no longer to be children, tossed here and there by waves and carried about by every wind of doctrine, by the trickery of men, by craftiness in deceitful scheming; ¹⁵ but speaking the truth in love, we are to grow up in all *aspects* into Him who is the head, *even* Christ, ¹⁶ from whom the whole body, being fitted and held together by what every joint supplies, according to the proper working of each individual part, causes the growth of the body for the building up of itself in love.

PRAYER FOR CENTRAL

- Pray that our church members will focus on the unity we have in Jesus.
- Pray for our church to be faithful in learning God's Word so that we are not tossed around by false teaching.
- Pray that every member of Central will identify and use their spiritual gift in ministry at Central because this causes the growth of the body for the building up of itself in love
- Pray that our church will follow the command of God to love one another.
- Pray that our church will be a clear testimony of Jesus and His saving grace.